## **Completeness Character Descriptions**

**Elliot** (M 25-35): A Computer Science grad student. Passionate, engaging, with an eye for precise detail on all things other than his relationships. Fiercely intelligent, inquisitive and demanding, he navigates his work with an open heart and his love life with an iron gate around it. While his ambition does dictate his decisions, he is not without vulnerability, and he possesses a great sense of (somewhat nerdy) humor to combat his anxiety. Be aware this character appears on stage in their underwear

**Molly** (F 25-35) - Molecular Biology grad student. Articulate, sharp, guarded, and incredibly passionate of her work. She has a deep love for what she studies and has allowed her relationships to fall by the wayside because of it. Holds those around her to a high standard, but infuses humor and a sweet cynicism into her interactions with others. An excellent listener with a sharp, independent spirit, she is ultimately in search of something more for herself. Be aware this character appears on stage in their underwear

## Lauren/Nell\* (F 25-35):

LAUREN - Computer Science grad student, Elliot's current girlfriend. Intelligent, analytical, and very sensitive to shifting energies. Desperately in love with Elliot, with a feral sense of protectiveness surrounding her heart. Fickle and irrational at times, she clings to her relationship with force, attempting to salvage a sinking ship with a constantly shifting arsenal of tactics.

NELL - Undergrad computer science student. Shy, open-hearted, and very intelligent. She has a lot of anxiety surrounding school and her future. She puts Elliot on an intellectual and emotional pedestal--she's been crushing on him all semester. Calculated and aware, she is excellent at reading a room and seizing the opportunities in front of her.

## Don/Franklin\* (M 25-35):

DON - Associate professor, MOLLY's Academic Advisor and lover. Obsessive, jealous, irrational and in need of control, he equates his relationship with Molly to his own self-worth. At his core, he is fragile and sweet, but his ego trumps all, and his insecurities manifest in passive aggressive, manic bursts.

FRANKLIN - A fellow biology grad student. Sweet, genuine, caring, and present, he rides on his intellect and natural charm, but is inexperienced when it comes to relationships. Unsure of his footing, he adopts a nervous energy around Molly. A natural follower, he always waits for the green light before making a move.

\*The roles of Lauren/Nell & Don/Franklin are typically double cast, however this will be decided during casting and the roles may be split.