



LIYABUYA GONGO

Performer

I am an experienced theatre and film practitioner, driven to immerse myself in the creative process. I push myself physically and emotionally to create and, contribute to impactful narratives.

CONTACT

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STATISTICS

Hair: Black

Eyes: Brown

Height: 1.64

Weight: 64kg

SKILLS

- Accents (British, American)
- Body Conditioning & Pilates Training
- Cultural Policy and Management
- Horseriding
- Motorcycle
- Movement Choreography
- Singing

LANGUAGES

English, IsiXhosa, Afrikaans (Int.),
French (Int.)

FILM

2024	Unseen	Zamo
	Heist City	Stunts Lead Stunt Double
	G20	Stunts Lead Stunt Double
2023	King Shaka	Stunts Nandi Stunt Double Warrior
	African Queens	Stunts Lead Stunt Double
2022	The Woman King	Stunts Agoji Warrior
	Beast	Cutoffs
	Mobile Inertia	Yellow
	Silverton Siege	Baker

THEATRE

Current	Ditoro	Thamsanqa Majela
2022	Isenyuso	Thami Tshabalala
2021	Ingoma	Cape Town City Ballet
2019 - 2017	Giselle	Bathilde Dada Masilo
	Swan Lake	Queen Uberta Dada Masilo
2018	The Water Says	Choreographer Dance Umbrella
2018, 2017	Workers Chant	Nhlanhla Mahlangu
2016	Set Apart but, In Between	Choreographer Joburg Theatre
	Mobile Inertia	Dancer/Choreographer Joburg Theatre
	Phase 5	Belinda Nusser
2014	Maisha	Luyanada Sidiya
2013	Where's Colony	Choreographer Dance Umbrella
	Platitudes	Kristin Wilson
	Thirst	James Ngcobo
2012	Afrocartography	Director Afrovibes Festival
		Choreographer WITS Theatre
2011	A Midsummer Night's Dream	Mustard Seed Kristin Wilson
	Death and the Maiden	Dada Masilo
	Crash Dance	Rehda Bentifour
	I am Alpha, Beta Etc.	Choreographer UJ Theatre, State Theatre
2010	15 Minutes of Fame	Timothy Le Roux, Celesta Botha, Thabo Rapoo,
	Peter and the Wolf	Bird/Cat Sylvain Strike
	Keta Futa	Adele Blank
	Ripped	Kelsey Middleton
	Lady Rocks the Blues	Kelsey Middleton
	Rivonia Trials	Dancer, Observer Aubrey Sekhabi
2009	Giselle	Mother Redha Bentifour
2008	Aida	Dancer Mark Hawkins, Opera Africa

CORPORATE/INDUSTRIAL THEATRE

2019	Go The Distance	Nirox Tailormade Group
2016	Fiestas	Kyknet David Gouldie
	Channel O Awards	Channel O Somizi Mhlongo
	Mbokodo Awards	Lebo Thoko
2013	All Africa Stars	MTV Somizi Mhlongo
	Bidvest Awards	Bidvest Debbie Rakusin
2012	Kora Awards	Clive Morris Prod. Harold Van Buren

EDUCATION

WITS University

MA Policy and Culture Management | 2022

Research Report Titled, *"In the Rain with No Umbrella: A Narrative Study of Dance Umbrella's Leadership"*

Tshwane University of Technology

B. Tech Dance | 2009