



The Ashes of Forgotten Rain

A Pretentious Comedy About Backstage Drama

The Ashes of Forgotten Rain is a story about the true indie theatre experience: taking yourself too seriously. It's a pretentious story about being pretentious. A deep dive into shallow waters. A feminist perspective written by a man. The Ashes of Forgotten Rain is a fast-paced, hard-hitting comedy for anyone who loves the theatre and is willing to laugh at themselves for it.

Norman Hussey, co-founder of Missed Metaphor Productions, wrote *The Ashes of Forgotten Rain* as a reaction to his own experiences in the indie theatre world. He takes the piss out of theatre while showcasing his love for it. Missed Metaphor Productions is a company made up of theatregoers, writers, directors, artists, performers, and crew who seek to create and produce original Canadian theatre.

Featuring Jennifer Fahy (*InspiraTO 2018 blueShow award winner, People's Choice award winner*), Laura Mannion, Christine Cortes, Cam Parkes, and Katie Scharf (*Sesame Street, 28 days, Transport Group, Drama Desk award nominee*).

If you've had your fill of dense, heavy-handed sociopolitical commentary then come see this show and let *The Ashes of Forgotten Rain* be your palate cleanser.

Missed Metaphor Productions

in association with The Toronto Fringe Festival presents

The Ashes of Forgotten Rain

Written and directed by Norman Hussey

Starring Jennifer Fahy, Laura Mannion, Christine Cortes, Cam Parkes, and Katie Scharf

Stage managed by Skye Ashby

Opens Friday, July 5th runs to Sunday, July 14th. **Robert Gill Theatre,** 214 College St, Toronto, ON M5T 2Z9

Performances:

Friday, July 5th at 4:00PM Sunday, July 7th, at 4:30PM Tuesday, July 9th at 10:15pm Wednesday, July 10th at 3:45pm Thursday, July 11th at 5:00pm Saturday, July 13th at 7:30pm Sunday, July 14th at 12:00p

Please note that there is absolutely no latecomer seating.

Tickets:

Tickets go on sale June 6th, 2019 Purchase online: 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 Street (Dundas + Bathurst).

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