



Sylvia Rands

Hair	Blonde - Dark
Eyes	Blue
Height	6'0" / 184 cm
DOB	1958

FEATURE FILM

- 2019** **Cousins, 'Mrs Parkinson'**
Miss Whenua Ltd, Dir: Ainsley Gardiner & Briar Grace Smith
- 2017** **Into the Rainbow, 'Gini'**
TR Media, Dir: Norman Stone
- 2008** **Second Hand Wedding, 'Victoria'**
Garage Sale Productions, Dir: Paul Murphy
- 2007** **When the Night Falls, 'Mrs. Jacobs'**
Galvanized Films, Dir: Alex Galvin
- 1994** **Bonjour Timothy, 'Mary Taylor'**
CINAR, Dir: Wayne Tourell

TELEVISION

- 2019** **The Wilds (pilot), 'Mrs Rhonda Wolfe'**
Amazon, Dir: Susanna Fogel
- 2016** **Top of the Lake: season II - China Girl, 'Polly Hanlon'**
See-Saw (TOTL2) Productions Pty Ltd
- 14-15** **Shortland Street, 'Gloria Springer (recurring)'**
South Pacific Pictures, Dir: Various directors
- 2014** **When We Go To War, 'Hettie Smith'**
Jump Film & TV Ltd, Dir: Peter Burger
- 2013** **Nothing Trivial: season III, 'Jocelyn (recurring)'**
South Pacific Pictures, Dir: Various directors
- 2013** **Shortland Street, 'Gloria Springer (recurring)'**
South Pacific Pictures, Dir: Various directors
- 2011** **Good Parents. Bad Law, 'Social Worker'**
Family First New Zealand Inc
- 2010** **Go Girls: season III, 'Lynette'**
South Pacific Pictures, Dir: Various directors
- 2006** **The Hothouse, 'Kate'**
Gibson Group, Dir: Danny Mulheron & Nathan Price
- 1998** **Shortland Street, 'Fran West'**
South Pacific Pictures, Dir: Various directors
- 1994** **The Neighbourhood Network, 'Cassandra (core cast)'**
Tucker Films, Dir: Mike Smith

1993	Standing in the Sunshine, 'Featured' TVNZ, Dir: Gaylene Preston
1993	White Fang, 'Jessica Barnett' Pacific Pictures, Dir: Various directors
1993	Mrs Piggie-Wiggle, 'Mrs La Boeuf' Pacific Pictures, Dir: Various directors
1993	Give Us a Clue, 'Sketch Performer' TV3
1992	Homeward Bound, 'Susan Johnson (core cast)' Isambard / Comunicado
1991	Matrons of Honour, 'Chris' Meridian Films, Dir: Pat Robbins
1991	Marlin Bay, 'Susan Harper' South Pacific Pictures, Dir: Peter Sharp
1990	Undercover (tele feature), 'Nancy' Gibson Group, Dir: Yvonne McKay
1990	Black Beauty, 'Claire Pentland' Isambard, Dir: Mike Smith
1989	Gloss, 'Maria Klein' TVNZ, Dir: Various directors
1989	The Lake, 'Tally's Mother' Atlantis Film, Dir: Pat Robbins
1988	Hotshotz, 'Professor Nina Van Hull (lead)' Deco / TVNZ, Dir: Stephen La Hood
1988	Shark in the Park, 'Margaret Eastwood' TVNZ, Dir: David Copeland
1986	Open House, 'Laura' TVNZ, Dir: Ginette MacDonald
1985	Heart of the High Country, 'Marie' Phillips-Whitehouse Channel 4, Dir: Sam Pillsbury
1985	Danny & Raewyn, 'Trish' Hibiscus Films, Dir: Gregor Nicholas
1984	Hanlon, 'Polly Hanlon (lead)' TVNZ, Dir: Wayne Tourell
1983	The Garden Party, 'Mother' Vid-com, Dir: Alan Lindsay
1982	Against the Law, 'Mrs McMahon' TVNZ, Dir: Alan Lindsay

PRESENTING

1983	Over the Wall & Out, 'Presenter' TVNZ, Dir: Ross Johnson
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THEATRE

2014	Royals of Kihikihi, 'Mum's Friend' TAPAC / Q Theatre, Dir: Zinnie Selwyn
2012	A Shortcut to Happiness, 'Laura' Auckland Theatre Company, Dir: Alison Quigan
2010	The House of Bernada Alba, 'Poncia' Phundmi Productions / TAPAC, Dir: Margaret-Mary Hollins
2008	The Tempest, 'Prospero' Peripiteia Productions, Dir: Stuart Devenie
2007	Two Brothers, 'Angela' Circa Theatre, Dir: Bruce Phillips

2006	Brimstone & Treacle Toi Whakaari, Dir: Sally Richards
2002	A Bit on the Side Cabaret Shakespeare
2001	The Queen's Project Monkey's Wedding Productions, Dir: Anthony Skuse
2000	Vagabonds, 'Adelaide Foley' Shebang: NZ Women's Playwrights Festival, Dir: Annie Ruth
1996	Rands Across the Water, 'Chekov / Moliere (Self devised / Solo performance)' International Festival of Arts / North Island tour
1995	Tusitala: House of Spirits, 'Fanny Vandergrift' Taki Rua Theatre, Dir: Justine Simey-Barton
1995	The Sisters Rosensweig, 'Pfeni' Circa Theatre, Dir: Catherine Downes
1994	Singapore Shakespeare: The Merchant of Venice, 'Portia' Prometheus Productions, Dir: Damien Parker
1994	Singapore Shakespeare: Midsummer Nights Dream, 'Titania' Prometheus Productions, Dir: Damien Parker
1994	Singapore Shakespeare: Macbeth, 'Witch' Prometheus Productions, Dir: Damien Parker
1994	The Sisters Rosensweig, 'Pfeni' Circa Theatre, Dir: Catherine Downes
1994	Into the Woods, 'Stepmother / Granny / Giant' Watershed Theatre, Dir: Simon Bennett
1993	Singapore Shakespeare: King Lear, 'Cordelia / Fool' Prometheus Productions, Dir: Damien Parker
1992	Such Sweet Thunder, 'Various (Self devised / Solo performance)' Southern Regional Arts Council tour
1991	Such Sweet Thunder, 'Various (Self devised / Solo performance)' NZ National tour
1991	Such Sweet Thunder, 'Various (Self devised / Solo performance)' Central Regional Arts Council tour
1991	The Merchant of Venice, 'Portia' Mercury Theatre, Dir: Michael Hurst
1990	Such Sweet Thunder, 'Various (Self devised / Solo performance)' Mercury Theatre
1990	Such Sweet Thunder, 'Various (Self devised / Solo performance)' NZ International Festival of Arts, Dir: Nick Blake & Sylvia Rands
1990	Cat on a Hot Tin Roof, 'Mae' Mercury Theatre, Dir: Jan Pettejohns
1990	The Threepenny Opera, 'Mrs Peachum' Inside-Out Theatre, Dir: Mike Mizrahi
1989	Our Country's Good, 'Duckling' Mercury Theatre, Dir: David Coddington
1989	The Rover, 'Florinda' Mercury Theatre, Dir: Raymond Hawthorne
1988	Les Liaisons Dangereuses, 'Marquise de Merteuil' Downstage Theatre, Dir: Colin McColl
1988	Jones & Jones, 'Katherine Mansfield' Downstage Theatre, Dir: Colin McColl
1988	Rivers of China, 'Rahel/Lidia' Downstage Theatre, Dir: Catherine Downes

1987	Trojan Women, 'Hecuba' Outdoor Auckland Domain, Dir: Sarah Peirse
1986	Bedfellows, 'Carol' Prospero Company, Dir: Ken Blackburn
1985	One for the Road, 'Gila' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Paul Minifie
1985	Torch Song Trilogy, 'Laurel' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Murray Lynch
1985	Tom & Viv, 'Viv' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Paul Minifie
1985	Fen, 'Val' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Sarah Peirse
1985	Change of Heart, 'Ash' Mercury Theatre, Dir: Paul Sonne
1984	Cabaret, 'Fraulein Kost' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Raymond Hawthorne
1984	Three Sisters, 'Natasha' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Raymond Hawthorne
1984	Top Girls, 'Joyce / Isabella Bird / Mrs. Kidd' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Sarah Peirse
1984	A Winter's Tale, 'Paulina' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Roger McGill
1982	Female Parts, 'Maria' Fortune Theatre, Dir: Jane Waddell
1982	We Can't Play We Won't Play, 'Antonia' Fortune Theatre, Dir: Richard Mudford
1982	The Philanthropist, 'Araminta' Fortune Theatre, Dir: Tony Richardson
1981	First Return, 'Christine' Maidment Theatre, Dir: Mervyn Thompson
1981	The Elephant Man, 'Mrs Kendal' Court Theatre, Dir: Elric Hooper
1981	Foreskin's Lament, 'Moirá' Court Theatre, Dir: Elric Hooper
1981	Lady's Not for Burning, 'Jennet Jourdemayne' Court Theatre, Dir: Stuart Devine
1981	The Fantastics, 'Eve Hucklebee' Fortune Theatre, Dir: Tony Richardson
1981	Day in the Death of Jo Egg, 'Sheila' Fortune Theatre, Dir: Tony Richardson
1981	The Oldest Profession, 'Prostitute 1' Fortune Theatre, Dir: Richard Mudford
1980	Good Soldier Schweyk, 'Company' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Paul Minifie
1980	Twelfth Night, 'Olivia' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Raymond Hawthorne
1980	Metamorphoses, 'Mrs Samsa' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Paul Minifie
1980	Phaedra, 'Chorus' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Raymond Hawthorne
1979	The Seagull, 'Masha' Theatre Corporate, Dir: Raymond Hawthorne

1979 **Richard the Third, 'Lady Anne'**
Theatre Corporate, Dir: Raymond Hawthorne

SHORT FILM

2006 **Graduation Shorts, 'Featured'**
Wellington Film School

2005 **Graduation School, 'Featured'**
Wellington Film School

2005 **Recall, 'Martha Trollop'**
Angela Walsh Productions, Dir: Michael Noonan

1991 **Moonrise, 'Cheryl Kanziora'**
Tucker Films, Dir: David Blythe

1988 **Zilch, 'Melissa'**
Zee Films, Dir: Richard Riddiford

1983 **Hotel Hitler, 'Featured'**
Dir: David Blythe

SKILLS

- Baseball
- Body Boarding
- Director
- Full Licence
- Cello
- Piano
- Recorder
- Physical Theatre
- Sailing
- Singer
- Alto
- Soprano
- Swimming
- Table Tennis
- Tennis
- Theatre Sports

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