

Melat Betewelign

(She/Her/Hers)
Vocal Type: Mezzo Soprano
Height: 5'6

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WORKSHOP/LAB EXPERIENCE

<i>Fun Home</i>	<i>Helen</i>	National Theater Institute
<i>Natasha, Pierre & the Great Comet of 1812</i>	<i>Natasha</i>	National Theater Institute
<i>Oklahoma!</i>	<i>Laurey</i>	National Theater Institute
<i>Mr. Burns, a Post-Electric Play</i>	<i>Director</i>	National Theater Institute
<i>Next To Normal</i>	<i>Diana</i>	National Theater Institute
<i>Company</i>	<i>Marta</i>	National Theater Institute

STUDENT SHORT FILMS

<i>Torture Artists</i>	<i>Writer/Director</i>	National Theater Institute
<i>Walking Through the Rain</i>	<i>Lead</i>	UC College Conservatory of Music
<i>Wax Dolls</i>	<i>Lead</i>	UC College Conservatory of Music
<i>Don't Let Them In</i>	<i>Lead</i>	UC College Conservatory of Music
<i>A Deadly Connection</i>	<i>Lead</i>	UC College Conservatory of Music

THEATER

<i>The Addams Family Musical</i>	<i>Morticia Addams</i>	Colerain High School
<i>Quaren-Teens</i>	<i>Sophie and Bailey</i>	Colerain High School
<i>Radium Girls</i>	<i>Ms. Wiley</i>	Colerain High School
<i>Legally Blonde the Musical</i>	<i>Vivienne Kensington</i>	Colerain High School
<i>Peter And the Star Catcher</i>	<i>Captain Robert Falcon Scott</i>	Colerain High School

EDUCATION

EUGENE O'NEIL THEATER CENTER – Waterford, CT
National Theater Institute (NTI) Certificate, Completed December 2025
Lin-Manuel Miranda Family Fellow
Musical Theater (National Theatre Institute)

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI – Cincinnati, OH May 2025
Carl H. Lindner College of Business
Bachelor of Business Administration, Marketing, Fashion Studies Minor

TRAINING

Acting	Mary Rinderspacher, Malik Work, Alfie Antillon, Maddie Barker, Forest McClendon
Vocal	Amiee Steele, Sean Zuckerman, Mary Rinderspacher, Michael O'Dell
Dance/ Movement	Rachel Jett, Chris Bell, Marya Ursin, Jacob McGlaun, Kimber Andrews
Combat/ Intimacy	Judi Lewis Ockler, Michell McCoy, Lexi Orphanos

AWARDS

F3. Queen City Film Festival, Film Curation, and Film Awards – Best Lead Performance – Short (November 2023)
UC: Darwin T. Turner Scholar, Gen-1 Scholar, University Honors Program, NRF Bright Futures Scholar

SPECIAL SKILLS

Bilingual (English/Amharic), Licensed Driver, Active US Passport, Singing, Swimming, Firearms, Industrial Sewing Machine, Child Care (K-6th), Tennis, Yoga, Tai Chi, Styling 4A Hair, British Accent, Background/extra, Tarot