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Bashir Productions at the Tristan Bates Theatre

A showcase of emerging talent

25th September 2019

12pm & 3pm

Bashir Productions is bringing an hour of new writing and a cast of exceptional emerging actors to the Tristan Bates Theatre for their only showcase of 2019.

Following the success of 2018's *Here She Is* and *Creative Collisions*, Bashir Productions is focusing on a single showcase to bring only the very best to the west end stage. Expect vibrant, offbeat writing and outstanding performances from a diverse cast.

Industry guests can email bashirtheatre@gmail.com to reserve complimentary tickets.



Joy Waldron, Mimi Malaz Bashir and Crispin Harris

Bashir Productions began in 2016, but came into its own in 2018 when it was registered as a charity. Since then, the company has produced six shows presenting new writing and up-and-coming performers and organised a demonstration at Trafalgar Square in

support of equality in the arts. As a charity, its mission is to provide a platform for emerging artists, with a particular emphasis on underrepresented groups such as BAME, female, working class and disabled creatives, who often struggle to launch their careers. With this goal at its heart, Bashir Productions has made incredible progress in the short time it has been around, and continues to push its work further and create better opportunities for the artists it supports.

The production team for this showcase includes company founder **Mimi Malaz Bashir**, trustee **Joy Waldron**, and head director **Crispin Harris**, whose decades of experience in the industry are an invaluable asset to this young company.

“I am very honoured to have Crispin Harris as our head director. The team and I are very excited for our third showcase”- Mimi Malaz Bashir

Keep an eye on www.bashirproductions.org or @Bashirtheatre on Twitter for updates about the showcase lineup, or email us directly at bashirtheatre@gmail.com for more information.

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