

# Ben Tissell

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Union Status: **AEA**

Pronouns: **He/Him**

Phone: **(503) 307-6484**

Citizenship: **U.S. & Canada**

Age: **36**

Height: **6' 1"**

Weight: **190lbs**

Hair: **Blond**

Vocal Range: **E2-Bb4**

## Acting

Lizard Boy*	Cary	Portland Center Stage
Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?*	Nick	Portland Center Stage
Recent Tragic Events*	Andrew	Third Rail Repertory
Waitress*	Dr. Pomatter	Broadway Rose Theater
Amelie*	Elton John/Hipolito	Portland Playhouse
RENT	Benny	Portland Center Stage
Astoria, Part 1	Ramsay Crooks, Various	Portland Center Stage
Astoria, Part 2	Ramsay Crooks, Various	Portland Center Stage
Beautiful*	Gerry Goffin	Broadway Rose Theater
Samsara*	Craig	Profile Theatre
A Christmas Carol (6yrs)	Marley & All Ghosts	Portland Playhouse
Charles Dickens' The Chimes	Toby + 11 characters	Wild Goose Repertory
The Angry Brigade	Jim/Morris	Third Rail Repertory
Loch Lomond*	Lyle Mackenzie	Broadway Rose Theater
Peter and the Starcatcher	Alf, Various	Portland Playhouse
Ordinary Days*	Jason	Broadway Rose Theater
Pirates of Penzance	Pirate King	Anonymous Theatre Co.
Urinetown	Bobby Strong	Anonymous Theater Co.
Billy Elliot: The Musical	Tony Elliot	Pixie Dust Productions
Fly By Night	Harold	Broadway Rose Theater
Godspell	Jesus	Lakewood Theater
The Importance of Being Earnest	Algernon	Valley Repertory Theater
It's a Wonderful Life	George Bailey	Valley Repertory Theater
All My Sons	George Deever	Valley Repertory Theater

*\*Press reviews at BenTissell.com*

## Related Experience

A Christmas Carol (4 years)	Music Director	Portland Playhouse
D'Zama: The Musical Vagabond	Writer/Lyricist	Third Rail Repertory
2022-Present	Asst.Professor of Theatre	George Fox University

## Education

Current: MFA in Theatre, Guildford School of Acting, University of Surrey (Distance Learning)  
Bachelor of Arts in Theatre (Acting/Directing), George Fox University 2011  
Additional Training: Viewpoints, Linklater Voice, Barton Shakespeare  
20 years private voice lessons

## Skills

**Instruments:** Piano, Guitar, Bass, Drums, Mandolin, Irish Penny Whistle, Accordion, Banjo  
**Dialects:** Various UK, Irish, Scots, French, German, Czech, Russian, American South, Mid-Atlantic  
**Dance:** Advanced Swing, Intermediate Ballet, Intermediate Ballroom



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