

# LAURA EKSTRAND

SAG-AFTRA / AEA

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5'7"/145 lbs.

red hair/green eyes

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## FILM

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FAT ASS ZOMBIES	<i>Mrs. Guest</i>	dir. George Bennett
SHELLY'S POSSESSED	<i>Donna</i>	dir. Max Rissman
SPLIT ENDS	<i>Samantha</i>	dir. Dorothy Lyman
HIGH ART	<i>Waitress</i>	dir. Lisa Cholodenko
I SHOT ANDY WARHOL	<i>Marilyn</i>	dir. Mary Harron
CHILDHOOD'S END	<i>Meg</i>	dir. Jeff Lipsky
THE COWBOY WAY	<i>Cellist</i>	dir. Gregg Champion

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## TELEVISION

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RAY DONOVAN	<i>Psychiatric Nurse</i>	Showtime
GUIDING LIGHT	<i>Maggie Ruthledge</i>	CBS-TV
HACK	<i>Renee</i>	CBS-TV
SEX AND THE CITY	<i>Barbara's Secretary</i>	HBO
LAW & ORDER	<i>Reporter</i>	NBC-TV
GUIDING LIGHT	<i>Nurse</i>	CBS-TV
LATE NIGHT WITH CONAN O'BRIEN	<i>Conan's Fiancee</i>	NBC-TV

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## NEW YORK THEATRE

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JESSICA ON THE CEILING	<i>dir. Eleanor Holdridge</i>	New Georges
THE MYTH PROJECT	<i>dir. Adrienne Weiss</i>	Naked Angels
PICK A WAR, ANY WAR	<i>dir. Shirley Kaplan</i>	Ensemble Studio Theatre
LOVE...OR WHATEVER	<i>dir. T. Burnett/J. Sales</i>	Creative Place Theatre
THE WAIT	<i>dir. Nick Mangano</i>	Samuel Beckett Theatre
THE LAST TEMPTATION OF ADRIAN LEVERKUEHN	<i>dir. Renee Philippi</i>	NADA
COMEDY	<i>dir. Nick Mangano</i>	45th Street Theatre

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## REGIONAL (representative roles)

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SISTER PLAY	<i>Anna</i>	Dreamcatcher Rep
RAPTURE, BLISTER, BURN	<i>Catherine</i>	Dreamcatcher Rep
MOTHERHOOD OUT LOUD	<i>Various</i>	Dreamcatcher Rep
SHAKESPEARE IN VEGAS	<i>Margot</i>	Dreamcatcher Rep
SHOOTING STAR	<i>Elena</i>	Dreamcatcher Rep
SOCIAL SECURITY	<i>Barbara</i>	Bickford Theatre
MY MOTHER, MY SISTER & ME	<i>Arlene</i>	Bickford Theatre
TOP GIRLS	<i>Marlene</i>	The Theater Project
AT THE BARRE	<i>Alice</i>	Luna Stage
BROKEN IN PARTS	<i>Actor</i>	Luna Stage
DEAR AMERICA	<i>Trudy</i>	Pushcart Players

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## EDUCATION

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YALE UNIVERSITY, B.A. IN THEATRE STUDIES

SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE, M.F.A. IN THEATRE

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## OTHER STUFF ABOUT ME

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Founder and Artistic Director of DREAMCATCHER REPERTORY THEATRE of Summit, NJ • Member, The Flip Side (Improv Comedy)

Host, LOCAL with Laura Ekstrand (podcast) • Member, Dramatists Guild • Singer and director • Accents, speak some French and Spanish

Jazz, Modern and Tap • Stage combat • Former casting associate • Certified Yoga Instructor • Mom