

MAYA KELEHER (*Alice Paul*) is honored to lend her voice to this story of women finding theirs. Past roles include Natalie in *Next to Normal* (TheaterWorks Hartford) and Jennifer Rumson in *Paint Your Wagon* (The Muny). Thanks to her husband Alex, Justin Picca at Lakey Wolff & Co, BroadwayVox, her dog Betty and her incredible friends and family. Proud graduate of The Boston Conservatory. Enjoy the ride.

JENNY ASHMAN (*President Woodrow Wilson*) was most recently seen in the national tour of *Come From Away*. Regional/Off-B'way: *Ever After* (Alliance Theatre), *Dave* (Arena Stage), *Evita* (Kansas City Rep, Opera North), *Disney's The Little Mermaid* (Hollywood Bowl), *Sleep No More*, *Sweeney Todd* (Ovation Award nomination). Originally from Alaska, Jenny is a graduate of UCF Conservatory Theatre. "For Alan, the Edith to my Woodrow." [jennyashman.com](http://jennyashman.com). [@alaskanjz](mailto:@alaskanjz).

ABIGAIL AZIZ (*Offstage Principal Cover, u/s Ida B. Wells, u/s Dudley Malone, u/s Mary Church Terrell, u/s Phyllis Terrell/Robin*) is excited to be a part of telling this story. She has just received her B.F.A. in musical theater from the University of Michigan. She wants to thank her parents, MSA, Umich and The Mine for getting her here today!

ANNA BAKUN (*Ensemble, u/s Mollie Hay, u/s Ruza Wenclawska*) is a proud queer and mixed AAPI artist. CMU drama alum. Credits: *The Queen of Versailles* (Emerson Colonial Theatre); *The Wickhams: Christmas at Pemberley* (The City Theatre); *Gloria and Titanic: The Musical* (CMU). For Mom, Dad and Andy. [@annabakun](http://annabakun).

ARIANA BURKS (*Offstage Principal Cover, u/s Ida B. Wells, u/s Dudley Malone, u/s Mary Church Terrell, u/s Phyllis Terrell/Robin*). Broadway: *Real Women Have Curves* (original Broadway cast). Regional: *In the Heights* (The Muny) and other productions around Chicagoland! TV/film: *Beats* (Netflix), "Neon Galaxy" (Disney). Thank you God, family and StewCrew! For Moo Moo. [@arianaburks](http://arianaburks).

TAMI DAHBURA (*Mollie Hay, u/s Alva Belmont/Phoebe Burn*). First national tours: *Kinky Boots, Memphis, In the Heights*. National/international tour: *A Chorus Line*. Off-Broadway: *Manuel vs. The Statue of Liberty, The Pajama Game*. Other favorites: *Half Time* (Paper Mill Playhouse), *Heartland* (Theatreworks), *The Three Musketeers* (AMTSJ). Soloist: Hawaii, Maryland, Oakland and Sacramento symphonies. Graduate: Mount Holyoke College. Puppy-raiser: The Seeing Eye, New Jersey. "Thanks: my parents, my team: The Hybrid Agency." [@tamisings](http://tamisings).

DANYEL FULTON (*Ida B. Wells*) is a Brooklyn-born and bred storyteller. Favorite credits: Ruby (*Broadbend, Arkansas, Transport Group*), Dorothy (*The Wiz, The Muny*), Shayla (*Watch Night, The PAC*), Actor 3 (*Plays for the Plague Year, The Public*), Ruby (*We Shall Someday, ASF*), Dionne (*Hair*, second national tour), Aisha (*A Time to Love, NBT*), Sarah (*Ragtime, The 5th, Asolo Rep and TUTS*). [danyelfulton.com](http://danyelfulton.com). 1 Cor 13:13.

ANNALESE FUSARO (*Swing, u/s Inez Millholland, u/s Lucy Burns, u/s Mollie Hay*) is

honored to be a Suff in her national tour debut! Regional: *Waitress* (NSMT); *Crazy for You*, *Frozen*, *9 to 5*, *Matilda* (MTWichita). Proud recent CCM grad! “Love and gratitude to my parents, family, friends and teachers for everything.” @annalesefusaro.

MARYA GRANDY (*Carrie Chapman Catt*). Broadway/New York/tour: *The Devil Wears Prada* (world premiere), *Into the Woods* (2023 B’way revival), *Closer Than Ever*, *Les Misérables*, *Damn Yankees*, *Bells Are Ringing*, *The Great American Trailer Park Musical*. Regional: Too many to mention. Original work: *Baby Yoda: A Love Story*. TV/film: “Chicago Fire,” “Chicago P.D.,” “Rescue Me,” “Conviction,” “Law & Order,” “Law & Order: SVU.” B.A.: Yale University. For Hugh and Gavin. [maryagrandy.com](http://maryagrandy.com).

MARISSA HECKER (*Ensemble*, u/s *Alva Belmont/Phoebe Burn*, u/s *President Woodrow Wilson*, u/s *Ruza Wenclawska*) is ecstatic to be a Suff! Off-Broadway: *The Office*. National tour: *Spamilton*. Regional: Forestburgh, Fireside, Weston. She produces original parodies on her YouTube, “Broadway Busts.” CCM MT. Thank you to Rachel. Love to her family, Carey, Thomas. For Max. @marissa.hecker.

TRISHA JEFFREY (*Mary Church Terrell*). Broadway OBC: *Little Shop of Horrors*, *All Shook Up*; *Rent*, *Motown*. National/international tours: *Rent*, *Sister Act*, *Motown*. Regional: *Three Mothers* (Fannie Lee Chaney), *The Watsons Go to Birmingham*, *Cinderella*, *Beautiful*, *Jekyll & Hyde*. Film/TV: *Things Like This*, *Dear Edward*. BroadwayWorld/Black Excellence awards and Jeff nomination for *The Color Purple* (Celie). Helen Hayes nomination for *Caroline, or Change* (Emmie). [trishajeffrey.com](http://trishajeffrey.com). @trishajeffrey.

AMANDA K. LOPEZ (*Swing*, u/s *Inez Milholland*, u/s *Doris Stevens*, u/s *Dudley Malone*, *Dance Captain*). National tour debut! Broadway: *Real Women Have Curves*. Off-Broadway/favorites: *The Marvelous Wonderettes*, *Beetlejuice: The Musical* (Miss Argentina, NCL inaugural cast), *In the Heights* (Nina), *On Your Feet!* Love to Mom, Tada, Javi, ATB and this legendary Suff team. @amandaklopez.

LIVVY MARCUS (*Doris Stevens*). First national tour debut. Recent credits include *Ride* and *Life After* (Old Globe); *The Griswold’s Broadway Vacation* (5th Ave.); *Spells of the Sea* (Kennedy Center). Debut album *Livvy Marcus Eats Her Shoe* out now. “Thanks HCKR! Thanks to all the public libraries! Big hugs to Addy and Charlie. Follow me @livvymarcus or [livvymarcus.com](http://livvymarcus.com).”

MERRILL PEIFFER (*Swing*, u/s *Carrie Chapman Catt*, u/s *President Woodrow Wilson*, u/s *Alva Belmont/Phoebe Burn*) is truly excited to be part of this show, Women’s history is for everyone, y’all! Past B’way tour credits: *Mamma Mia!* Regional: Over 50 shows all across U.S. Endless gratitude to the amazing casting and creative team and for her loved ones! @merrilllove.

VICTORIA PEKEL (*Phyllis Terrell/Robin*) is a 2025 Yale graduate who majored in political science and theater. Select Yale credits: *for colored girls...opera* (lady in blue), *Legally*

*Blonde* (Elle), *Hamlet* (Ophelia). Regional: *Footloose* (Ariel, Arkansas Rep). She is incredibly grateful to the *Suffs* team as she makes her national tour debut! Victoria dedicates this to the memory of her mother, Tanya—a proud Delta. @victoria.pekel.

BRANDI PORTER (*Dudley Malone*). Broadway: *Purlie Victorious* (Lutibelle u/s), *Clyde's* (Letitia u/s), *A Bronx Tale* (Swing, Jane u/s). First nat'l tour: *A Bronx Tale* (Frieda, Jane u/s). Off- Broadway: *Trevor: A New Musical*. Regional: *Intimate Apparel* (Esther), Arden Theatre Company; *Ain't No Mo'* (Passenger 4), Woolly Mammoth/BCS, Helen Hayes nominee for Outstanding Supporting Actor. "Endless gratitude to my husband, family, friends, Saks& and CESD. IG:@thebrandiporter.

MONICA TULIA RAMIREZ (*Inez Milholland*). Proud daughter of an immigrant father, Monica is honored to return to *Suffs*—now in the role she covered on Broadway and at the Public Theater. Broadway: *Real Women Have Curves*, *Suffs*. TV: "Elementary," "Madam Secretary," "Evil," "Uncoupled." Favorite regional: *Evita* (Eva), *Footloose* (Rusty), *Working* (Woman 1). "Love to my family and partner, Logan. Pase lo que pase." @monicatuliaramirez.

JENNA LEA ROSEN (*Ensemble*, u/s *Alice Paul*, u/s *Doris Stevens*, February 10-22) Broadway national tour debut! Regional: TUTS (Elsa, *Frozen*), MSMT (Fanny Brice, *Funny Girl*), Sacramento Music Circus (Wednesday, *The Addams Family*), Goodspeed (Prissy, Anne u/s, *Anne of Green Gables*). Voice of over 30 animated characters for Disney and HBO. For Grandma. @jennalearosen.

GRETCHEN SHOPE (*Ensemble*, u/s *Alice Paul*, u/s *Lucy Burns*). National tour debut! Winner of the 2024 Jimmy Awards. Gretchen thanks her agency Nicolosi & Co. for their guidance and support. She also thanks her family (and honorary family) for loving her unconditionally. Get out and vote! @gretchen\_shope.

AQUILA SOL (*Ensemble*, u/s *Alice Paul*, u/s *Doris Stevens*, February 3-8) is honored and elated to be making her National Tour Debut with *SUFFS!* Originally from San Diego, she is a recent grad of the University of Michigan Musical Theatre Department. Infinite thanks to the entire team, her mom, HCKR, family, friends, and teachers! Go blue!

LAURA STRACKO (*Alva Belmont/Phoebe Burn*, u/s *Carrie Chapman* C 34 att). Broadway: *Diana*. Film/TV: "Blue Bloods," *Diana* (Netflix). Tour: *Damn Yankees*. Ship: *Cats* (RCCL), Regional favorites: *Come From Away* (Ogunquit, Theatre Aspen), *Gypsy* (Aspen). "Love to my family and Maurice, thank you to Todd/ATB, Rachel and this beautiful team. Keep marching!" @thisislaurastracko.

GWYNNE WOOD (*Lucy Burns*) (they/she) is a queer theater artist based in NYC. Broadway: *1776*. First national tours: *1776*, *Oklahoma!* (2019 revival). West End: *Oscar at the Crown*. Select: The Public Theater, Williamstown Theatre Festival, Olney Theatre Center and Pipeline Theatre. "Thanks to my family, my partner Anna, the team at DGRW and everyone at *Suffs* and Telsey for this opportunity." @gwynnelaurel.

JOYCE MEIMEI ZHENG (*Ruza Wenclawska*). “My first national tour! I can’t believe I get to be here.” Recently: *The Importance of Being Earnest* (Shakespeare NJ), *Twelfth Night* (TheatreSquared), *The Far Country* (Yale Rep), *Doomers* (BCTR), *A Christmas Carol* (ASF), *Macbeth* (Double Feature Plays). Rutgers MGSA. “Thank you HCKR. A BIG I love you to my family and friends.” @irokpink. Child of God. Jesus adores you.