SOPHIA IVANNA HODYCH



Sophia Ivanna Hodych is a Ukrainian-Australian actor, producer, and published writer aiming to pursue a career in film and the performing arts. Her joy for theatre originated in her hometown of Lviv, where literature and performance are the main sources of entertainment.

Since relocating to Melbourne in 2015 she has undertaken a number of short acting courses including at NIDA and VCA before attending the Theatre Arts stream at the Victorian College of the Arts Secondary School. She is currently in her 3rd year of BFA Acting at QUT.

Sophia is passionate about the topics of love, war, politics, and philosophy commenting on the imperfect sides of humanity. She is exploring the subtle combination of

naturalism and fantasy by writing in the genre of magical realism. Her writing credits include multiple poetry printings as well as a short story published in a digital magazine P.S I Love You. Throughout the Melbourne lockdown in 2020 she has worked on adapting the novel 'Year of Wonders' by Geraldine Brooks into a theatre piece, while also playing the protagonist role of Anna Frith.

More recently Sophia wrote and produced a show 'Art of Courage' performed in by QUT's 2023 company in Florence, Italy. Currently she is co-directing an immersive version of the play which will be performed in Brisbane from the 1st to the 18th of February 2024. 100% of the profits will go to Ukrainian children affected by war. More information about the project can be found here.

Sophia seeks to continue producing compelling works in both film and theatre while continuing her journey as an actor, making a lasting impact in the world of storytelling and raising awareness about socio-political issues.