

CASTING CALL

Chanh Sả Salon

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LOGLINE: *When her younger sister forces her to go to a nail salon, goody two shoes Trác unexpectedly finds belonging in a group of mythical misfits who teach her that “perfection” is a relative concept.*

LOCATION: San Jose, CA or Saratoga, CA

DATES: Main characters 6/23/2023-6/25/2023, supporting 6/24/2023-6/25/2023

Trác

[FEMALE] [LATE 20s] [MAIN]

LION DOG DEMON. Trác is highly educated, responsible, and some might even say “a goody two shoes.” She resists getting her nails painted to uphold her “perfect” image, but when she meets the cast of demons at Chanh Sả Salon, she realizes her perfectionism comes from a place of insecurity.

Lý

[FEMALE] [MID 20s] [MAIN]

LION DOG DEMON. A bubbly, passionate artist and Trác’s younger sister. She rejects her family’s pressure to be perfect, ultimately making her their “black sheep.” Still, connecting with others is no problem for her. She drags Trác to the salon, hoping to push her out of her comfort zone.

Huệ

[FEMALE] [MID 20s] [SUPPORTING]

CROW DEMON. Most people find her darkly formal aesthetic intimidating, and they believe her fortune-telling power will invite bad luck into their futures. But in reality, Huệ only wants to use her visions to help everyone solve their problems.

Duy

[MALE] [LATE 20s] [SUPPORTING]

CAT MONSTER. It's hard to tell who Duy really is, considering he always changes his personality to match his love interest's. His deep-seated fear of being alone causes him to sacrifice intimate parts of himself so he can find love.

Vân

[NONBINARY] [MID 20s] [SUPPORTING]

SHADOW GHOST. Vân will not stand for any disrespect toward the dead. If anyone living mocks a dead person, she will be quick to cause them suffering. Unfortunately, her revenge habit has cost her a precious relationship in the past.