

The Taming of the Shrew

Character List:

Female (3):

Katherine: the shrew: feisty and physical (main / major role)

Bianca: the demure sister with a feisty underside (main / medium role)

Widow (double+ Tailor): haughty (small-medium role)

Male (6):

Petruchio: the tamer: fiery and physical (main / major role)

Lucentio: lover of Bianca and scheming scholar (main / major role)

Hortensio: competitor for Bianca / then Widow; friend of Petruchio (major role)

Gremio: (older) competitor in love for Bianca (medium role)

Vincentio (bit older; double+ waiter): father of Lucentio (medium role)

Pedant (double+ servant Curtis): stand-in for Vincentio in scheme (sm-med role)

Male or Female (4):

Baptista: (bit older) father or mother of Katherine and Bianca (major role)

Tranio: witty and scheming servant / friend to Lucentio (major role)

Grumio: servant to Petruchio (medium role)

Biondello: servant to Lucentio (medium role)