

# Tomasz Draus

## Overview

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Tomasz, at first glance, seems fairly understated for a Brujah. He doesn't have a crazy haircut, obscene piercings, and he's not covered in tattoos. He dresses fashionably, enjoys wearing suits here and there, and pursues academic activities. Some might even say he's a little *too pretty* to be a Brujah.

Yet there is something brimming just beneath the surface. A simple conversation turns into a discussion, which morphs into a debate, then evolves to a disagreement, and finally escalates into an argument. He gets that *look* in his eyes when someone loses their cool, says something wrong or even better, initiates a fight. He smiles as his fingers curl into fists...

## Basics

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#### Name

Tomasz Draus

Player  
Genesis  
Chronicle  
Baltimore After Dark  
Nature  
Rebel  
Demeanor  
Bon Vivant  
Concept  
Rabble-Rouser  
Clan  
Brujah  
Generation  
10  
Sire  
Gretchen Keller

# Attributes

Attributes

Physical

p

Strength

Vicious

11100

Dexterity

Lightning Reflexes

11110

Stamina

Vigorous

11110

Social

s

Charisma

11100

Manipulation

11000

Appearance  
Unforgettable Face  
11110  
Mental  
t  
Perception

11000  
Intelligence

11100  
Wits  
Ambushes  
11110

# Abilities

Abilities

Talents  
p  
Alertness

11000  
Athletics  
Parkour  
11110  
Awareness

11000  
Brawl  
Dirty Fighting, [MMA](#), [Bartitsu](#)  
11110  
Empathy

[11000](#)  
Expression  
Social Media  
10000  
Intimidation

10000  
Leadership

10000  
Streetwise

11100  
Subterfuge

11000

00000  
Skills  
s  
Animal Ken

00000  
Crafts  
Graffiti  
10000  
Drive  
[Motorcycles, Evasion](#)  
11000  
Etiquette

00000  
Firearms

11000  
Larceny

00000  
Melee

11000  
Performance

10000  
Stealth

00000  
Survival

00000

00000  
Knowledge  
t  
Academics  
Linguistics  
11100  
Computers

00000  
Finance

00000  
Investigation

00000  
Law  
Basic Rights  
10000  
Medicine

00000  
Occult  
Kindred Lore  
11000  
Politics  
Camarilla  
11100  
Science

00000  
Technology  
Security  
10000

00000

# Advantages

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Disciplines

Celerity

11110

Potence

11100

Presence

11000

Fortitude

11000

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Backgrounds

Generation

11100

Retainer

11000

Resources

11000

Domain

Gwynn Oaks

11110

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Virtues

Conscience

11100  
Self-Control

11100  
Courage

11110

Humanity/Path  
11111 10000  
Path

Bearing

Willpower  
11111 11100  
00000 00000

Blood Pool  
11111 11111  
11000 00000

Blood/Turn

## Merits & Flaws

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Merit

Type

Cost

Blush of Health

Physical

2pt

Language (English, Polish, German, French, Latin)

Mental

0pt (CC)

Deceptive Aura

Supernatural

1pt

Iron Will  
Mental  
3pt  
Rep (Elder Slayer)  
Social  
1pt

Flaw  
Type  
Bonus

Unconvinced  
Social  
1pt  
Dark Secret  
Social  
1pt

## Rituals & Paths

expanded disciplines

Combo Disciplines  
Cost  
[Burning Wrath \(Celerity - 3, Potence - 3\)](#)  
1 BP

Discipline Powers  
Cost

## Experience & Derangements

Experience

Total

Freebies: 11, XP: 134

Spent

Freebies: 11, XP: 134

Current

10

Notes

Freebies Spent (Red):

Appearance - 10

Specialty - 1

XP Spent (Blue):

Empathy - 5

Streetwise - 9

Subterfuge - 5

Specialties - 18

Disciplines - 52

Willpower - 9 + 13

Domain - 10

Leadership - 3

Burning Wrath - 18

Total - 134

Derangements

## Expanded Backgrounds

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Allies

Contacts

Fame

Herd

Influence

Mentor

Resources

His ghoul made a fortune developing code that decongested the internet in the early 2000s. With investments and smart management, Craig now provides tech consultation for non-profits. Tommy mooches off Craig, living comfortably so that he can pursue his own ends.

Retainers

Ghoul - Craig Chapman (48yo) - former tech guru that now helps non-profits with tech consultation. Tomasz does not bring Craig to court and keeps him separate from vampire society as much as possible. Craig knows they exist, but Tomasz likes his ghouls for their connections to mortal society and keeps them that way as much as possible.

Ghoul 2 - Nicky October, the leader of a street gang.

Status

Other

## Rights & Possessions

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Gear (Carried)

Extendable Baton, sometimes a 9mm pistol, sometimes a Bowie knife. They are usually secured somewhere on his motorcycle if they're not on him.

Feeding Grounds

Havens

The basement of an old brownstone rowhouse. It's small, windowless, and unassuming. His ghoul runs his consultation business in the rowhouse during the day, but then he will go to a separate rented apartment so that Tomasz can use the rowhouse for whatever purposes he wants at night without a sleeping human in the way.

Equipment (Owned)

Cell phone,

Vehicles

Motorcycle - Triumph Bonneville



Other

# Blood Bonds/Vinculi

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Bound To  
Rating

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# Description

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### Vampire Age

191

### Apparent Age

20

### D.O.B.

August 30th, 1811

### R.I.P.

October 4th, 1831

### Hair

Brown

### Eyes

Brown

### Race

Caucasian

### Nationality

Polish

### Height

6'

### Build

Lithe

### Gender

Cis-Male

### Face Claim

Francisco Lachowski

Tomasz has a naturally casual demeanor and paired with his good looks, is often perceived as charming, which he can be. When he was Embraced, he hadn't shaved in a week and had a strong amount of stubble. Shaving it makes him appear drastically younger, while keeping the beard manages to make him seem more mature.



# History

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1811 - 1893

Born in a Polish village on the outskirts of Warsaw, Tomasz Draus was an intelligent, precocious, and combative young child. Perhaps it was his father, soldier who had fought in the uprisings against the Prussian army that partitioned their region of Poland, or his French mother, who had been part of the revolution that ended in the beheading of Louis and Marie Antoinette. They raised him to be an independent thinker, but soon found that he enjoyed it a little *too* much. Debates with him often devolved into fist fights, and his father, who was a boxer after his time as a soldier, had taught him to use his fists well.

As he developed, he had a natural athletic ability and he was an attractive young man, his appearance something he learned to use to his benefit when trying to get his way. He was easily admitted into the new University of Warsaw in 1828, where he began studies in Linguistics. He learned Latin there, adding to his already fluent speaking of Polish from his father, French from his mother, and Deutsch as the official language of Prussia. He also gained a very healthy dislike for the Kingdom of Prussia and joined a coterie of students intent on fostering revolution to win back Poland's sovereignty.

As a young revolutionary, notice was taken by his eventual sire, Gretchen Keller. One of Tomasz's professors was the 10th generation Brujah's ghoul. Gretchen was a key part in fostering a sense of revolution in the university, and so when the November Uprising began in 1830, Tomasz was a willing participant, as well as most of the university. The uprising was crushed the next year and the university forced to shut down, believed to be central to the uprising. The ghouled professor was executed, and the loss of the ghoul inspired Gretchen to Embrace Tomasz without much forethought. They fled to the Austrian partition of Poland and took up residence near the Jagiellonian University in Krakow, where they would ghoul a new student every few years in order to learn from their studies and spread the same sense of rebellion that they had done in Warsaw.

In 1893, however, they attracted the notice of a hunters. The city's Camarilla court was decimated and those who didn't flee at the time didn't survive. Gretchen and Tomasz didn't stay, obviously.

1894 - 1946

They traveled across Europe, going to from France, to Italy, to Spain, but nowhere stuck. Tomasz wasn't just rebellious, he could be violent, enjoying the challenge of a good fight, and it was only Gretchen's protection that stopped him from being killed a few times. They wore out their welcome in

most cities as soon as the local Prince began to suspect their presence was beginning to stir thoughts of revolution or reform of the Traditions. They went to London next, where he became enamored with the combat artform of *Bartitsu* (call *baritsu* at the time due to a misspelling from a Sherlock Holmes story). Their time there was less contentious than other places as there was a decent sized population of other Brujah for Tomasz to bang knuckles with.

In the 1930s, Gretchen was killed by Sabbat, who had infiltrated the London court, and there was a massive struggle for power. At some point during all this, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The strategy worked, however, and Tomasz fought and won against the Sabbat elder leading the charge to cast the Camarilla out. It was a stunning feat, and he enjoyed praise and glory while he resided in London. They called him Elder Slayer, enjoying praise and glory as the Brujah that saved London. Over time, less vampires know about it, others have won similar glories, but many elders still remember his name or know of the incident. Eventually, the Ventrue got too strong of a hold on London, and without Gretchen, he began to crave something completely different than what Europe had afforded him, finding inspiration in the new superpower that rose up after the end of WWII: America.

1947 - present

His time in America has been his favorite so far. With a healthy love of revolution, a tendency toward sex and violence, and a culture that mostly values the individual, he found it easy to assimilate. The Civil Rights movement, the 60s and the Summer of Love, gay rights, etc. There is always a movement to join, a protest to inspire, a status-quo to be broken. San Francisco and LA were great places to hang out with the Anarchs, get a taste of what it was like in places not run by the Camarilla or the Sabbat.

He even sired his own child, an activist in San Francisco working on the Harvey Milk campaign. They didn't last very long, and he was turned off Embracing after, preferring to ghoul. Especially middle-aged gay men, and sometimes women, who were usually first turned on by the young, hot man, and then bound to him by his blood. It's the best way to keep a source of income and fund political pursuits in modern nights. In the 1990s, the MMA cage fighting became his new obsession for combat, and then the popularity of Fight Club created the perfect opportunity for underground fights.

The rise of social media has been insanely fun to him. He has presence on all the major platforms under the moniker "*gofawkesurself*" where he generally posts provocative content, calls to activism, and has used it for coordinating with other activists, sometimes hacktivists, to create statements or infiltrate and sabotage corrupt businesses. All the content is anonymous, accessed using a VPN, And that brings us to Baltimore... close to the capital of the country, but far enough to not be overrun by mortal security. The West Coast had become... redundant. He hungers for something more visceral. Somewhere full of corruption, a tinder box on the verge of lighting up where it just takes one person to light a match. His latest ghoul is a middle-aged man that made a fortune in the tech industry, and he's just bought an old Brownstone rowhouse in Riverside. One with a small, windowless basement that will serve as the perfect haven until Tommy can find something better.

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