



DiGiTHEATRE

VIRTUAL SHOWCASE

from Cal Poly Pomona Department of Theatre & New Dance

ROAD TO NORMAL Reading Cast

SERENA (TRAGIC HERO).....	ROSLYNN GLASCO
SAM (SHREW, MENTOR, GODDESS).....	BRIANA RALSTON
BRIDGET (FINAL GIRL).....	ERIN BORDENAVE
MICHELLE (MANIC PIXIE DREAM GIRL).....	SAMANTHA KERNAGHAN
MIKAYLA (GENTLE GIANT, OBSERVER).....	SAMANTHA BROWN
JAY (BAD BOY, REBEL, LOVABLE ROGUE).....	JASON GONZALEZ
REUBEN (IMPOSTER/PRETENDER, CORRUPTER).....	LUKE TEERLING
NATHAN(NERD, NOBLE SAVAGE, LONER).....	JULIAN CARRASCO
KEN (LOYALIST, ELDERLY MASTER).....	KEVIN GONZALEZ

Playwright.....Felisha Norman
Director.....Michael T. Kachingwe

Thank you to our industry professionals who cast this reading and mentored our students!

FELISHA NORMAN

Producer, Writer, Director and Acting Coach and a strong business development professional skilled in Operations Management, Finance Business & Legal Affairs including administering contracts as a member of the Warner Bros. Theatrical Unit where they have produced stage productions of *Beetlejuice*, *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* and *Misery*. Additionally, Felisha has an MFA in acting and has accomplished roles such as Louise in *Gypsy*, Steele in *A Piece of My Heart*, Fannie in *Flyin' West*, title roles in *Lysistrata*, *House of Bernarda Alba* and *Keely and Du*. Felisha is managing director of Shaka Originals which produced the NAACP nominated stage play *Misery Street* which was nominated for several awards and walked away with Best Ensemble Cast award. Currently, Felisha and writing partner Nicci Bates (NORMAN BATES CO) co-produce and co-write for the YouTube series *Just Jackie*.

PAUL MABON

is an actor from Chicago, Illinois. Since being cast in his first play, by professor and mentor Michael T. Kachingwe in the early 90's, Paul has been acting professionally in Los Angeles, California. His television credits include *Insecure*, *Superstore*, *Criminal Minds*, *Brooklyn Nine-Nine*, and *Def Poetry Jam*. Currently, Paul plays the character 'Alan' in the Progressive Insurance commercial franchise and can be seen in the Harrison Ford movie, *Call of the Wild*. Imdb.me/paulmabon

NICCI BATES

Received her BFA in Acting from Northern Illinois University. She has been doing theatre since the age of 6. Nicci is best known for creating her own web-series, *Just Jackie*, that she produces, co-writes, and plays the lead in. She can be seen in several National Commercials.

DAVID IHRIG

David is an actor, a teacher, and an acting coach. He is a founding member of The Artistic Brain at UCI, and designed the university's first interdisciplinary course on the 'Science of Acting.' David is developing innovative concepts for 'The Actor's Laboratory' to better bridge the art of acting with the science of the brain. He is currently advancing the use of predictive technology with brain-based writing methodologies towards the generation of best practices in character development for actors and story development for writers.

