Since its formation in 2005, Critical Stages Touring has grown to become one of Australia's leading producers of independent touring theatre. Our vision is to enable communities everywhere to have the same access to high quality theatre as metropolitan audiences, and to foster a sustainable and diverse national independent theatre sector.

We champion outstanding independent artists and companies around Australia, helping them to achieve their touring ambitions. In 2022 no less than twelve Australian works, including two world premiere productions, will reach almost eighty communities in every state and territory. We can now take that work even further, with our productions set to entertain audiences in New Zealand and the United Kingdom.

We also broker relationships, connecting artists with presenters — whether they be festivals, small or large performing arts venues, or a much-loved community hall. We bring people together to create unforgettable experiences. We support our artists' ambitions to breathe new life into their work and build sustainable practices, and we help our presenters foster a love and passion for the performing arts in their local community.

Through forums, mentorship and residencies, we also work closely with industry to provide opportunities to exchange ideas, start and continue vital conversations, build skills and resilience, and establish networks across the performing arts spectrum.

How you can help...

As a small not-for-profit organisation, Critical Stages Touring relies on government support and private donations to keep operating. You can help today simply by making a small tax-deductible donation. Your support plays a crucial role in allowing us to continue providing audiences right round the country with powerful theatrical experiences long into the future.

We have an ambitious and exciting future of new work and initiatives, and you can help us realise our vision. You can donate easily via PayPal from our website at www.criticalstages.com.au or use the form overleaf. As a special thank you, as well as our extreme gratitude, you will receive exclusive updates from our cast and crew as they take their shows on the road as well as acknowledgement on the digital donor wall on our website.

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