

HOOKMAN

Playwright: Lauren Yee
Director: Jennifer Eve Thorn

Run Time: 1 hour 10 minutes

Scenic Design Reiko Huffman*
Costume Design..... Taylor S. Payne*
Lighting Design..... Ashley Bietz*
Sound Design..... Charles Ritter
Dramaturg:..... Chris Ikemeier
Stage Manager Hannah Beerfas

CAST

Lexi Kennedy Garcia
Jess Dominique Payne
Yoonji..... Laura Ngyuen
Chloe Annie Barrack
Sean/Adam/Hookman Ryan Stubo
Kayleigh Laura Sandoval-Rivas
Guides Tom Block, Diana Ing,
Noah Leach, Noelle Mortensen, Devin Robbins

*MFA Design & Technology Theatre Student

Jennifer Eve Thorn is a co-Founder and the current Executive Artistic Director of MOXIE Theatre, San Diego's award-winning theatre dedicated to producing women's work www.moxietheatre.com Previous directing credits at MOXIE include *Dog Act (w/ Delicia Turner Sonnenberg,)* *Fall*, *Devil Dog Six (w/ Esther Emery)*, *Victoria Martin-Math Team Queen* (Patte Award for Outstanding Direction), *The Sugar Syndrome*, *Drink Me (w/ Delicia Turner Sonnenberg,)* *Expecting Isabel*, *The Crucible (w/ Intrepid Theatre Company)* and *Coming Attractions (w/ Jo Anne Glover,)* *Hickorydickory*, *Mud Blue Sky*, *Enron*, *Lesson 443*, *Our Lady of Kibeho*, *The Revolutionists*, *Ironbound*, *The Madres (w/ Maria Patrice Amon)* and *Herland*. Thorn's stage adaptation of the national best selling book, *First They Killed My Father*, was staged and produced at the La Jolla Museum of Contemporary Art, raising over \$500,000 for landmine victims in Cambodia. She is a recipient of a Global Leadership Award for Risk-Taking using the art of theatre.



Many thanks to the women of MOXIE, Matt, Penny and Fox, for your faith in me and love.

CAST: WHO'S WHO



Kennedy Garcia

Kennedy is thrilled to have the opportunity to play the role of Lexi! She is a fourth year performance emphasis student, who's most recent credits include Flor in *Más*, Conchita in *Anna in the Tropics*, and Nasreen in *Anon(ymous)*. She would like to thank her mom and sister for always supporting her dreams, and Matthew for always pushing her to be the best she can be.



Dominique Payne

Dominique is a first-year theatre and musical theatre major, with an emphasis in performance. Theatre for Dominique has always been an outlet for self-expression and it has allowed to her to bring the stories of others to life. She has had the opportunity of being a part of three plays on San Diego State's campus, with *Hookman* being her second department show and her first acting opportunity through the theatre department. Dominique has

her sights set on going to graduate school and obtaining an MFA in acting, as well as focusing on playwriting. But for now, Dominique is hoping to grow as an actress and writer here at SDSU and plans on making the best memories of her undergraduate experience.



Laura Ngyuen

With a double major in film production and theatre performance, Laura Nguyen is undoubtedly proud to have survived the past 3.5 years here at SDSU and beyond thrilled and grateful to play Yoonji. Besides her passions for acting and directing films, Nguyen also enjoys frequent naps, binge-eating, and moving as little as possible. She dreams to someday prove relevant to society and honor her family's name, or at least to amount to something. Although being an actress or film director would be nice, too.



Annie Barrack

Annie Barrack is in her second year

CAST: WHO'S WHO

at San Diego State University. She is a theatre performance major and was most recently seen as the "Hurry" soloist in Leonard Bernstein's *Mass* and as Grace in the new musical *'Till Death Do Us Part*. She is loving her time at SDSU and is excited for the rest of her time here!



Laura Sandoval-Rivas

As a first-year theatre performance major, Laura is so excited to be a part of *Hookman* as her first mainstage production at San Diego State. Laura has participated in various theatre productions back home in the Bay Area and was a part of the American Conservatory Theatre's teen cabaret in San Francisco. She would like to thank her sister for always supporting her and her friends and roomies for being her family away from home.



Ryan Stubo

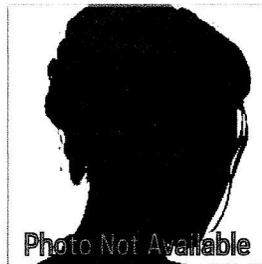
Ryan Stubo is a senior graduating this Spring. While at SDSU he has previously

been in *Doctor Faustus Lights the Lights*, *Incarcerated Men Getting Over Obstacles Daily*, *Guadalupe in the Guest Room*, and *Màs*. He would like to thank the director, cast, and crew for such a great experience working on this show, and he's grateful to his friends, brothers, and parents for all of their support and encouragement.



Tom Block

Tom is in his last semester at SDSU. Over the past ten years, he has played such roles as Petruchio in *The Taming of the Shrew*, Tybalt in *Romeo and Juliet*, Al Joad in *The Grapes of Wrath*, and Cassius in *Julius Caesar*. He hopes that you enjoy this wonderful staging of *Hookman*.



Diana Ing

Diana is graduating this Spring with a Bachelor's degree in Theatre, in hopes of becoming a Theatre teacher. She is also a part of the Team Lighting crew here at SDSU. She is excited to be back on stage

CAST: WHO'S WHO

for her first performance here at SDSU. She hopes that you all enjoy the show and have a wonderful time.



Noah Leach

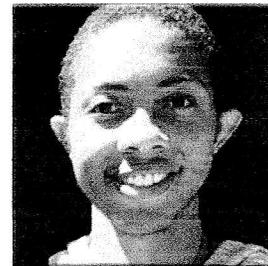
This is Noah Leach's first main stage production at SDSU. A second year Acting and Musical Theatre Major at State, Noah's credits include: *To Be Alive* (Doug)/*The Little Mermaid* (Ursula)/*Giles Andre* (*The Phantom of the Opera*)/*12 Angry Men* (Juror No. 9) and various drag shows at State. He would like to thank Director Jen Thorn for giving him the opportunity to be a part of SDSU's goriest feat yet; additionally, for her support and understanding.



Noelle Mortensen

Noelle Mortensen is second year Theatre major with an emphasis in performance acting. This is her first show at SDSU and is very grateful for the experience. Other credits include shows at the Seattle Children's Theatre and being a summer intern at the La

Jolla Playhouse. Catch her this season as a member of the Pad Squad for the San Diego Padres! She is very excited and happy to have *Hookman* be her first college production. Thanks to friends and family for the support.



Devin Robbins

Devin Robbins is a sophomore studying Theatre Arts here at SDSU. As an actor, he has participated in a couple of student films as well as a production called the *Playwright's Project*, which took place last year. With SDSU classes he has been able to do an abundance of acting, whilst studying techniques in lighting, sound, set design, and much more. *Hookman*, by Lauren Yee, is his first main stage SDSU production and he has thoroughly enjoyed being a part of it! He loves what he does and is glad that studying here has allowed him to utilize his skills in other facets of his life.

COMING SOON!

APR 26-MAY 3:

JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH

Don Powell Theatre

Tickets & Times: ttf.sdsu.edu