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IN-WARD **EBNFLOH DANCE COMPANY**

World Premiere at the MAI (Montréal, Arts Interculturels) January 16-20, 2019

Choreographer and Artistic Director: Alexandra 'Spicev' Landé With the dancers' collaboration: Ja James 'Jigsaw' Britton Johnson, Elie-Anne 'Rawss' Ross, Jaleesa 'Tealeaf' Coligny, Kosisochukwu 'Kosi' Eze, James-Lee 'Kiddy' Joseph, Céline 'Easy C' Richard-Robichon

Rehearsal Director: Frédérique 'Pax' Dumas, Christina Paquette

Mumble: Ja James 'Jigsaw' Britton Johnson

Beat maker and sound design: Richard 'Shash'U' St-Aubin

Lighting design: Benoit Larivière, Leticia Hamaoui Stage Manager and Technical Director: Vladimir Cara

Tour Manager: Chantal Gascon

Artistic Advisors: Anne Plamondon, Helen Simard 'Outside eyes': Frédérique 'Pax' Dumas, Mathieu Leroux

Photographer: Melika Dez Photography

A Co-Production with: Centre Creation O'Vertigo Residencies with: CCOV-Centre de création O Vertigo; Danse Danse; Agora de la danse; MAI (Montréal, arts interculturels); Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity; Compagnie de danse Nyata Nyata; Danse à la carte; École de danse Tyler Anne

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NEXT FROM PUBLIC ENERGY PERFORMING ARTS:



ALEXIS O'HARA (MONTREAL): OUFF Market Hall Performing Arts Centre March 24th, 2022, 7:30 PM

OUFF is the first scripted solo performance by transdisciplinary artist Alexis O'Hara, in collaboration with artist and designer Atom Cianfarani. OUFF is the heaviest of sighs, a stale exhalation, the noisy forced eviction of obsolete molecules. An interdisciplinary work composed of words and sounds, a mutant body and a set that upstages the diva, OUFF is a spectacle of confrontation by a solitary but fragmented femme who, exploiting her own role of victim and victor, pawn and princess in a world which, at the precipice of collapse, decides to go shopping in a world supported by the violent domination of whiteness.



CHRIS DODD (EDMONTON): DEAFY Market Hall Performing Arts Centre April 19th & 20th, 2022, 7:30 PM

Deaf public speaker Nathan Jesper has arrived at his venue desperately late. As he launches into his speech, he soon realizes that things are not what they seem. Written and performed by Deaf actor Chris Dodd, Deafy is a stand-up/sit-down tragicomedy blending ASL, the spoken word and surtitles which reflects on the experience of what it is like to be a Deaf person in a hearing world and leads you on an unexpected journey of what it really means to belona.



ERRING AT KING GEORGE King George Public School May 6-8 & 13-15, 2022

Erring at King George is a multi-arts festival that will see dozens of performing and visual artists as well as community groups taking over all three floors of the now closed King George Public School. Numerous performing and visual artists will transform classrooms, hallways, offices and even the gym into exhibition spaces.

ABOUT ALEXANDRA 'SPICEY' LANDÉ:

A Montreal choreographer and major figure in Quebec Hip-Hop dance, her passion for the art first began in the 80's when she was a girl. The symbiotic relationship she maintains with Hip-Hop culture through her choreography embodies the spirit of her aesthetic signature. Alexandra started her career as an independent street dance choreographer with Retrospek, presented at the MAI in 2008. The show was warmly received, inspiring other street dance choreographers. Awarded the RIDEAU-Entrées en scène Loto Québec Bursary in 2009, the piece was presented in 20 different venues. In 2010, Alexandra released her second full length piece, Renézance, which was shown several times in Montreal. She founded Bust a Move Street Dance Festival, (2005-2015). It had a profound impact as the biggest street dance competition in Canada, with la TOHU (Montreal) as co-presenter. Wishing to further push her artistic aspirations in dance and broaden her outreach, she then founded the Ebnfloh Dance Company in 2015. Spicey has the invaluable assistance of seasoned peers and gifted collaborators to keep a solid, creative flow. By the end of 2015, she featured her work, Complexe R, at the MAI-a dance piece inspired by human obsessions. The show was mainly featured in Montreal, Toronto, Whitehorse, New York, and Amsterdam. In January 2019 In-Ward premiered in Montreal at the MAI, with kind support from CCOV-Centre de creation O Vertigo. In 2019 Spicey was recognised by the prestigious Prix de la Danse de Montreal Awards with the Prix Découverte. In October 2021 her latest work, La Probabilité du Néant, premiered at Théâtre Maisonneuve, Place des Arts. Alexandra has been a Hip-Hop dance teacher and performer for nearly 20 years. Now with Ebnfloh, she is crafting a unique choreographic language reflecting her artistic vision.

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