



# ROMY JO SWALES

## DANCER, CHOREOGRAPHER

DATE OF BIRTH: 21 May 1994  
 PLACE OF RESIDENCE: Cape Town  
 NATIONALITY: South African  
 ETHNICITY: Coloured / Mixed  
 LANGUAGES: English & Basic Afrikaans  
 HEIGHT: 1.63m  
 FRAME: Small / Athletic  
 SIZES: Shirt / Dress 34 / Pants 34 / Shoe 6  
 Bust 34B  
 USUAL HAIR COLOUR: Brown / Blonde highlights  
 EYE COLOUR: Brown  
 PERFORMANCE SKILLS: Dance (Contemporary, modern, ballet, tap, hip hop, African), Musical Theatre, Singing (Mezzo Soprano), Acting (stage & screen)  
 OTHER SKILLS: Choreography, basic piano  
 SPORTS & HOBBIES: Yoga, Pilates, Swimming, Fitness, Pole dancing  
 DRIVER'S LICENCE: Yes

### LINK TO ONLINE ARTIST PROFILE –

<https://artevivamanagement.com/romy-jo-swales>

### MUSICAL THEATRE & DANCE PERFORMANCE

#### Professional Work

Disney's The Lion King International Tour	Ensemble Dancer, Understudy Cheetah	International Tour	Produced by Disney Theatrical Productions & Michael Cassel Group	2018 - 2022
Pendoring Advertising Awards	Dancer	Vodacom World	Prod. By Mzansi Magic, Kyknet	2017
SANDT – A Spartacus of Africa	Dancer	Artscape	Dir: Veronica Papier	2015
Let's Beat It Aids Benefit	Dancer	Artscape	Dir: Jimmy Earl Perry	2013

### FILM & TELEVISION PERFORMANCE

Idols SA Season 13 Showstopper	TV Show	Dancer	Multichoice / FreemantleMedia, 19 Television	2017
SA's Got Talent Season 8	TV Show	Dancer	Rapid Blue / e-TV	2017
"Crazy" feat. Floda, Nadia Nakai & DJ Tira	Music Video	Dancer	Eminence Productions / Studio Space Productions	2017
Bring it on: Worldwide Cheersmack	Film	Dancer in SA Squad	Beacon Pictures / Universal Entertainment	2016

### COMMERCIALS

Edgars 'Do Denim'	TVC	Dancer	Choreo: Rudi Smit / Picture Tree Productions	2017
ABSA Rugby World Cup- <a href="#">Online Link</a>	TVC	Dancer / Choreographer	Jupiter Drawing Room	2015

### CHOREOGRAPHIC & DIRECTING WORK

Kay's Lullaby	Dance Drama	Co-Director, co-producer & choreographer	Collaboration: Natasha Hess, Sne Dladla & Romy-Jo Swales	2016
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### EDUCATION & TRAINING

Professional Spring Semester	Broadway Dance Centre, New York	2016
Diploma in Performing Arts	Waterfront Theatre School / Trinity College	2015
ATCL Performance Diploma	Trinity College, London	2015
Teacher's Accreditation in Ballet, Modern & Tap	ISTD London	2015
Ballet – Imperial Advanced 2, RAD Advanced Foundation	ISTD / RAD	2015
Modern Theatre and Tap Imperial Advanced 2	ISTD	2015
Horton Technique, Partner Work	Brigitte Reeve- Taylor & James Bradley	2014 – 2015
Hip Hop	Untimitive Dance Crew / Rudi Smit	2013 - 2014

**AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS**

Best Overall Female Choreographer	Waterfront Theatre School's Annual Choreographic Competition	2015
Best Musical Theatre Group	Waterfront Theatre School's Annual Choreographic Competition	2015
Best Jazz Group	Waterfront Theatre School's Annual Choreographic Competition	2014
Best Duet Choreography	Waterfront Theatre School's Annual Choreographic Competition	2013

