



Ragroof Players call-out for older female actor

We are seeking an older female actor to play Ruby, age 70+, a character who migrated to the UK from the Caribbean, Africa or India as a young woman in the 1950s/1960s.

Bridges y Puentes is a site-specific promenade show, staged in a car park/warehouse. It is an ongoing work – substantially researched, re-scripted and re-staged at each new site. It presents true-life stories of migration, exploring the theme of 'home' and 'homeland' using a multiplicity of languages – spoken, sung, played, and danced. It is presented by a cast of five actor-dancers and a musician-actor.

Ragroof is re-casting for 2017 presentations in Hull, London, and Dover. The company are working in collaboration with Theatre Royal Stratford East, Freedom Festival Hull and Dover Big Local, auditions will be held in London.

Essential skills:

Highly skilled actor with a minimum of 5 years professional experience
Some singing experience/skill, to a moderate level
Some dance or movement theatre skills, to a moderate level
Experience in making devised ensemble theatre

Preferred skills:

Speaks more than one language
Partner/social dance experience

We encourage applications from BAME performers, and from performers who who have a refugee heritage or are immigrants.

Key Dates:

Closing date for applications: extended to 19 May 2017
Audition 25 May 2017
London devising / rehearsals: 31 July – 18 August 2017
On-site rehearsals Hull: 21 August – 31 August 2017
Shows Hull: 1 – 3 September 2017
London residency: 11 – 14 September 2017
London shows: 15 – 17 September 2017
Dover residency: 18 – 21 September 2017
Dover shows: 22 – 24 September 2017

Please send:

CV
One paragraph detailing your interest in the role.
A link to a short clip of you performing (if available) plus photos
Your availability for an audition on 25 May
Please send to: jobs@ragroofplayers.co.uk

Further research:

Company website: <http://www.ragroofplayers.co.uk/bridges-y-puentes.html>
Research archive/heritage site: www.bridgesypuentes.com

Facebook page: Bridges y Puentes **Twitter:** @Ragroof #BridgesyP **Instagram:** @Ragroof #BridgesyP