

**Name:** Professor Thadeus Arkana (Arkanathadeus)

**Race:** Gallifreyan

**Sex:** Male

**Profession:** Time Lord

**Temporal Origin:** Gallifrey Mean Time

**Attributes**

<b>STR</b>	Level III	6	<b>CHA</b>	Level V	15
<b>END</b>	Level V	18	<b>MNT</b>	Level VI	21
<b>DEX</b>	Level IV	10	<b>ITN</b>	Level V	15

**Special Abilities:**

Enhanced Endurance

Respiratory Bypass System – Level VI (23)

Telepathy – Level III (6)

<b>MAX OP END</b>	36	<b>WOUND HEAL</b>	5	<b>INACT SAVE</b>	6
<b>CURR OP END</b>	36	<b>FATIGUE HEAL</b>	5	<b>UNC THRESH</b>	0

**Combat Statistics:**

<b>AP:</b>	7
Armed Combat,	
Revolvers	Level V 15
Singlestick	Level V 15
Unarmed Combat,	
Brawling	Level IV 10

**Significant Skills**

	<b>Level</b>	
Gambling	Level V	15
Leadership	Level V	15
Engineering,		
Civil	Level IV	10
Mechanical	Level V	15
Leadership	Level V	18
Life Sciences,		
Physical Sciences,		
Chemistry	Level IV	10
Computer Science	Level IV	10
Physics	Level IV	10
Social Sciences,		
Archaeology (Earth)	Level IV	10
History (Earth)	Level IV	10
History (Galactic)	Level V	15
History (Gallifreyan)	Level V	15
Streetwise	Level IV	10
Technology,		
Computer Systems	Level IV	10
Electronics	Level IV	10
TARDIS Systems	Level V	15
Temporal Science	Level VI	21
Vehicle Operation,		
Ground Vehicles	Level IV	10
Temporal Vehicle	Level V	15
Verbal Interaction,		
Haggling	Level V	15
Negotiation/Diplomacy	Level VI	21

### **Third Incarnation**

#### **Appearance:**

Height: Average

Build: Thin

Looks: Average

Apparent Age: Middle-Aged Adult

Actual Age: 550+

Regenerations Used: 2

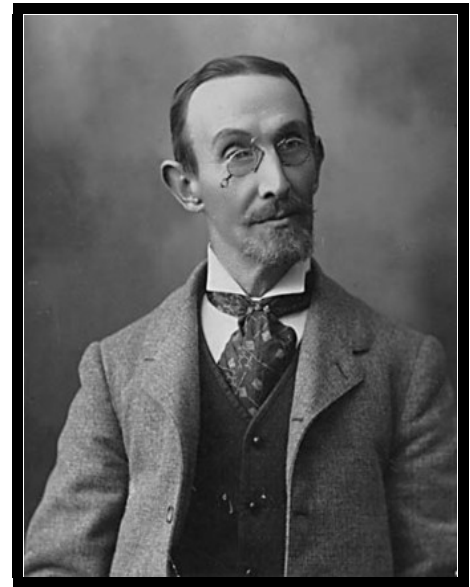
Recognition Handle: A thin man with a well trimmed goatee and pince-nez spectacles balanced on a narrow nose.

#### **Distinguishing Physical Characteristics:**

Professor Thadeus Arkana is a thin man of average height. His eyes and hair are dark brown. His goatee has the odd streak of grey but is otherwise the same colour as the rest of his hair. His stare betrays his intelligence. He has a habit of raising his right eyebrow when he ponders an intellectual challenge. His predominate ears, long narrow nose, and thin lips only heighten his scholarly appearance.

Professor Arkana's clothing was once fashionable during the late 19th century on Earth. He prefers tweed jackets and trousers, usually augmented with a stylish cravat and a dark waistcoat. He always carries a pocket watch in the right pocket of his waistcoat. This watch is of Gallifreyan design and shows absolute (aka Gallifreyan) and relative time. It also has a TARDIS homing device built into to it. This watch was a gift from one of Arkana's instructors at the Hemithean Academy.

He almost always carries a walking cane that he has learnt to use in self defence. It's a handy skill he learnt during a short stay in Victorian London.



#### **Brief Personal History:**

*Birthplace:* Gallifrey, 100,623 TL.

Arkanathadeus, aka Thadeus Arkana, was born in a small automated nursery on Gallifrey's most southern continent. He spent his early years getting in and out of trouble with the authorities as he explored various designated restricted areas. Eventually, his rascal years came to a close as an instructor at the Hemithean Academy, Cardinal Imashskel, took interest in him and sponsored him into the Academy.

His years in the Academy weren't without incident, but he was able to graduate with honours at any rate. While at the Academy, he had enlisted into an offworld study program and this is where his love for alien worlds had its first start. After graduation from the Academy, he spent several decades working as an Archival Administrator. His job was to catalogue and file the data brought back from offworld assignments. He found this assignment to be mind numbing in its boredom. He wanted a change that his official duties could not give him so one quiet night, he sneaked into the TARDIS reception area and stole a Type 51 TARDIS.

His first stop was Earth in the Pleistocene Epoch. While there, he suffered a nasty tumble off a glacier and was seriously wounded. He manages to crawl back to his TARDIS in time before the regeneration process kicked in. After he was newly regenerated, he spent some time in Victorian England. He spent just under one hundred years travelling through Victorian England experiencing the people and culture first hand.

In AD 1854, he found himself on the Crimean Peninsula and in the middle of the Crimean War. He was able to save William Russell from a Rutan who had crashed in the area and was attacking any and all humans. The shape changing Rutan caused a lot of problems for both sides of the Crimean War and at one point was threatening the life of war correspondent, William Russel. During the battle at the Alma River, Arkana was able to put a stop to the hostile Rutan by sabotaging its spacecraft (which was located in the Alma). Unfortunately, Arkana was wounded in the process and he began to regenerate. William Russell witness his regeneration and was able to help Arkana back to his TARDIS (which was disguised as a small shack). The newly regenerated Arkana thanked Russell for his aid and asked him not to write up this bit of adventure for his newspaper. Russell assured him he wouldn't since no one would believe him anyways. Russell said farewell as Arkana left in his TARDIS.

Once his regeneration had settled, he arrived in Tennessee in AD 1820. He changed his TARDIS to resemble a medicine wagon. The side of the wagon has a sign that reads, "Professor Thadeus Arkana's Medicinal Tonic." Arkana decided to travel the country in incognito as a travelling salesman. He was supposedly selling his special 'Thadeum Tonic' which cured all that inflicted the drinker. In fact, he used Gallifreyan technology to do just that. His serum actually did heal and cure others. He never stayed in one place too long. In was during this time where he met Dorothy McLeod and rescued her from a dishonest railroad baron who had unhonourable intentions towards her. After that she has become his companion and travels with him. She is aware of the true nature of the wagon and his origin (as such he has explained to her).

### **Personality:**

#### *Motivations/Desires/Goals:*

Professor Arkana is driven by a desire to explore and see the wonders of the universe for himself. He prefers first hand knowledge ("getting his hands dirty," as he would say) rather than just learning it from a third party source (such as a computer file). This combination of wanderlust and his desire to learn more, has landed him in several predicaments over the passing years. He has a strong sense of justice and fair play. He will try to help others, especially those who cannot help themselves. His kindness and friendliness hides an analytical and cunning mind. He will only resort to violence as a last measure.

#### *Manner:*

He exudes a refined and intellectual air about his person. He is very inquisitive which sometimes gets him into trouble. He is often friendly and courteous, but has a strong sarcastic streak. His manner is cultured and genteel. His intellectual aspect makes him lean towards cautious and prudent action over impulsive action. He tries to avoid violence, if possible, but will resort to it in self-defence or in the act to help others.

### **Noted Equipment:**

*Pince-nez Spectacles:* These glasses may look like a primitive antique but they are of Gallifreyan origin and have sophisticated micro-sensors built into them that allow the whole electromagnetic spectrum to become visible. Professor Arkana can switch between between wavelengths with a touch. It costs 2 AP to switch from one region of the spectrum to another (i.e. from the visible spectrum to near infra-red, or from ultraviolet to visible. etc.).

The electromagnetic spectrum is organized as follows:

<b>Region of the Spectrum</b>	<b>Main Interactions with Matter</b>
Radio	Collective oscillation of charge carriers in bulk material (plasma oscillation). An example would be the oscillation of the electrons in an antenna.
Microwave through far infrared	Plasma oscillation, molecular rotation
Near infrared	Molecular vibration, plasma oscillation (in metals only)
Visible	Molecular electron excitation (including pigment molecules found in the human retina), plasma oscillations (in metals only)
Ultraviolet	Excitation of molecular and atomic valence electrons, including ejection of the electrons (photoelectric effect)
X-rays	Excitation and ejection of core atomic electrons, Compton scattering (for low atomic numbers)
Gamma rays	Energetic ejection of core electrons in heavy elements, Compton scattering (for all atomic numbers), excitation of atomic nuclei, including dissociation of nuclei
High energy gamma rays	Creation of particle-antiparticle pairs. At very high energies a single photon can create a shower of high energy particles and antiparticles upon interaction with matter.