

Claud Spadafora (Puck) [She/TBD] is a multi-disciplinary art person, born and rooted in Hamilton, Ontario, and a second generation Calabrese settler living on stolen Haudenosaunee and Anishinabewaki land. Claud works in a lot of different mediums; as a theatre-maker and playwright; as a poet, actor, and musician; as a film-maker and digital artist. Claud believes in process-over-product art making, and in arts work that puts people and their well-being first. She has showcased her work at Hamilton Community Foundation's Women For Change and was a Top 5 finalist for the 2017 Emerge Media Awards. She was an Emerging Artist nominee at the 2020 Hamilton Arts Awards and won 2nd place in Factory Media Centre's 150 Seconds filmmaking contest. Claud is disabled and queer and she's passionate about making art about it. She's learning how to be a community-engaged artist, but isn't very good at it yet.