

**HEIGHT:** 188cm  
**HAIR:** brown  
**EYES:** brown  
**WEB:** <http://tomknowles1.wix.com/tomk>



**BACKGROUND**

Tom has toured NZ and Australia extensively including the NZ tour of GREASE, Saturday Night Fever, SEED, Hinepau and Live Live Cinemas international tour of Little Shop of Horrors. Tom has written his own multi award winning rock opera, ALLERGIC TO LOVE: curse of the 80's, which has toured to America, Mexico and throughout NZ. Tom travelled to London to intern on several West End musicals including We will Rock You and had his London debut in Covent Garden with a 40 piece orchestra. He has also appeared on TV in The Brokenwood Mysteries, The Maori Sidesteps, Countdown and American Express commercials and most recently starred in the Export beer ad which featured the award winning song Im drinking it for you. Tom is a graduate of Toi Whakaari: the NZ Drama school. Other credits include SECOND UNIT- What Will You Do in The Shadows, Cringe Worthy!, Public Service Announcements, in which Tom has impersonated Simon Bridges for the past 4 years, ATC's Guys and Dolls, Stag Weekend and many more.

D.O.F.T.	ROLLOVER	PRODUCT	ROLE	TERRITORY	COMPANY/VENUE	DIRECTOR
<b>TV COMMERCIALS</b>						
02 / 2019		EXPORT GOLD LOW CARB	Hero	NZ	The Sweet Shop	Damien Shatford
06 / 2018		COUNTDOWN	Masterchef Boyfriend	NZ	Y&R NZ	Matt Kamen
04 / 2018		AMERICAN EXPRESS	Crib Dad	Worldwide	Cherokee Films	Lance Accord
04 / 2018	2019	AMERICAN EXPRESS	Crib Couple	Worldwide	Cherokee Films	Lance Accord

**TRAINING**

2010 - Writing and Performing Rock Band workshop  
 2010 - Vocals on Stage  
 2011 - Voice for Radio - Radio NZ  
 2011 - Casting Auditions workshop with Tina Cleary  
 2011 - Vocals in Jazz  
 2012 - Musical Theatre Singing  
 2012 - Voice for Film  
 2013 - Internship in London's West End

**RELEVANT SKILLS**

Highly Skilled - Cricket, Rugby, Drums, Guitar, Bass, Singing, Trumpet. Basic - Ballet. Full Drivers License. Accents - Standard American, Cockney, Australian, Kiwi, Scottish, English RP  
 Guest Tutor at Massey University Acting Program  
 Guest Acting Tutor at Marlborough Girls College