



# Manitoba Theatre for Young People

## AUDITION NOTICE

Manitoba Theatre for Young People is in search of adult actors for:

### **FROZEN RIVER**

By Michaela Washburn, Carrie Costello and Joelle Peters

**Directed by Ann Hodges**

Part of our 2020/2021 Season

Rehearsal Begins: January 29, 2021  
Previews: February 15 – 17, 2021  
Tour Begins: February 18, 2021  
Mainstage Run: April 22 – May 2, 2021  
Tour Resumes: May 3 - 16, 2021  
Possible Extension: May 17 – 30, 2021

*Equity, diversity and inclusion are factored into every casting decision at MTYP. We encourage submissions from artists of all genders, ethnicities and abilities.*

**AUDITIONS & CALLBACKS: Wednesday, June 3 & Thursday, June 4, 2020.**

We will be holding auditions and callbacks through Zoom and information will be sent out along with audition times. Should provincial regulations change and allow for live auditions, accommodations will be made as necessary.

NOTE: As this is a new play, a draft of the script will be available to read after April 28, 2020.

Please request a copy by emailing at [kgerman@mtyp.ca](mailto:kgerman@mtyp.ca).

The sides will be available on Friday, May 1, 2020 on MTYP's website [www.mtyp.ca](http://www.mtyp.ca).

### **CHARACTER DESCRIPTIONS**

**EILIDH/EL/ELLA** The one who is busy trying to do. A young Scottish girl. El is quick to take action and tries to help when she thinks something needs to be changed.

**TIPEEMSO/TIP** The one who looks to see. A young Cree person. Tip watches and takes everything in. They are quick to pick up language and understands the importance of patience and observation.

**MOON** is herself. She remains the constant in the world. Moving through her phases and cycles. Sometimes fast, sometimes slow, and sometimes so subtle that we don't clock her disappearance. And when it's a new moon, perhaps we only hear her. The actor playing the moon also takes on the characters of nature when the moon is not present in the scene due to the time of day.

**Please submit Headshot and Resume in PDF format and indicate which role you would like to audition for by Monday, May 11, 2020, to [casting@mtyp.ca](mailto:casting@mtyp.ca).**

Auditions will be by appointment only. Successful applicants will be contacted to schedule an audition time.

*Canadian Actors Equity Association members will be seen first at all open audition calls.  
CAEA members: please provide your membership information on your submission.*