

ESTEBAN ANDRES CRUZ

SAG-AFTRA/ AEA (They/Them)
Height: 5'7.5" Eyes: Brown Hair: Dark Brown

THEATRE

HALFWAY BITCHES	VENUS RAMIREZ	Atlantic Theatre, NYC, John Ortiz
THE MYSTERY OF IRMA VEP	LORD EDGAR/IRMA VEP	St. Louis Repertory, Nelson Ortiz
DOMESTICATED	RAQUEL VELASQUEZ	Steppenwolf Theatre, Bruce Norris
A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM	PUCK	Lyric Opera of Chicago, Neil Armfield
A STREETCA NAMED DESIRE	PABLO GONZALEZ	Writers Theatre, David Cromer
MOTHERFUCKER W THE HAT	COUSIN JULIO	Cygnets Theatre, SD, Rob Luty
RENT	ANGEL	American Theatre Co, David Cromer
INTO THE BEAUTIFUL NORTH	TACHO LARA	16 th Street Theatre, Miguel Nuñez
CHARM	ARIELA	Celebration Theatre, Michael Matthews
JESUS JOKES ABOUT MONSTERS	RYAN	16 th Street Theatre, Kristina Valada Viars
TIME IS ON OUR SIDE	RENE	About Face Theatre, Megan Carney
A BIG BLUE NAIL	OOQUAH	Victory Gardens Chicago, Loy Arcenas
ROMEO & JULIET	MERCUTIO	Theatre Classics Chicago, Hope Bell
THE COMEDY OF ERRORS	DROMIO OF SYRACUSE	Oak Park Festival Theatre, Jack Hickey
OKLAHOMA	ENSEMBLE	Theatre at the Center, Bill Pulinsi

*2020 Drama Desk Award Nomination – Best Featured Actor in *HALFWAY BITCHES GO STRAIGHT TO HEAVEN*

** 2009 Chicago Jeff Award Winner – Best Lead Actor

TELEVISION

SOUTH SIDE	GUEST STAR	COMEDY CENTRAL
EASY	GUEST STAR	NETFLIX
CHICAGO FIRE	RECURRING	NBC
IDIOTSITTER	CO-STAR	COMEDY CENTRAL
THE BRIDGE	CO-STAR	FX
YOU'RE THE WORST	CO-STAR	FX
AWKWARD	CO-STAR	MTV
SUPER CLYDE	GUEST STAR	CBS (Pilot)
CONNIE BANKS	CO-STAR	FX (Pilot)

FEATURE FILM

SPA NIGHT***	SUPPORTING	ANDREW AHN
VALLEY OF BONES	SUPPORTING	DAN GLASER
HAROLD & KUMAR 3D XMAS	SUPPORTING	TODD STAUSS-SCHULSON
THE THIN LINE	LEAD	NEIL THOMPSON
RATTLED	SUPPORTING	BRYAN WATKINS

***2017 Cassavetti Award Best Feature Independent Spirit Award, Sundance Film Festival Premiere

TRAINING

SCHOOL AT STEPPENWOLF	IMPROV (UCB, iO, Annoyance)	B.A. RHETORIC (UIUC) VAGONOVA &
CCECHETTI BALLET	MEISNER	KLEIN-MAHLER (DANCE)
TAYLOR-GRAHAM (DANCE)	VIEWPOINTS	SHAKESPEARE CONTEMPORARY
NATURALISM	CLASSICAL & JAZZ (VOCAL)	LICENSED MOTORCYCLIST

HONORS & SPECIAL SKILLS

2020 DRAMA DESK AWARD NOMINATION – BEST FEATURED ACTOR *Halfway Bitches Go Straight to Heaven*
2018 NATIONAL FOX ACTOR FELLOWSHIP AWARD WINNER, THEATRE COMMUNICATIONS GROUP
2009 BEST ACTOR JEFF AWARD – JESUS HOPPED THE A TRAIN (ANGEL CRUZ)

DANCER	JAZZ / CLASSICAL VOCALIST	SPANISH
CHOREOGRAPHER	COMPOSER	IMPROVISER
BLIND IN LEFT EYE	BASIC GUITAR / PIANO / UKULELE	WRITER