1-YEAR INTERMEDIATE ACTING PROGRAM

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Andrew Licout is a New York City based actor. He has studied with The Barrow Group since 2023. Andrew earned his BFA from the North Carolina School of the Arts. He is a founder and director of 33SIX, a production company based in New York and Los Angeles.



Annie Ochitwa is a New York based actor and producer. Born and raised in Colorado, she has been a proud New Yorker for four years, and has been training at The Barrow Group for the past year and a half. When she isn't taking classes or working on short films, you'll probably find her running, seeing a play, or in the park with her dog, Mabel.



Devon LoConte is a New Jersey based actor and singer/songwriter. After graduating from Pepperdine University in 2022 with a BA in Psychology, he worked as a Clinical Assistant for Paradigm Treatment - an adolescent psychiatric treatment facility in Malibu, California. Although it was very rewarding work he decided he needed a change of scenery from the Los Angeles area, and in May of 2023, he moved to Columbia Falls, Montana, right outside Glacier National Park, and found work as a Youth Leader at the Eureka Montana Ranger Station. His interest in acting was spiked when he found early reruns of *Inside the Actor's studio* with James Lipton, and when deciding to move back home to New Jersey after his Montana seasonal work was complete, he signed up for an introductory acting class at The Barrow Group in November 2023. Shortly after the introductory class ended, he auditioned and enrolled in the 1-Year Intermediate Acting Program in January of this year, and is excited to showcase the acting tools he has learned. Some of his favorite playwrights are Sam Shepard, Leonard Melfi, David Mamet, and Sarah Kosar. When Devon isn't in his acting class, watching the New York Giants (hopefully not losing), or playing his guitar, you can find him painting, taking film photos on his Canon-AE1, or watching the latest episode of the comedy show Kill Tony.



Dimitry Sullivan is an aspiring actor with a passion for bringing stories to life. I thrive on exploring diverse characters and pushing creative boundaries. With a background in film and an eye for detail, I am eager to collaborate with industry professionals and take on challenging roles that resonate with audiences. Ready to make my mark in the TV/Film industry and continuously grow as a performer.



Erika Brito is a New Jersey raised actor. She has been studying at The Barrow Group since 2023 and has found a second family within the one year program. Erika has a passion for comedy and enjoys making others laugh. When she isn't making others laugh, she's spending time with her family and friends or traveling the world with her husband.



Isabella Ferregur Solis is a Cuban-Mexican actress who moved to New York in the summer of 2023. Her passion for acting and storytelling led her to The Barrow Group, where she has been training for one year. When she is not taking acting classes, she spends her time watching horror movies, chasing stray cats on the streets, and partaking in creative side quests like photography, videography, and arts and crafts. Her favorite scary movie is M. Night Shyamalan's *Signs*. Her go to comfort show is *The Office*.



Isha Gill is a NYC-based actress with roots in India, where she first fell in love with acting during an elementary school Christmas play. She recently completed The Barrow Group's One Year Intermediate Acting Program. When not in classes, creating short films with friends, or auditioning, Isha can be found taking dance classes, exploring new restaurants around the city, or enjoying a movie.



Jessie Wen is an emerging actor born and raised in New York City. Her journey into the world of acting began with her role in *Alphie*, a short student film written and directed by her sister, Ashley. Falling in love with the craft, Jessie decided to hone her skills by training with The Barrow Group, where she has been a dedicated student since 2023. When she's not in class, she's either creating YouTube videos for a local coral business based in Staten Island, NY (yes, you heard that right!) or cuddling with her furbaby, Alphie.



John Gilbert is a NYC-based actor and model. He recently completed The Barrow Group's One Year Intermediate Acting Program just after obtaining his BA from Fordham's Gabelli School of Business. Born and raised in Chattanooga, Tennessee, he's performed on stage both theatrically and musically across the country and internationally. When he's not performing, you can find him coaching fitness classes at Orangetheory or watching reality TV.



Leslie McNabb is a former ballet dancer who began training with The Barrow Group in 2023, and received her first lead actor credit in 2024 for the short film, *Seventy-Four*. Besides acting, she teaches Pilates and Restorative Exercise at PIVOT, a studio she founded in 2016. Her fantasy dinner party guests include Carol Burnett and Kermit the Frog.



Rachel Massini is a Hudson Valley, NY actress and aspiring singer. She recently completed The Barrow Group's beginning acting I & II, and the 1-Year Intermediate Acting Program. She recently worked as a background actor in Smile 2. When she's not performing she enjoys working out, singing, playing piano, and walking dogs!



Raouia Essafi is a NYC based actor with a background in healthcare. She has recently completed The Barrow Group's One Year Intermediate Acting Program. When she is not auditioning, she is creating short films with friends and writing sci-fi stories.



Toni Watterson is a NYC-based actor and playwright. She has greatly enjoyed her time at The Barrow Group and is grateful for the opportunity to further her education following her years at Sarah Lawrence College and the British American Drama Academy. Originally from Cleveland, Ohio, Toni moved to Manhattan in 2022 and has appeared in a number of plays, short films, web series, and audio dramas. Recent credits include *LOVE, LOSS, AND WHAT I WORE* (Amanda & Liz's Younger Sister), *THE DEFENSE* (Lori), and *PICASSO AT THE LAPIN AGILE* (Suzanne). She is a member of The Department of Fools, a NYC-based commedia troupe, and will be presenting one of her original scripts, *Mr. Griffin, Ms. Taylor,* at the Broom Tree Theatre this November.