

Kai Ridler

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Kai Ridler is an emerging artist born in South Australia. Thanks to his mother, Kai's early life was filled with the influence of acting and singing. Kai, however, would not find his love for singing and performance until the age of 22, working in occupations such as beekeeping, oyster farming, trail building, and many more before discovering his passion for theatre. Since concluding his education at the Arts Academy, Kai has become adept in all facets of performance, with a particular fixation on screen and its capacity for exploration. Kai has recently concluded performing in Ballarat National Theatre's critically acclaimed *Next Fall*, directed by Matthew Henderson, as the play's lead *Luke*. Less recently, The Australian debut of *Crush The Musical*, performing the lead as Dorian; *The Caucasian Chalk Circle* as Simon; and, in addition, Kai had the honour of collaborating lyrically and performatively with Richard Chew in his original composition of Ariel Songs. Kai now views the practice of acting as a vehicle to serve those around him, and in doing so, utilising its capacity to deepen his understanding of his humanity with a high standard of diligence and professionalism.

DOB: 15/08/1999

Height: 5'6

Age Range: 18-30

Vocal Type: Baritone

Accents: Cockney,
Irish, Std. American,
Std.English, RP,
Southern American,
Polish, German

Hair Colour: Brown

Vocal Range: G1-A4
(Falsetto B5)

Eye Colour: Hazel/
Green

Dance: Jazz, Tap,
Ballet (Intermediate)

Skills:

Writing, Song Writing,
Music Production, Stage
Combat, Comedia,
Callisthenics, Body
Building, Muay Thai, MMA,
Boxing, Surfing, Basketball,
Football, Meditation, Yoga,
Drivers License,
Landscaping

Credits

“Next Fall” (Luke)

Dir: Matthew Henderson

“Crush: The Musical” (Dorian, Marlene, Benny)

Dir: Beng Oh

“Ariel Songs”

Dir: Richard Chew **Wr:** Richard Chew, Kai Ridler

“The Caucasian Chalk Circle” (Simon)

Dir. James Wardlaw

“Cyprinidae: Chekhov’s Stories From Russia”

Dir. Ross Hall **Wr.** Anton Chekhov, Ross Hall

Training

Federation University: Bachelor of Performing Arts (Graduated 2024)

Acting

Ross Hall
Kim Durban
James Wardlaw
Danielle Carter
Angela Campbell
Karen Davitt
Margaret Mills
Scott Middleton
Melanie Beddie

Dance

Teresa Colantuono
Michelle Pitcher
Eden Read
Jenny Patrone
Sarah Landy
Shae Durban

Voice

Emma Waxman
Richard-Chew
Julianne Eveleigh
Jason Wasley
Sharon Turley
Anthony Crowley
Pip Grummet
Chris Koch
Nick Simpson-Deeks
Daniel Tusjak

Other

Leo Canales
Emma Hall
Jillian Smith
Tom Healy