

Role: Ava Daniels

In her mid 20s, an entitled it-girl comedy writer who has fallen from grace. Raw and very good at making bad choices, she has impulse control issues and as a result has recently made herself almost unemployable and desperately needs a job. The only person who will give Ava anything vaguely resembling a break is veteran comedian Deborah Vance...**SERIES REGULAR**

Pages: Pilot Script / Sides

Material: Emailed

Read For: Self on Tape

Notes: SLATE that includes their NAME, HEIGHT, and BASED LOCATION.

PROJECT INFORMATION

Project: HACKS (HBO MAX)

Type: Pilot - 1/2 HR 1 Cam

Start Date: April 15, 2020

Wrap Date: April 29, 2020

Location: Los Angeles

Genre: Dark Comedy

Director: Lucia Aniello

Writers: Lucia Aniello, Paul W. Downs and Jen Statsky

Studio: Universal Television (UMS)

Network: HBO Max

Prod. Co.: Fremulon, 3 Arts Entertainment and Paulilu

Studio Executives: Lily Trotter

Producers: Mike Schur, Jen Statsky, Lucia Aniello, Paul W. Downs, David Miner and Morgan Sackett

Casting Director: Jeanne McCarthy and Nicole Abellera Hallman

Casting Associate: Anna Mayworm and Sasha Mercuri

BTL - LP: Morgan Sackett

BTL - Post Exec: John Smith

BTL - Exec: Jim McGee

Cast: Paul Downs is cast as Jimmy.

Storyline: DEBORAH VANCE is a self-made mogul and Las Vegas institution. She's a veteran comedienne, from the era when we still called them "comediennes." A star since the 70s, Deborah is a survivor with a capital S, but she can see the writing on the wall; she is slipping. AVA DANIELS is a hot young comedy writer with a big mouth, no filter whatsoever, and a long history of pissing off potential allies; she's not only slipping, she's circling the drain. When Deborah gives Ava a job, it begins a twisted dark mentorship that will set them both on the path to redemption...