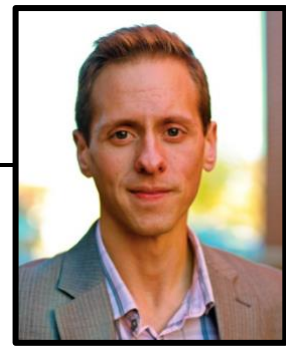


# BRETT JOHN OLSON

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**HEIGHT:** 5'8"  
**VOICE:** Tenor



## REGIONAL THEATRE \*upcoming

*Rock of Ages* \*DREW  
*Something Rotten* \*NICK BOTTOM  
*Big Fish* EDWARD BLOOM  
*Much Ado About Nothing* CLAUDIO  
*Hairspray* CORNY COLLINS  
*The War of the Worlds* ENSEMBLE  
*Anything Goes* BILLY CROCKER  
*Young Frankenstein* FREDERICK  
*Dr. Jekyll & Mr. Hyde* DR. HENRY JEKYLL  
*The Game's Afoot* FELIX  
*The Odd Couple* SPEED  
*Love (Chicago Premiere)* SCOTT  
*Jesus Christ: Superstar* JESUS  
*Unnecessary Farce* ERIC SHERIDAN

**Fort Totten Little Theatre, Devils Lake, ND**  
*Dir. Peter Foss*  
**MSU Summer Theatre, Minot, ND**  
*Dir. Joel Shura*  
**MSU Summer Theatre, Minot, ND**  
*Dir. Chad Gifford*  
**North Dakota Shakespeare, Grand Forks, ND**  
*Dir. Carrie Colton*  
**Crossroads Repertory Theatre, Terre Haute, IN**  
*Dir. Bill Kincaid*  
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*Dir. Chris Berchild*  
**Playhouse Theatre Company, Columbia, MO**  
*Dir./Chor. Bernard Monroe*  
**Crossroads Repertory Theatre, Terre Haute, IN**  
*Dir. Bill Kincaid*  
**Crossroads Repertory Theatre, Terre Haute, IN**  
*Dir. Chris Berchild*  
**Okoboji Summer Theatre, Okoboji, IA**  
*Dir. Janice Goldberg*  
**Okoboji Summer Theatre, Okoboji, IA**  
*Dir. Bernard Monroe*  
**Gorilla Tango Theatre, Chicago, IL**  
*Dir. A.S. Freeman*  
**MSU Summer Theatre, Minot, ND**  
*Dir. Kevin Neubarth*  
**MSU Summer Theatre, Minot, ND**  
*Dir. Paula Lindekugel-Willis*

## TRAINING

**MFA, Acting** Western Illinois University  
**MA, Theatre Arts** University of North Dakota  
**BA, Theatre Arts** Minot State University  
**Actor Combatant** Society of American Fight Directors

## SPECIAL SKILLS

**Stage Combat:** Unarmed, Rapier & Dagger, and Sword & Shield  
**Dialects:** British RP, Irish, Scottish, Upper Midwestern, Russian, Southern (Texas/Mississippi), good ear  
**General:** Improv, "Unrehearsed Shakespeare," Valid Passport, and ND Driver's License