

# Speech Adjudicator

## Sydney Sengotta

Originally from Vernon BC, Sydney has traveled across Canada performing, adjudicating, and educating. From a young age, he began performing in local theatre, festivals and competitions. This passion led his career to performing on stage, building his skills through multiple educational institutions, and running a performance academy.

Sydney has an ACTL Diploma in Performing Speech and Drama from the Trinity College of London, a Diploma of Performing Arts from The Canadian College of Performing Arts, and a Masters in International and Intercultural Communication from Royal Roads University. He has worked with many theatre companies throughout his career such as The Royal Theatre in Barkerville, the Rocky Mountaineer Rail Tour, and Viva Musica. He has performed in Canada Day Celebrations in Vancouver, Victoria, Toronto, and Ottawa, and has adjudicated for the BC Provincial Festival in Campbell River.

For the past 13 years, Sydney has been training students of all ages to improve their confidence on and off stage. He has worked in Vancouver, Place Des Artes in Coquitlam, Gotta Act Theatre Company Kamloops, and is the current director of Vita Artes Performance Academy in Vernon.

Sydney is excited to adjudicate for the CDMF Performing Arts Festival and looks forward to watching all the talented performers this year.

