

# **Leslie-Payton Alston**

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I am seeking jobs that utilize and enhance all aspects of the performing arts. I am a leader who is dependable, hard-working, creative, open-minded and I work well with others.

#### **PERFORMANCE**

# New York University, New York, New York

• Pippin, u/s Fastrada and ensemble

### **54 Below**, New York, New York

- The Alan Menken and Howard Ashman Tribute ft Jana Djenne, Juwan Crawley and etc.
- "Cloud 9" The Steinhardt Class of '24 ft Elena Shaddows
- "HBCU in Love" ft Ceciley Davis and etc. with Darnell White as the Music Director

# The Green Room 42, New York, New York

- "Love Sick" ft 24K Theater Co.
- "The Music of Steven Universe" Music Director, Aidan Wells

### Claflin University, Orangeburg, South Carolina

- Shorts and Sweets, Bake-Off, the role of Rita
- The Colour of Music Festival (Chorus), Mobile, Alabama
- Handel's Messiah
- The Christmas Cantata

#### **EDUCATION**

Claflin University, Orangeburg, South Carolina — Bachelors Degree in Music, Minor in Education, May 2022

New York University, New York, New York — Masters Degree in Vocal Performance Musical Theatre, May 2024

#### **COACHING & OTHER SKILLS**

Voice - Ana Flavia Zuim, Darius Gillard, Jolene Flory

Acting -Lee Summers, Cedric Rembert, Rona Siddiqui, David Alpert, Devon Meddock, Elena Shaddows

Private Piano Studies-Eunjung Choi, Betsey Carraway

Dance-Maximilian Baud, Miss Libby's School of Dance, Miss Caroline Mack School of Dance

#### REFERENCES

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