

PROMOTER'S PACK



ELLA MESMA'S

FOREIGN BODIES:

AN UNDERWATER LOVE STORY:

EXPLORING WHAT IT IS TO BE A CITIZEN OF THE WORLD

"THE DANCING IS IMMENSE"

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ELLA MESMA COMPANY COLLABORATES WITH TECHNOLOGY EXPERTS AND COMPOSER SABIO JANIAK TO CREATE A DANCE THAT CROSSES TIME, BORDER, CULTURES, OCEANS. SET WITHIN A TV BOX, FOREIGN BODIES, IS AN UNDERWATER LOVE STORY WHICH EXPLORES WHAT IT IS TO BELONG TO ONE HERITAGE OR TO MANY. AND THE INTERPLAY BETWEEN HERITAGE AND A PERSON'S IDENTITY AS A CITIZEN OF THE WORLD.

COMBINING STUNNING CHOREOGRAPHY, A FANTASTIC CAST AND A TOUCH OF HUMOUR. FOREIGN BODIES IS A HEALING RITUAL TO WHICH YOU ARE INVITED AND WHERE THE COLLISION OF DIFFERENCE BECOMES A DANCE OF UNDERSTANDING AND LOVE OVERCOMES DISCRIMINATION AND FEAR.

WITH BREXIT PROVIDING, A PARTINENT BACKDROP, FOREIGN BODIES IS SET ON TWO TV STATIONS WHICH CONTRASRT AND CONNECT THE FARCICAL WORLD OF A QUIZ SHOW AND THE MAGIC OF A NATURE DOCUMENTARY ABOUT JELLYFISH.

IN AN AGE WHERE THE POWER AND REACH OF THE WEB CONNECT AND DIVIDE US, THE ANONYMOUS QUIZ SHOW HEIGHLGHTS THE ABSURDITY OF THE BRITISH CITIZENSHIP TEST, EXPLORING WHAT IS GAINED AND LOST THROUGH CULTURE EXCHANGE. THE HEALING WORLD OF THE JELLYFISH DOCUMENTARY TELLS THE STORIES OF INDIVIDUALS, FAMILIES, COMMUNITIES AND ECHOES THE BIGGER STORIES, ANCESTRY, HER-STORY AND THE HAUNTING LEGACY OF POWER STRUCTURES.





PRODUCTION INFO

THEMES : RACE, GENDER, IDENTITY, LOVE, ENVIRONMENT, CITIZENSHIP, BREXIT, POWER

SET MEASUREMENTS: 5X5M

GET IN TIME: 2HRS

SHOW LENGTH: 1HR

POST SHOW DISCUSSION: 30MINS

WRAPAROUND WORKSHOPS OFFERED

MINIMUM PERFORMANCE SPACE: 8X8M

A FULL TECH RIDER IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

VIDEO TRAILER: [HTTPS://BIT.LY/2RQE4GZ](https://bit.ly/2RQE4GZ)

FULL LENGTH FOOTAGE: [HTTPS://BIT.LY/2RS6Y2V](https://bit.ly/2RS6Y2V)

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