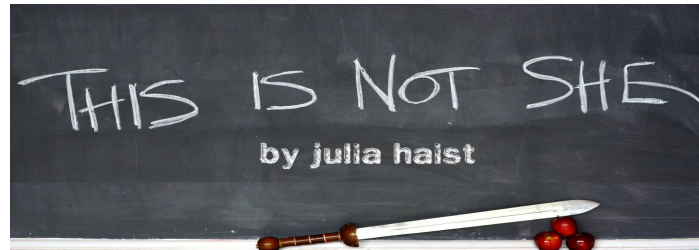


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The Simian Assembly Presents



It's the first day of the new semester, and the grade eleven Shakespeare unit! Take your seat, open your books, and if something seems a little off about Mrs. Lee-Humbert, it's not just you.

*This is Not She* is an immersive solo show written and performed by Julia Haist that explores the relationship between teacher and student, taking dark and unexpected turns along the way. Audience members can expect to read from one of Shakespeare's more obscure plays, *Troilus and Cressida*, share their own thoughts on love and war, and get to know their teacher far more intimately than anyone anticipated, including the teacher herself.

After directing Taylor Marie Graham's script *Cottage Radio* at the 2015 Fireworks Festival at Alumnae Theatre in Toronto, Haist brought her idea for a solo show centred around an English teacher to Graham, who is herself an English professor at Sheridan College in Toronto. **Julia Haist** (*Performer, Playwright*) is a playwright, performer and director based in Toronto. She made her creative debut at the Toronto Fringe Festival in 2013, writing, directing and performing in Slumgum & Quaqua's *Give Up the Ghost*. **Taylor Marie Graham** (*Director, Dramaturg*) is a writer, director, producer, and educator living in Toronto. Taylor is the recipient of the George Ryga Award for Excellence in Playwriting from York University. Her opera *The Virgin Charlie* was nominated in 2008 for a Dora Mavor Moore Award for Outstanding Opera / Musical.

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This is Not She

Written and Performed by Julia Haist

Directed by Taylor Marie Graham

Stage Managed by Angela Sweeting

July 6-15, 2017 daily @ 8pm

With Matinees July 8 and 15 @3pm

Gold Studio, Artscape Youngplace; 180 Shaw St, Toronto

*Please note there is no latecomer seating.*

Tickets on sale June 8, 2017

Online: [fringetoronto.com](http://fringetoronto.com) ● By phone: 416.966.1062

In Person: During the festival at our main box office at the Fringe Club at Scadding Court – 707 Dundas Street West

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