

# RAISE YOUR VOICE acting



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## Madcap May

Hello,

Holy Wow! It is May already. Spring is in full flower and things are popping like popcorn with us, we're back from Dubai and **Shelf Life** Season 4 is in full swing (we hope you are enjoying it) and it's bigger and bolder than ever. **Yuri's in a magazine and I'm on DVD!** Plus I can't help singing the praises of this a-may-zing book (see what I did there?) **Thinking, Fast and Slow!** From our wacky wild life to yours, may we all have a bit more madcap May.

Tara :) (&Yuri)

Yuri Lowenthal & Tara Platt: Raise Your Voice (Acting)!

## You say Dubai & I say hello...



We just returned from a week in the **Middle East**, attending the second annual **Dubai Comic Con** It was amazing. The fans were lovely and welcoming and it was amazing to explore a city of such dichotomy (old Dubai with its **souks** - markets - and **winding streets** as well as the new modern city of the future with **man-made islands** and the **tallest building** in the world.

## Shelf This!

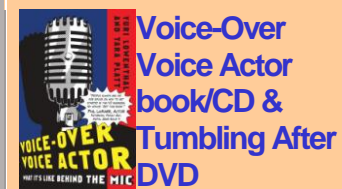
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Books, CD's, and DVDs! Oh, My!

**VOVA** is available at Barnes & Noble, Sam French, on-line at [Amazon.com](#).



You can also get **book/CD/mp3** on our [website](#) - the mp3 is hosted on [CDBaby](#) & the [eBOOK is on lulu.com](#).

**Tumbling After**, our feature psychological thriller, is available on region-free DVD and [iTunes](#) for purchase or download \*Mature content for violence, language, nudity\*



**Shelf Life Season 1-3 DVD**  
Our irreverent web-comedy about 4 action-figures on a young boy's

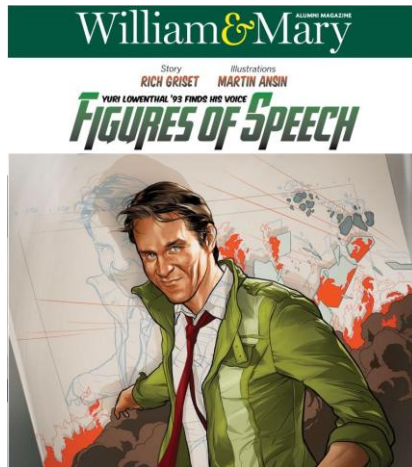
4. Though it is NSFW, we hope it is causing many laughs!

And come June, the DVD for **The Call** comes out, so you can catch Tara playing opposite **Halle Berry** in this psychological thriller directed by Brad Anderson if you missed it in theatres.

And Yuri was just featured in a wonderful article by his [William & Mary alum magazine](#) talking about voice-over and building his **career** one geek point at a time, though diversification and perseverance! Yay!



We are currently mid-season in our biggest and baddest and boldest season ever of [Shelf Life](#) yet: Season



shelf is [available now](#). Region free. \*language/content - not for kids\*

*VO TIP: If you are serious about working in VO, do some research on who casts, directs and records your favorite projects. Get smart about being a professional.*

## Silly Links & Fun Clicks

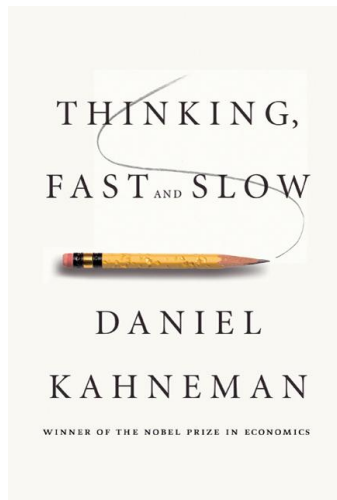
A few links that I hope you enjoy:

1. How we [view ourselves](#). Yeah it's a Dove commercial, but I liked the message.
2. A wildly [fun music video](#) with computer graphics of life in the 50's

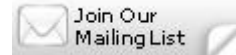
## Thinking, Fast And Slow

This is another book that I can't seem to recommend highly enough. But even though I am still in the middle of it (I clearly haven't had enough time as of late for reading juicy tomes about our brains and how they work), I can't recommend this international bestseller: [Thinking, Fast and Slow](#) fast enough!

Daniel Kahneman explores the very things that help us shape our everyday experiences by looking into the way our **mind perceives** and sorts information. Vastly interesting and utterly engaging. It's mad to think about how our thoughts rule our world and how our perceptions rule our thoughts! I'd love to hear if you're more ruled by your Fast or your Slow Brain! :)



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