

For Immediate Release

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## **MadFandango Theatre Collective** and the



### **The Trophy Hunt** by Trina Davies

Go on a hunt to stalk something wild and dangerous...you just might find it.

Parker has waited his whole life for this trip. Jan makes this same trip every day, she doesn't have a choice. Soraya wishes they'd all leave her alone to enjoy the sun. Amy just wants a good review on Trip Advisor. *The Trophy Hunt* is an exploration of who eats who in our canned hunt of a world where everything is observed, everything a zoo.

Based on the 'rolling world premiere' concept used by the National New Play Network in the U.S., separate teams of professional artists will interpret and present *The Trophy Hunt* in different ways at Fringe Festivals across the country this summer (Edmonton, Montreal, Toronto Vancouver, and Victoria). Go on a safari in the heart of Toronto with MadFandango Theatre Collective's site-specific, roving production at 401 Richmond St. West.

This world premiere play is written by Governor General Literary Award finalist, Trina Davies: *The Romeo Initiative*, *Silence: Mabel and Alexander Graham Bell* (National Arts Centre and The Grand Theatre), directed by multi Sterling Award nominee/winner, Nancy McAlear: *Miss Bennet: Christmas at Pemberley* (Citadel Theatre), *Hello From Bertha* and *Talk to me Like the Rain* (Shaw Festival), and starring Dora and Canadian Comedy Award winner, Richard Beaune, recent George Brown Theatre graduate, Bonnie Ings, Priya Laishram, and Hillary Warden.

### **MadFandango Theatre Collective**

In association with **The Toronto Fringe Festival** presents

### **The Trophy Hunt**

Written by Trina Davies

Directed by Nancy McAlear

Starring: Richard Beaune, Priya Laishram, Hillary Warden, Bonnie Ings

**Opens July 4<sup>th</sup> – July 13<sup>th</sup>**

**At 401 Richmond St. West** Toronto ON M5V 3A8

#### **Performances**

There are multiple shows per night as follows:

Thursday July 4 shows @ 7PM, 8PM, 9PM, and 10PM

Friday July 5 shows @ 7PM, 8PM, 9PM, and 10PM

Saturday July 6 shows @ 6PM, 7PM, 8PM, 9PM, and 10PM

Thursday July 11 shows @ 7PM, 8PM, 9PM, and 10PM

Friday July 12 shows @ 7PM, 8PM, 9PM, and 10PM

Saturday July 13 shows @ 6PM, 7PM, 8PM, 9PM, and 10PM

### **Tickets**

Online tickets available June 6, 2019

Purchase online: [fringetoronto.com](http://fringetoronto.com)

By Phone: 416-966-1062

In Person: During the festival at POSTSCRIPT, the patio at The Toronto Fringe. Located in the Hockey Rink at 275 Bathurst St. or at the door 1 hour before the performance at 401 Richmond St. West (Richmond and Spadina).

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