



SKYLER ELLIS

Skyler Ellis was born and raised in Perth, where he discovered the joy of entertaining a live audience whilst pretending to be a drunk defendant in court during a Year 5 Drama class improvisation. Due to sporting commitments acting was left behind until Year 12 when Skyler had to make the decision of either representing his state at the National Basketball Championships for the third time or playing a lead in the high school musical, *How To Succeed In Business Without Really Trying*. He chose the latter.

After graduating high school, Skyler quickly became involved in the Perth theatre circuit, starting with Australian classic, *Away*, where he received a Finley Award nomination for Best Supporting Actor in a play. Skyler went on to study Contemporary Performance and Theatre Studies at WAAPA and after completing his second year, he successfully auditioned for the BFA (Acting) at our National Institute of Dramatic Art (NIDA).

During 2016 Skyler toured with *Poetry in Action* and most recently toured the east coast with CDP Theatre production for *Room on the Broom*.

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