

## Meet Christelle Dreyer on our Actor's Board



Christelle lives with a condition called Osteogenesis Imperfecta (01) Born and raised in Cape Town, Christelle obtained her Baccalaureus Technologiae in Graphic Design in 2011 from the Cape Peninsula University of Technology. As a designer she creates identities, advertising and branding for many companies.

Acting and modelling are notoriously fickle industries often trading on perfection. With the competitiveness of the modelling world today, many disabled models may be overlooked. At Martez Model Management, we challenge the status quo by offering all our models the same opportunities, whether disabled or able bodied. It's through brilliant minds like Christelle's that we remember the words of Stephen Hawking's "Disability need not be an obstacle to success."

We applaud Christelle for being a talented, inspiring, go-getter and role model in society. As Christelle looks forward to growing as an artist, we at MMM say May she continue living the life of her dreams and shining bright like a diamond while at it.

Performance:

2007 – 1st place in Ballroom and Latin Holland World Championships.

Remix Integrated Dance Project with Nicola Elliott and Malcom Black. 2014 – Performer at Uni Global Union Woman's Conference.

Partaking in Axis Dance Company Intensive (USA, California)

Baxter Theatre Play Marat/Sade Directed by Jaco Bouwer. A receipt of the cultural Affairs Award from the Western Cape Government.

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