

# BRASH

## **Job Vacancy - Ankles - Stage Manager**

Fee: £1000 for approx. 10 days work in October 2021

### **About Ankles**

This is our book of spells. We put words in here, so that a change comes out.

Born from teenage girls' experiences of gendered school uniform policies, Ankles is a live Book of Spells to cast away victim-blaming culture. The show uses poetry, movement, and a haunting musical score to relate the experiences of young people, and ask, how can we teach young people that female and non-binary bodies don't belong to men?

Ankles is currently undergoing a research & development process, and this role is to Stage Manage 2 work-in-progress performances at Live Theatre in October 2021.

### **Key Responsibilities**

- Liaise with Artistic Director and Producer on practical, artistic, and technical requirements for performance
- Attend site visits with Producer and/or AD to investigate practical, artistic and technical requirements for performances and workshops, and liaise with site staff on these
- Take responsibility for technical specifications of the performances
- Manage health and safety of the performances and rehearsals
- Liaise with venue technical staff in rehearsals and during performances to ensure the performances are technically operated correctly
- Organise crew and staff members
- Attend and coordinate rehearsals as required
- Liaise with videographer during performances
- Coordinate set requirements of the performances
- Coordinate get in, and get out, and technical and dress rehearsals of the performances

### **Person Specification**

Essential:

- Experience as Stage Manager in a professional theatre environment
- Exceptional organisational and time management skills

- Exceptional communication skills
- Knowledge of technical aspects of professional theatre productions
- Passion for the creative side of technical theatre and ability to work alongside an Artistic Director to deliver an artistic vision

Desirable:

- Experience managing health and safety aspects of theatre productions
- The ability to manage unexpected obstacles in a high-pressured environment
- Experience working with other technical staff

Please apply by sending a short expression of interest and a CV to Bethan Kitchen at [bethan@brashtheatre.co.uk](mailto:bethan@brashtheatre.co.uk) by 5pm on 24th September 21.