



# GAY BUT NOT TOO MUCH (Gay but not too gay; Gay, but just a little)

## Not So Weird



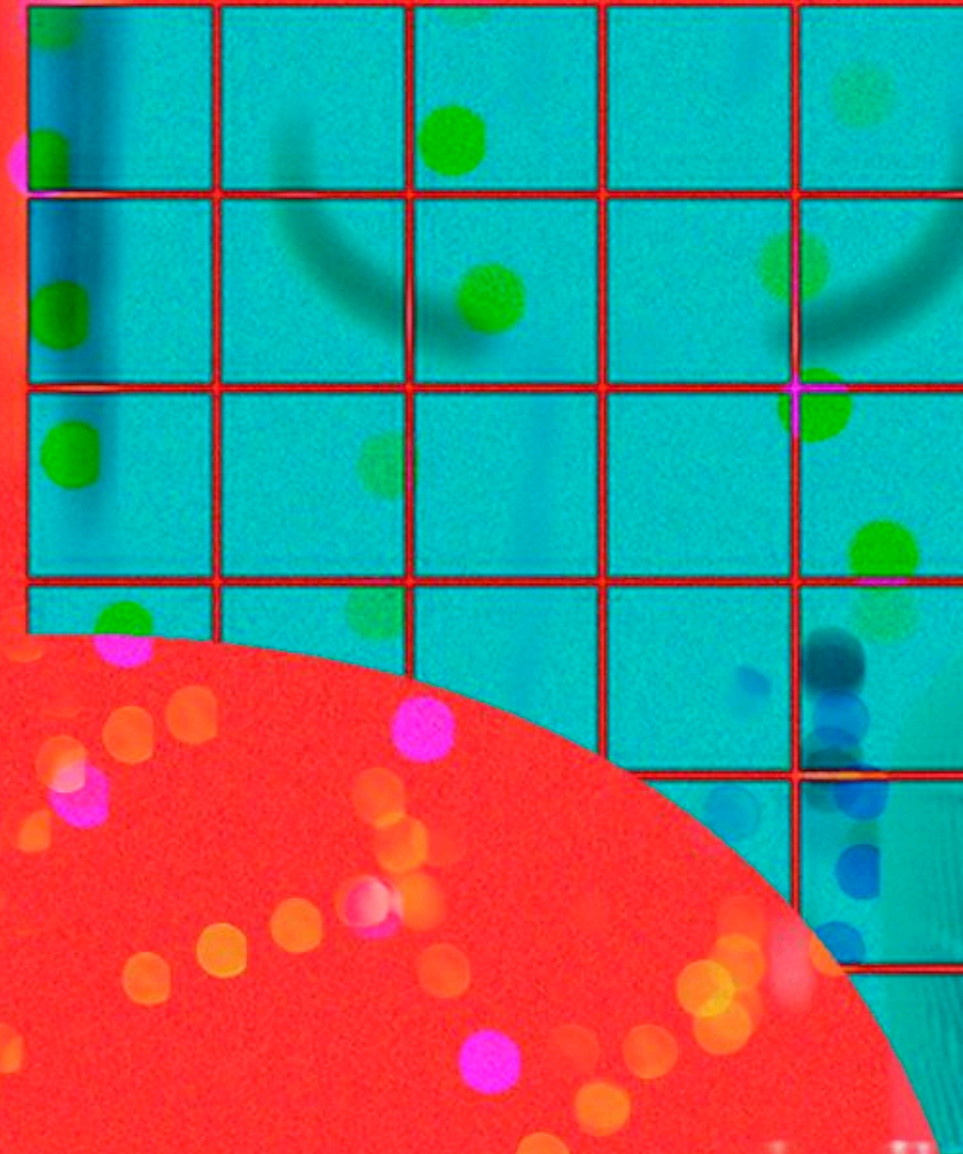
**TITLE:** Not So Weird  
**Daniel Leira Original Screenplay**  
**Genre:** Drama-Comedy.  
**Format:** Serial  
**Number of chapters:** 08 Episodes  
**Episode duration:** 42 min

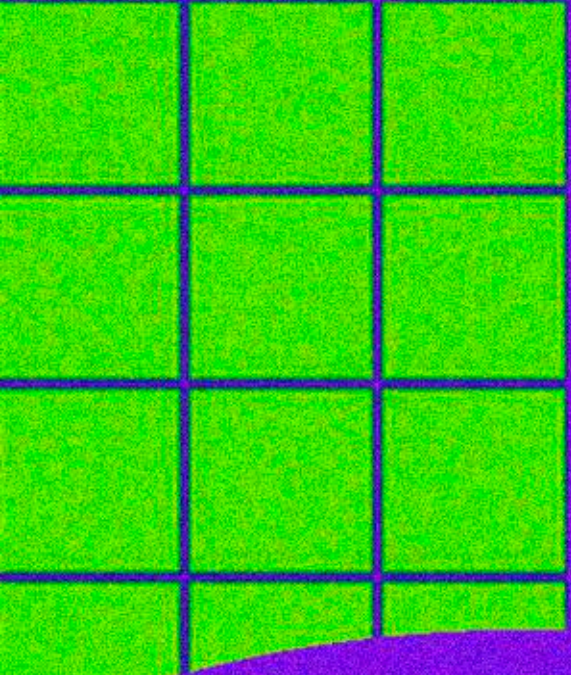
**THEME:** This is the story of a Hispanic couple who think they're open-minded, until "LGBT modernity" comes knocking on their door.

**REFERENCES:** La Casa de las Flores, Paquita Salas and The Office.

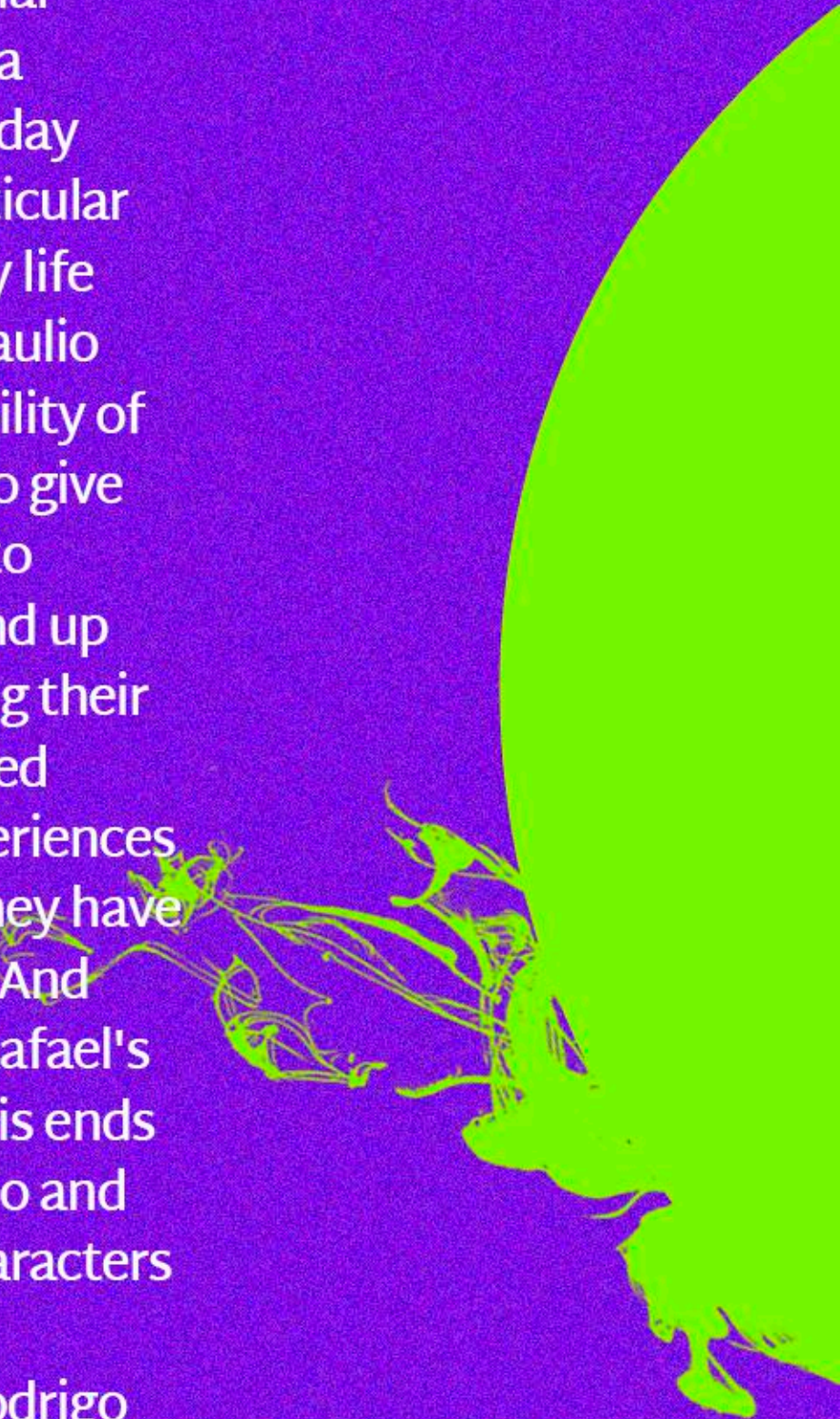
**SYNOPSIS:** Carolina and Braulio are young newlyweds who think of themselves as a modern couple. But soon enough they face a truth that could put their reputation on the line.

**Here's the thing:** Carolina discovers her husband Braulio masturbating while watching videos of Channing Tatum. And although both will do everything possible to hide this fateful discovery, the universe conspires to expose all their secrets.





**ARCH:** Braulio is a well-known womanizer who has been married for three months to Carolina, a conservative fashion designer with more than a million followers on social media. They are the most famous couples on the internet, leading what seems like a perfect life while running the family's advertising and marketing business. But one day Carolina discovers her husband Braulio watching a gay porn movie. This fact in particular triggers a series of insecurities in both of them, and this leads Braulio to explore gay life with his best friend Yaya and a new client named Rafael. Rafael falls in love with Braulio and decides to do the impossible to capture his attention, putting at risk the credibility of the alpha male husband that he has built in recent years. But Braulio is not willing to give up on his marriage to Carolina, so they both decide to go to couples therapy to try to understand what they could do to save their marriage. Unintentionally, both will end up entangled in a love triangle with their therapist Rodrigo. In the process of containing their deep fears of being discovered as they really are, life will expose them to complicated environments full of drugs, STDs, promiscuity, alternative therapies and other experiences that put their beliefs at risk. In the end it will be impossible to contain the lie that they have created about themselves before the immense community of followers they have. And during the launch event of Carolina's first collection, a terrible accident that ends Rafael's life, draws the attention of the police to all the members of this family business. This ends up exposing the darkest secrets of all the suspects in the company, including Braulio and Carolina. The scandal reaches social media and goes viral. The perfect life of our characters is over. Braulio is fired from the company. Carolina blames Rodrigo for the public humiliation that she received, in addition to losing access to his social networks. Rodrigo decides to leave them. Both begin to finally accept each other as they really are.





# Carolina Agrippa (Braulio's Wife)

**SIGN:** CAPRICORN / 35 Years

Carolina is extremely sarcastic. She's the kind of person who never says what she's really thinking. She uses her great intellect to hide her anger issues. She's been dating for 8 years and married for only a month. She always looks impeccable, she's a perfectionist and is very focused. She always dreamed of being an empowered woman, independent and ambitious. Her progressive mentality hides a deep-rooted machismo. Now all of a sudden, something unexpected has happened and she's facing a reality that is making her question all her principles and values, while testing her tolerance: her husband may or may not be homosexual. She's distraught; she feels this is the worst thing that could ever happen to her. As a result, her insecurities start surfacing, affecting her self-esteem and eventually turning her into another person (her way of coping).

**Her work:** Carolina works as a strategy consultant and director for lifestyle influencers in Burócratas Digitales with her husband Braulio.

**Her dream:** Carolina's dream is to be a fashion designer.

**Weird trait:** Carolina was traumatized by the Covid experience, so she became a compulsive cleaner. She is a little obsessed with maintaining social distances.

**Her fear:** Having everyone find out she's been deceived by her husband. She's afraid of losing her shot at a career in fashion design if she gets a divorce, just because she'd be sacrificing her husband's well-established network of people who would naturally be very convenient for her as a rising fashion designer. She's also very scared of contagious diseases.

**Her weakness:** Anger crisis when under a lot of stress.

## Braulio de los Rios

Braulio grew up in a conservative family. He's an outstanding businessman who has carefully laid every brick of his life in order to build the perfect architectural project. He married Carolina Agrippa after dating for 8 years. Braulio is the new director of the family business, Burócratas Digitales, and he finally feels professional and emotionally stable. But something unexpected happens: he's starting to have homosexual thoughts. And so begins an internal fight with himself. If he comes out as gay, he'll lose his position as CEO in the Opus Dei company he works for. So instead, he starts weaving a web of lies in order to maintain his image as a male role model, while still flirting with everything the gay world has to offer.

**Sign:** Gemini / 39 Years Old

**His work:** Braulio is the CEO of the Burócratas Digitales company. He'll do anything in his power to keep his remaining clients. To his dismay, it seems the golden age of working with influencers is over.

**His dream:** Braulio's problem is that he's a people pleaser and puts everyone's needs before his own. His dream is to please both God and the Devil.

**Weird trait:** Braulio feels only 67% gay.

**His fear:** That all his decisions will end up hurting others.

**His weakness:** He loves older men.



# Rafael Torrens

Rafael is Braulio's first love. He's just arrived from Spain and is determined to leave his libertine ways so he can focus on building a relationship that Braulio obviously doesn't want. This will lead to many fortuitous encounters, and when he starts believing that he's gained Braulio's trust, life will throw him an unbearable blow.

**SIGN:** Scorpion / 60 Years old.

**His work:** Rafael is an architect and a fashion events producer.

**His dream:** To have a homoparental family.

**Weird trait:** He's addicted to lies.

**His fear:** That the perfect image he's created of himself will be tainted by his wild behavior in the past.

**His weakness:** Recreational drugs.



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## Yaya Muñoz

She's Braulio's best friend, or at least that's what she thinks. She's single and expecting to get married at any time (with whomever).

Yaya has always had problems with her weight. She lives surrounded by people that she feels are prettier, smarter, more interesting and that's why she tries so hard to be funny—which is just sad. Yaya also suffers from a rather rare condition: she's narcoleptic, so she falls asleep at the most inappropriate times, usually when she's very agitated (sex, gym, discussions).

**SIGNO:** Sagitaurius / 37 Years.

**Her work:** Yaya doesn't have any kind of professional stability. She's started any number of useless courses that she's never put into practice. The only sure thing she has is her mother's money; Doña Alicia is a shareholder of the Burócratas Digitales agency. Yaya feels entitled to the company, so everyone who works there is forced to tolerate her.

**Her dream:** Be loved. By whomever.

**Weird trait:** She suffers from a very rare condition called narcolepsy, in addition to being addicted to sex.

**Her weakness:** Her impossible love for Braulio. She's known him since they were kids, they grew up together. She's quite happy knowing that he could be gay, because now he can't belong to any other woman.





## Fernando Piqué

Fernando is an attractive man who is aware of the benefits of being beautiful. Naturally, this makes him egocentric and narcissistic.

He uses his natural charm to get what he wants from both men and women. He loves to feel validated and recognized, and although he is 100% straight, he feels a strange satisfaction when men are attracted to him. He's deeply in love with Carolina.

**SIGN:** Libre / 40 Years old

**His work:** Fernando is the Creative Director of the Burócratas Digitales digital agency.

**His dream:** To be famous. He's a frustrated singer.

**Weird trait:** Narcissistic and egocentric. He's obsessed with apps that edit your looks, steroids and plastic surgery.

**His fear:** Growing old, putting on weight and dying ugly. Losing his prestige because he's no longer the attractive boy he used to be at 21. He's afraid of rejection, of becoming "old news" and losing his sex appeal.

**His weakness:** He's a Christian. Everything has to do with religion. So feeling guilty is his main weakness.



## Rodrigo Villa

Rodrigo is a brilliant man. Very attractive. Young with a charming spirit. He loves helping others and his intentions are pure. An open-minded millennial who's accepting of all forms of love and expression.

**SIGN:** GÉMINIS / 30 Years

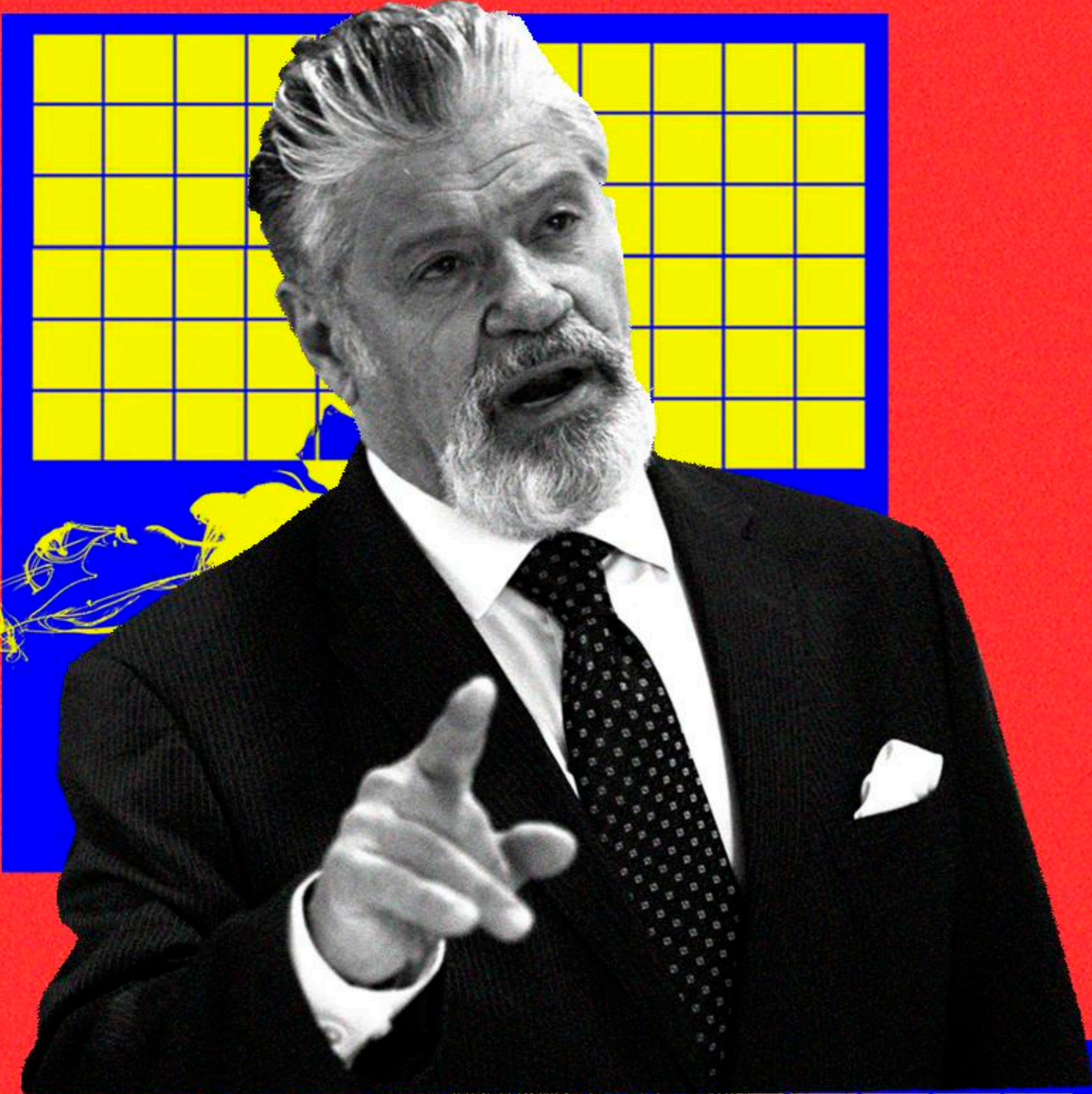
**His work:** Rafael is a psychologist. He works in Human Resources management at the digital company. He's the lead therapist in charge of "channeling" the team's insecurities.

**His dream:** Rodrigo's dream is to be accepted.

**Weird trait:** He's bisexual.

**His fear:** That he has or contracts HIV.





## Patrick Vegas (Grandfather)

Patrick is Braulio's maternal grandfather. Since his daughter's death, the relationship with his grandson has been civilized and respectful. He's a cold-minded, practical man who has no affinity with his grandson. Behind his machismo lies deep resentment.

**SIGN:** Leo / 75 Years old

**His work:** Patrick owns 51% of the shares of the Burócratas Digitales company.

**His dream:** Keep his daughter's legacy alive.

**Weird trait:** He likes Sadomasochism.

**His fear:** That his company's reputation, as well as his own, may be compromised by the gossip going around.

**His weakness:** The memory of his daughter's death and Braulio's indirect guilt, given he caused the accident that killed her.

## Franco de los Ríos (Braulio's father)

Braulio's father is an eccentric, alternative therapist. He distanced himself from social life in his older years to explore new spiritual paths. He's the complete opposite of his son, he's the only one who would never judge him.

**Sign:** Taurus / 60 Years old

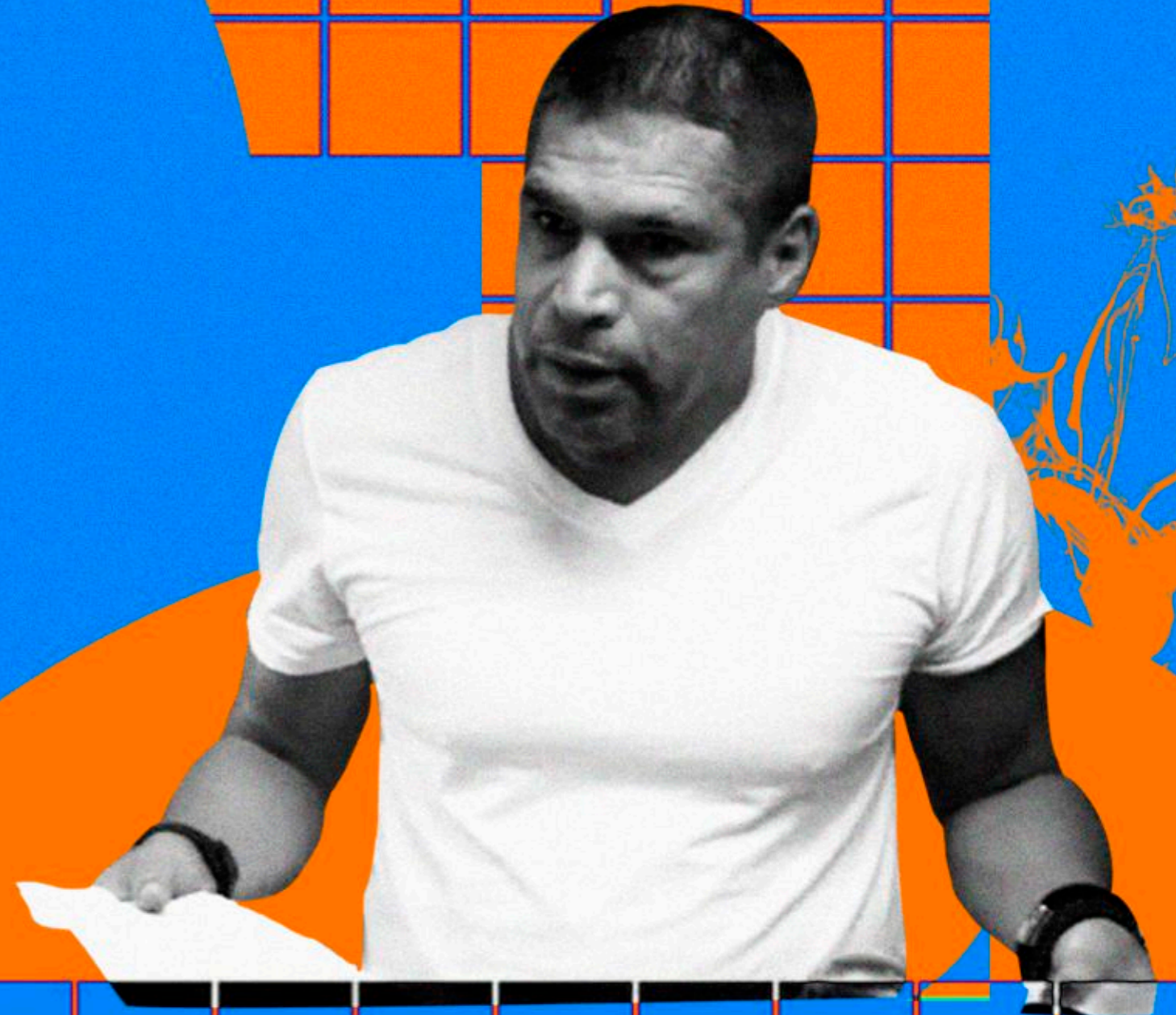
**His work:** Mr. Franco has recently completed an online graduate certificate in life coaching. He feels he has an "energetic" authority to help people, even against their will.

**His dream:** He would like to see his son happy, but only through his "life formulas".

**His fear:** Being exposed as a fraud, but especially being hated by his son Braulio. He will do everything possible to be present in his life again.

**Weird trait:** Fanatic of drugs that incite a "spiritual awakening of consciousness."

**His weakness:** Extremely reckless. He doesn't have limits and he sees the world differently. He's willing to divulge his son's secret, and he's convinced he acts with the best of intentions.





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## Claudio Santana (Secretary)

Claudio is a know-it-all. A life expert—or so he thinks—who trusts his intuition more than anything. He makes a huge effort to be extremely masculine, but is obviously effeminate. Rupaul Drag Race fan who uses Rupaul phrases to finish his sentences. He's an activist and a vegan.

**Age:** 40 Years old

**His work:** Claudio is an atypical office secretary at the Burócratas Digitales digital agency.

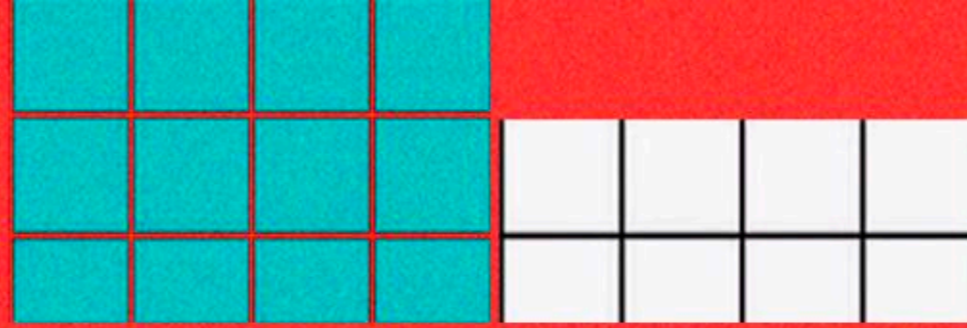
**His dream:** Claudio's dream is to be an influencer. Working at Burócratas Digitales fuels the idea of having access to those famous personalities you admire on social networks.

**Weird trait:** He likes to secretly dress in drag and go to gay bars.

**His fear:** That someone finds out about his "second job."

**His weakness:** He's terrible at hiding his emotions when he likes a man. He's deeply in love with Grandpa Patrick Vegas.

# Episode Scale



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## Episode 01

Carolina discovers her husband jerking off while he is watching a men's movie. This leads them to want to go to couples therapy. In the process Braulio is secretly taken to a bar where he is drugged by his friend Yaya. At the bar he meets Rafael, an architect who has just arrived in the city and with whom he spends the night (although he doesn't remember anything).

## Episode 02

Carolina and Braulio decide to go to couples therapy with Rodrigo, the new company psychologist. And although they have the best intentions, they slowly start to display signs of aggression. The war manual says that the first rule is to try to avoid it at all costs. But some secrets are hard to overcome.

## Episode 03

Braulio tries to start going to the gym with Fernando. He also starts flirting with the steroid world, but it begins to affect his personality at work.

## Episode 04

Braulio is still disgusted by Rafael, so he decides to explore the spiritual world with his father and his best friend Fernando. Carolina and Yaya are tempted to go to the "ritual" too. The Ayahuasca sets off a series of revealing and hilarious moments.

## Episode 05

Both Carolina and Braulio end up having a relationship with Rodrigo the psychologist. The fear of disease appears and with it the paranoia that seems to manifest itself in the form of signs everywhere.

## Episode 06

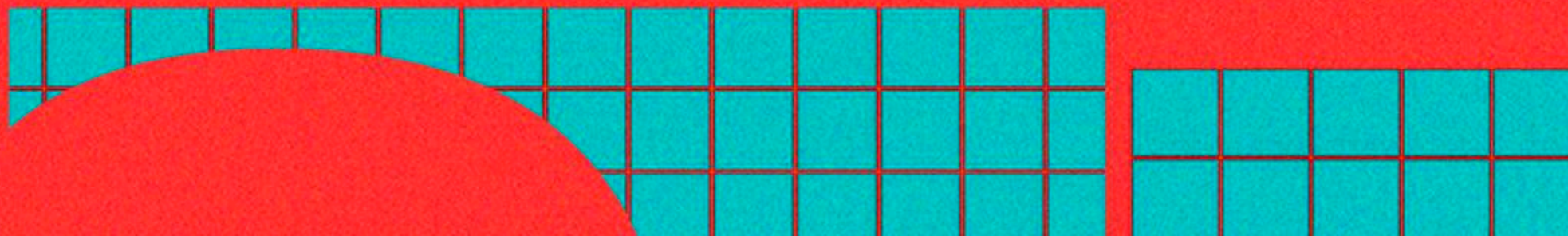
Carolina and Braulio, after overcoming their fear of HIV, decide to agree to offer Rodrigo a three-way relationship. Experience polyamory and its rules. Rafael is not happy with the idea and will try to blackmail them into getting Braulio back with him. Braulio decides to continue with the public image of a perfect relationship with his wife.

## Episode 07

someone is murdered and everyone in the company is a suspect. The police must find out who is guilty, which means exposing the secrets of all the members of the company.

## Episode 08

After the secrets are revealed, Braulio and his wife Carolina will have to face the consequences of telling the truth and wanting to stay together as a couple.



**“Son, coming out doesn’t  
make you more honest,  
it just means you don’t know  
how to be a good liar.”**

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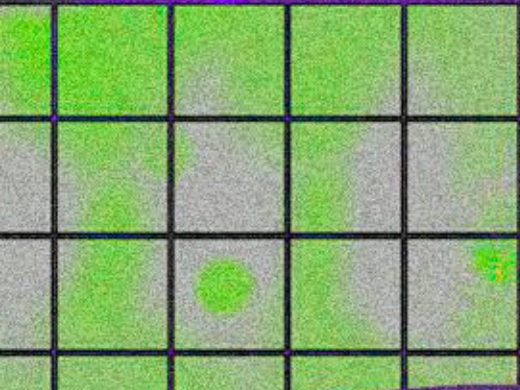
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## THE CREATOR: Daniel Leira

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### Profile

Daniel Leira, born in Venezuela, raised in USA (between Miami and New York). He is a scriptwriter and producer. He defines himself as a creative mind within a multitude of layers. Always informed on the world's most curious stories that then lead him to in-depth research regarding these subjects.

### EXPERIENCE

#### Scriptwriter - La Cofradia — (2022)

Status: Currently Pre Production.

Suspense of 110 pages about the the inquisition in modern times.

#### Scriptwriter - CERDO THE MOVIE — (2021)

Status: Currently Post Production.

Sci-Fi of 95 pages regarding the traffic of Biopolymers in Miami.

#### Scriptwriter - Ni Tan Raro NI TAN RARO (a.k.a "NOT SO WEIRD") - 2022

Dramedy. A series set of 8 Episodes exploring the sexual life in the latin culture.

#### Scriptwriter - Children of Vudu - (2020)

Status: Pre-production. Estimated filming: february 2022.

Suspense. Based on the photographic documentary-style book 'Haiti: the children of Voodoo on Earth'.

#### Scriptwriter and Director - Not So Sexable (2019)

Status: Available on Amazon Prime

Documentary. Exploring the sexual diaries of disabled people. A story that depicts the dialog between a young man with a disability that affects 90% of the motor skills in his body, yet is still determined to have an active sexual life.

### Education

Digital Film Academy NY, NY. - 2017 / Bachelor Degree Communications

### Skills

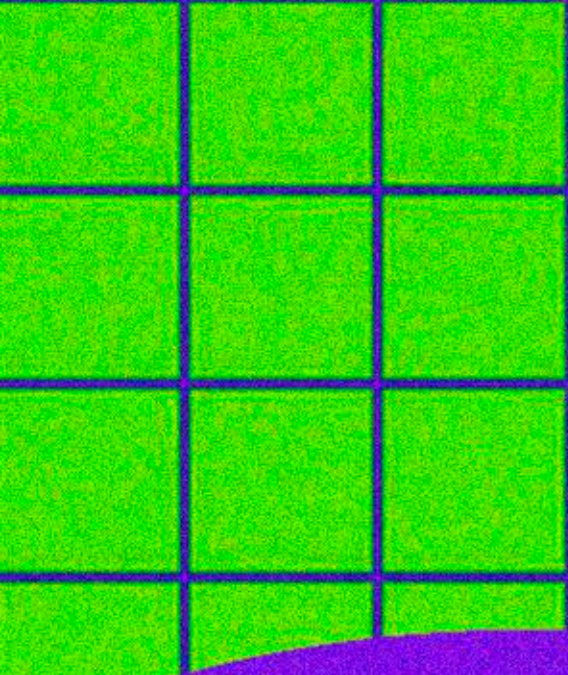
Scriptwriter, Editing, Director.

### AWARDS

Emmy Award 2020 Scriptwriter - Short film 'Daddy' Miami Florida (2020) - Documentary.

Amazon Prime 2019 Director, Scriptwriter - Documentary Not So Sexable (2019)





**EPISODE TO EPISODE:** While their professional lives are always on the edge of collapse because of their lies and manipulations, the characters will also face personal challenges in each episode. Micro universes where their intentions, prejudices and insecurities play out.

**SETTING / WORLD:** Burócratas Digitales is a digital marketing agency with more than ten years in the business. After the Covid-19 pandemic they find themselves in a surreal world where influencers are no longer willing to pay for their services. All the characters have public profiles on their social networks, which have become their life's work. But everything is about to change, and soon the ground starts caving under them. Their lives start falling apart. Secrets come to light and the characters, both influencers and public figures, will have the constant threat of exposure looming over their heads.

