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JAT – Janela Aberta Teatro launches an OPEN CALL to companies and artists in the various areas of Physical Theatre, who wish to present their work in MOMI – International Physical Theatre Festival – Algarve, which holds its 1st edition from the 25th to the 28th of November, 2021, in the city of Faro, Portugal.

With the objective of contributing to the development of Physical Theatre in Portugal and the strong will and conviction to create new spaces for contact between creators, artists, programmers and the community and responding to the desires of a sector in full evolution, the MOMI - International Physical Theatre Festival – Algarve is born.

The Festival will feature shows and workshops in different areas of Physical Theatre, with national and international artists and companies, in the city of Faro, during the month of November 2021, in indoor, outdoor, conventional and unconventional spaces, breaking barriers of access. The workshops will be aimed at students, artists and the general public (adults, children and adolescents) where methodologies of various genres, styles and theatrical languages will be used.

MOMI - International Physical Theatre Festival -Algarve is organized by JAT - Janela Aberta Teatro, with the support of DGArtes, Faro Municipality, Iberescena, Acción Cultural Española, Direção Regional de Cultura do Algarve and Região de Turismo do Algarve.





O JAT – Janela Aberta Teatro

Based in Faro, Portugal, JAT - Janela Aberta Teatro is a company specialized in Physical Theatre. A Theatre where the physicality of the artist assumes special relevance and the research of the poetic and extra-everyday body is placed at the service of new dramaturgies. It is a Theatre that does not require the use of the words, but at the same time does not ignore it. The company is run by Diana Bernedo and Miguel Martins Pessoa.

Amongst their original creations we highlight the performances/shows Algo de Macbeth, As Bodas de Prata do Conde Baldinski, Filhos da evolução, Cinema Miami, Sai da Frente e Asas de Papel.

In conjunction with the creation of performances/shows, JAT develops a strong project of Theatre Training in the Algarve, with the offer of a variety of workshops, Theatre in general and in particular, Physical Theatre, such as Contemporary Mime, Pantomime, Suzuki Method, Viewpoints, Movement, Mask, Clown, Vocal Training, Singing, etc.

JAT invests in theatrical training, with the aim of creating new actors and new audiences, contributing to the growth of cultural awareness, both in the Algarve and on a national level. It also develops projects within the community, such as the Community Theatre Group – "Quarteira Fora da Caixa", and the "Teatro de Vizinhos" - a community Theatre project in Faro, which aims to offer to the community, a space for creation and expression.





A OPEN CALL

MOMI - International Physical Theatre Festival -Algarve 2021 seeks to bring to the Portuguese cultural panorama a high-quality artistic offer, both nationally and internationally, of renowned companies and/or innovative projects on the rise, offering also a space for emerging contemporary artistic creation in this field and at the same time sharing with international practices.

In this sense, the OPEN CALL consists of selecting projects, based on the submitted proposals, which meet the following conditions:

WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FOR?

This call is open to national and international companies/artists, existing or emerging in the cultural panorama of Physical Theatre, to present a performance/show, in one of the representation spaces, as an integral part of the **MOMI - International Physical Theatre Festival - Algarve 2021** program.

The proposed performance/show must be an original creation, with a minimum duration of 40 minutes and a maximum duration of 90 minutes.

Candidates must request simplified technical production logistics. Proposals with production autonomy will be valued.

The Festival's Artistic Direction will choose the projects and places of representation.





PHASES OF THE CALL

1st PHASE - APPLICATION TO BE SUBMITTED BY THE 30th of JUNE (by 11:59 pm)

Applications must be submitted by email, filling the application form provided in www.colectivojat.com with the required documents, through the email: opencallmomi@gmail.com

Only applications that include all the requested information will be considered namely:

Completed form
Artistic curriculum of the company/artist;
Artistic Team and Technical specifications of the perfor- mance/show;
Two photos of the performance/show
Video link of the complete performance/show (if the proposal is a premiere, a link of previous works and a short video of the rehearsal process should be included). The video must be able to be viewed directly online (by link).

Each company/artist can only submit 1 (one) application.





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2nd PHASE - SELECTION

The results will be communicated to the candidates by the 31st of July, 2021.

It will be up to the Festival's Artistic Direction to choose the projects, based on artistic quality, with innovative concepts in terms of language and/or techniques used. Additionally, the characteristics and conditions listed in this call will be taken into account.

3rd PHASE - PRESENTATION

The performances/shows will be held between the **25th and the 28th of November, 2021**, in the city of Faro, in the programmed representation space.





CONDITIONS

The Festival Organization will be responsible for:

 Organizing accommodation for up to 2 people for each selected proposal [2 nights accommodation in a double/twin room];
 Meals for 2 people on the day of the presentation;
 Technical support for the performance/show (sound/lighting);
 Including the selected projects in the Festival's program;
 Contributing financially with the value of €1,000.00 for each selected proposal

Selected Candidates will be responsible for:

 Travelling expenses of the delegation and scenic equipment;
 Assembly and disassembly of the scenography;
 Presenting the performance/show on the agreed day and time;
 Supporting the promotion of MOMI - International Physical Theatre Festival - Algarve through its communication channels (web site, social networks, press office);
 Respecting the Festival rules, namely assembly / disassembly times;
 Respecting the sanitary measures (Covid-19), in force at the date of the festival, during the stay in Faro.





FINAL CONSIDERATIONS

When submitting the application, participants authorize the use of the images sent, solely for the communication and promotion of **MOMI** - International Physical Theatre Festival - Algarve. At no time will the usage of video images surpass 2 minutes, without the express consent of the company/artist.

It is up to the Festival's organization to decide on any situation not contemplated in this Open Call.

Participation in this call implies full acceptance of the above regulations.

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