

HIDDEN SPARKS CASTING CALL

UNPAID. Meals will be catered, transportation and other costs will be covered.

OVERVIEW: Roles available for micro-budget proof-of-concept short **HIDDEN SPARKS**, filming in Uptown, Minneapolis over the second and third weekends of August 2026. This is a collaborative project of the Minnesota Filmmakers Uptown meetup group. We will target local, regional, and special interest festivals and a few moon-shot larger festivals. More about us here: <https://www.meetup.com/mnfilm/>

LOGLINE: A conflicted Jewish doctor and a closeted former extremist face an existential crisis when the young man they failed to save seems stuck in a persistent vegetative state.

AVAILABLE ROLES:



ALAN (40s), co-lead

Compassionate, driven by justice, but quick to anger and unsure of his place in the world. Smaller stature. Will be needed for one full day, one half day, and one night.



PATRICK (early 20s), co-lead

Former extremist crumbling at the loss of the young man he loves, but led astray. Lean, average to tall, very short red hair (temporary color is OK). Will be needed for one full day, one half day, and one night.



RIVKA (70s), supporting

Defiantly joyful despite all that life has thrown at her. Mother to Alan and his prickly older brother, Ben. Smaller stature. Will be needed for one scene, no more than half a day.

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