

YIJI ZHAO

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EDUCATION

Masters of Fine Arts in Acting, University of California, Los Angeles

B.A. Theater & Communication, University of Washington, Seattle

FILM

Take Care of Yourself*	Lead	UCLA/Dir. Xinzhong Zhao
Haircut	Lead	UCLA/Dir. Hanxiong Bo
Bird of Paradise	Lead	NYFA/Dir. Le Wang
Rest in Peace	Lead	UCLA/Dir. Zihan Nie
Normal Life	Supporting	UCLA/Dir. Liang Zhao

*LA Indie Film Festival Official Selection

TELEVISION

Sanity	Supporting	UCLA TV Pilot
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THEATRE

A Midsummer Night's Dream	Demetrius	University of California, Los Angeles	Ellen Lauren
Helen	Theoklymenos	University of California, Los Angeles	Michael Hackett
The Three Sisters	Fedotik	University of California, Los Angeles	J. Ed. Araiza
Beggar's Opera	Bailiff	University of Washington, Seattle	Wilson Milam
Life on the Praça Roosevelt	Mundo	University of California, Los Angeles	Marika Splint
Hold Your Dream	Peng Shengli	Beijing Plato Theater	Zhengling Sun
Dudu And Dada	Cun Zhang	Beijing Haidian Theater	Minghua Lee
The Girl from The French Fort	Peter/Fisherman	2016 Milan Expo	Minghua Lee

TRAINING

Suzuki Training	Ellen Lauren (SITI), and J. Ed. Araiza (SITI and UCLA)
Acting	Ellen Lauren and J. Ed. Araiza
Voice, Speech, and Dialects	Paul Wagar and Amy Chafee
Alexander Technique	Jean Louis Rodrigue
Shakespeare	Robert Beltran
Directing	Brian Kite
Acting for Camera	Michael Laskin
Dramaturgy	Jessica Kubzansky

SKILLS

Fluent Mandarin, Fluent Cantonese, British RP, Acoustic Guitar, Harmonica, Trumpet, Basketball, Virtual Environment Experience (Green Screen and Motion Capture),