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DOPPELGÄNGSTER

AS PART OF THE MELBOURNE FRINGE FESTIVAL 2020, LA MAMA NORTH AND DOPPLEGANGSTER **PRESENT:**

BAD REPUTATION ONLINE NOVEMBER 18 - 29 / 2.5 hours

An urgent international response to life under lockdown from world-leading political activist theatre company Doppelgangster.

Bad Reputation is a pioneering example of the potential for creative collaboration across time zones despite pandemic restrictions. Produced with an internationally distanced team of artists and a cast of young adults from the UK and Australia, this audio series collides personal experiences and subversive fantasies of life under lockdown with George Toudouze's classic tale of suspense at sea, 'Three Skeleton Key'.

Tune in online to this mesmerising and psychedelic account of three lighthouse keepers imperilled by oppressive fog on an isolated island. When a ship ignores their light and smashes into the rock nothing prepares them for what's on board! Cranking up the tension in this thrilling and darkly comic audio work, Doppelgangster confronts the difficulties and depression of social isolation, globalisation, and economic crisis.

This innovative and experimental performance features the company's renowned postdramatic anarchy; a doomy and chaotic score from jazz luminary Jules Pascoe (JAZZPARTY, On Diamond, Ruby Jones Experience); and inspired performances from BA Acting & Performance (Sheffield Hallam University, South Yorkshire) and the BA Creative Arts (La Trobe University, Victoria).

On Doppelgangster:

"Wildly experimental and wildly entertaining." Daily Review

"Theatrical Saboteurs" The Age

"Audacious, chaotic, and brazenly charming" Arts Hub



Written by Tobias Manderson-Galvin & Dr Tom Payne with **BA Acting & Performance students from Sheffield Hallam** University (UK) and BA Creative Arts students from La Trobe University

Composition by **Jules Pascoe (JAZZPARTY)**

Performed by the students: Maraya Ashworth, Georgina Beresford, Richard Delroy, Connie Fiddament, Lakshmi Ganapathy, Morgan-Belle Holmes Bradshaw, Zac Jansen, Jessie Jones, Clara Kerviel, Harry Marciniak, Claude Sarmiento, Mo Sheryar, Matthew Skelton, and Erica Vandenberg

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