



Hello! Thank you so much for tuning in to Beckett's Babies. We are so happy that you joined us! Every episode, we would love to attach a playwriting exercise that we love or from find helpful as a resource so that you can go forth and start writing your own play! Below is a playwriting exercise from guest Monica Trausch! Grab a notebook and a pen or your laptop computer and let's get started!

Monica's Favorite Playwriting Exercise

Favorite writing exercise: This was taught to me by Brooke Berman.

In the early stages of writing, when you are developing your characters, draw a picture of your character(s). What do they look like? What do they wear? How does their hair look? What little details about them are special and can be included in your drawing. Even if you aren't a great visual artist, it's fun to look at your character in a new way.

About Monica Trausch

Monica Trausch is a playwright and screenwriter originally from Los Angeles, currently based in Brooklyn. Her plays have been seen in New York, Los Angeles, Singapore, and Cambodia.

To learn more about Monica and her work, visit her website at www.monicaTrausch.com

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