



Sadler's Wells

breakin convention

NL TOUR 2024

FEBRUARI & MAART '24

ROTTERDAM - BREDA - AMSTERDAM
EINDHOVEN - DEN HAAG - ZWOLLE
HAARLEM - UTRECHT - KERKRADE

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Tour Schedule

Breakin' Convention is coming to your city!

The Breakin' Convention Netherlands tour features some of the most prestigious crews from around the world performing with national Dutch crews and companies from around the country representing the local flavour.

Crews Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France), Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands) and Spoken Movement (UK) will be at each city.

Rotterdam - Tuesday 20 February

Sororitas (Netherlands)
Create4 (Netherlands)
Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France)
INTERVAL
Spoken Movement (UK)
Redouan Hergelink & Janiro Ottens (Netherlands)
Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

Breda - Wednesday 21 February

Karlijn & Dieke (Netherlands)
Amenti Theater Company (Netherlands)
Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France)
INTERVAL
Spoken Movement (UK)
Threading Theater (Netherlands)
Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

Amsterdam - Thursday 22 February

Karlijn & Dieke (Netherlands)
Amenti Theater Company (Netherlands)
Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France)
INTERVAL
Spoken Movement (UK)
Redouan Hergelink & Janiro Ottens (Netherlands)
Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

Eindhoven - Friday 23 February

Until Further Notice Crew (Netherlands)
Cristian Boscheri (Netherlands)
Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France)
INTERVAL
Spoken Movement (UK)
Sororitas (Netherlands)
Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

Den Haag - Saturday 24 February

Keshaw (Netherlands)
Tawatha & Mitch (Netherlands)
Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France)
INTERVAL
Spoken Movement (UK)
Threading Theater (Netherlands)
Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

Zwolle - Tuesday 27 February

Until Further Notice Crew (Netherlands)
Keshaw (Netherlands)
Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France)
INTERVAL
Spoken Movement (UK)
Redouan Hergelink & Janiro Ottens (Netherlands)
Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

Haarlem - Thursday 29 February

Until Further Notice Crew (Netherlands)
Cristian Boscheri (Netherlands)
Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France)
INTERVAL
Spoken Movement (UK)
Amenti Theater Company (Netherlands)
Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

Utrecht - Friday 1 March

Karlijn & Dieke (Netherlands)
Create4 (Netherlands)
Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France)
INTERVAL
Spoken Movement (UK)
Keshaw (Netherlands)
Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

Kerkrade - Sunday 3 March

Create4 (Netherlands)
Cristian Boscheri (Netherlands)
Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France)
INTERVAL
Spoken Movement (UK)
Maren, Naomi, Hamiro (Netherlands)
Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

Line up is subject to change and correct at time of publishing.

Get tickets at breakinconvention.com/netherlands

Ambassadors

Breakin' Convention is grateful to all our ambassadors across the Netherlands! Each worked locally, bridging the gap between theatres and the local hip hop scene.

Pigeons Crew



Yannick



Shaggy



Sasha CVR



Freedom City



Daniel



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INTERNATIONAL CREWS

Compagnie Antoinette Gomis (France) *Les Ombres*

Les Ombres follows men who decide to leave everything to pursue their dream of a better life. From a small African village to a European city, through the desert, the chaos of African capitals and the sea crossing ordeal, these travelers take us in a roller coaster of emotions, hopes and disillusionment through a personal story that will be familiar to many.



Ghetto Funk Collective (Netherlands)

On The One

In "It's on the one" the dancers take the audience on a journey throughout the essence of "the one" drum pattern paying homage to its rich cultural heritage while infusing it with a fresh, modern sensibility in a celebration of funk dance and a testament to the enduring power of this iconic art form.



INTERNATIONAL CREWS + HOST

Spoken Movement (UK)

Family Honour

Family Honour tells the story of a Ghanian family's beginning and their struggle to stay together.

Through a brilliantly unique meeting of hip hop and theatre, the show examines the impact of upholding familial, religious and gender expectations on one's mental health, asking in what ways it's important to maintain family honour.



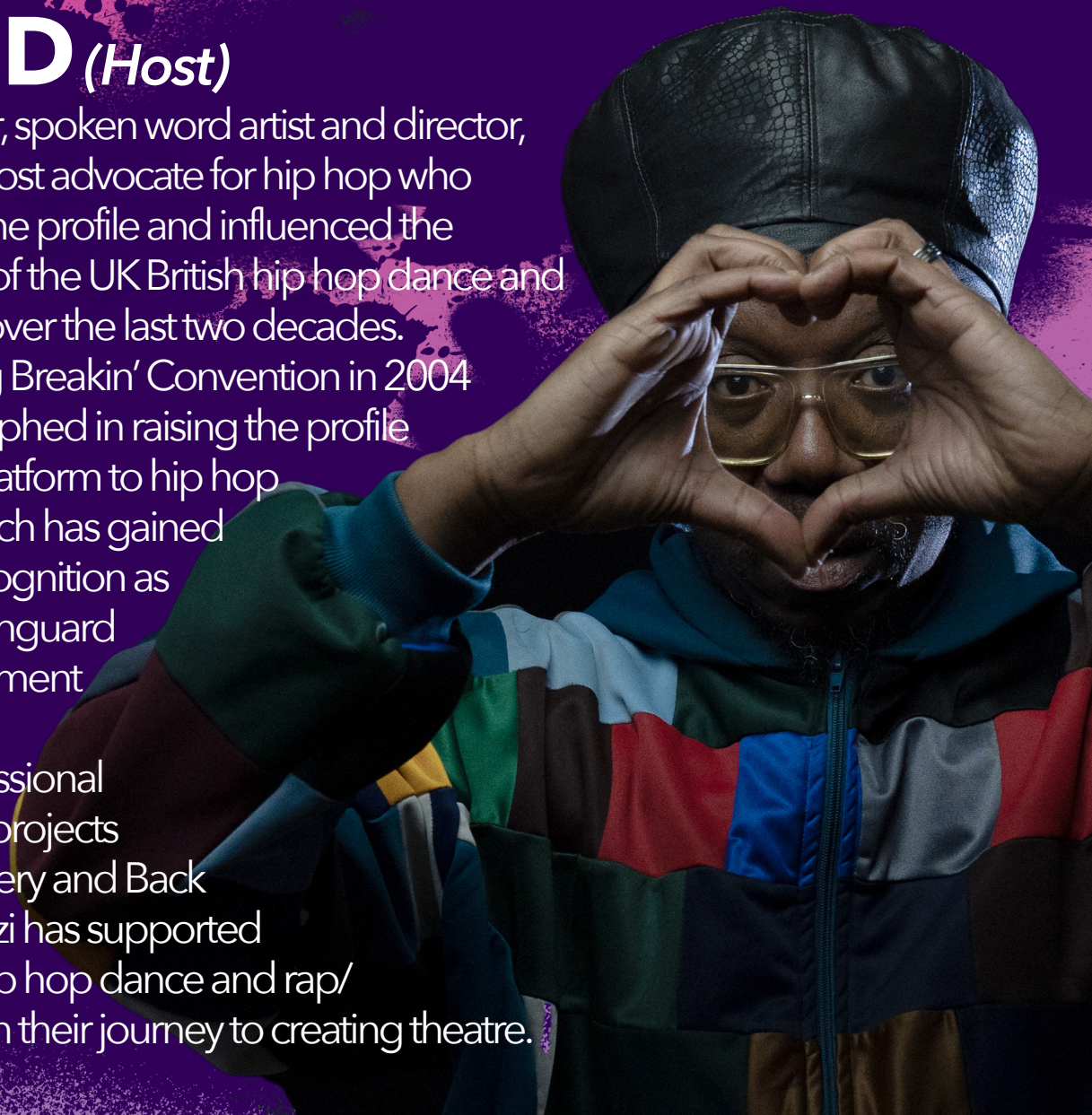
Jonzi D (Host)

An MC, dancer, spoken word artist and director, he is the foremost advocate for hip hop who has changed the profile and influenced the development of the UK British hip hop dance and theatre scene over the last two decades.

Since founding Breakin' Convention in 2004

Jonzi has triumphed in raising the profile and giving a platform to hip hop disciplines, which has gained worldwide recognition as being at the vanguard of the development of the art form.

Through professional development projects Open Art Surgery and Back to the Lab, Jonzi has supported hundreds of hip hop dance and rap/poetry artists on their journey to creating theatre.



LOCAL CREWS

Amenti Theater *NOM.NOS*

Breda | Amsterdam | Haarlem

NOM.NOS is performance by Gil 'the Grid' Gomes Leal and his Amenti Theatre Company. Through West-African myths, the cast will take a journey in which they will search for their original names. Through dance, puppetry, ritual, and oral stories, the cast connects with their ancestors.

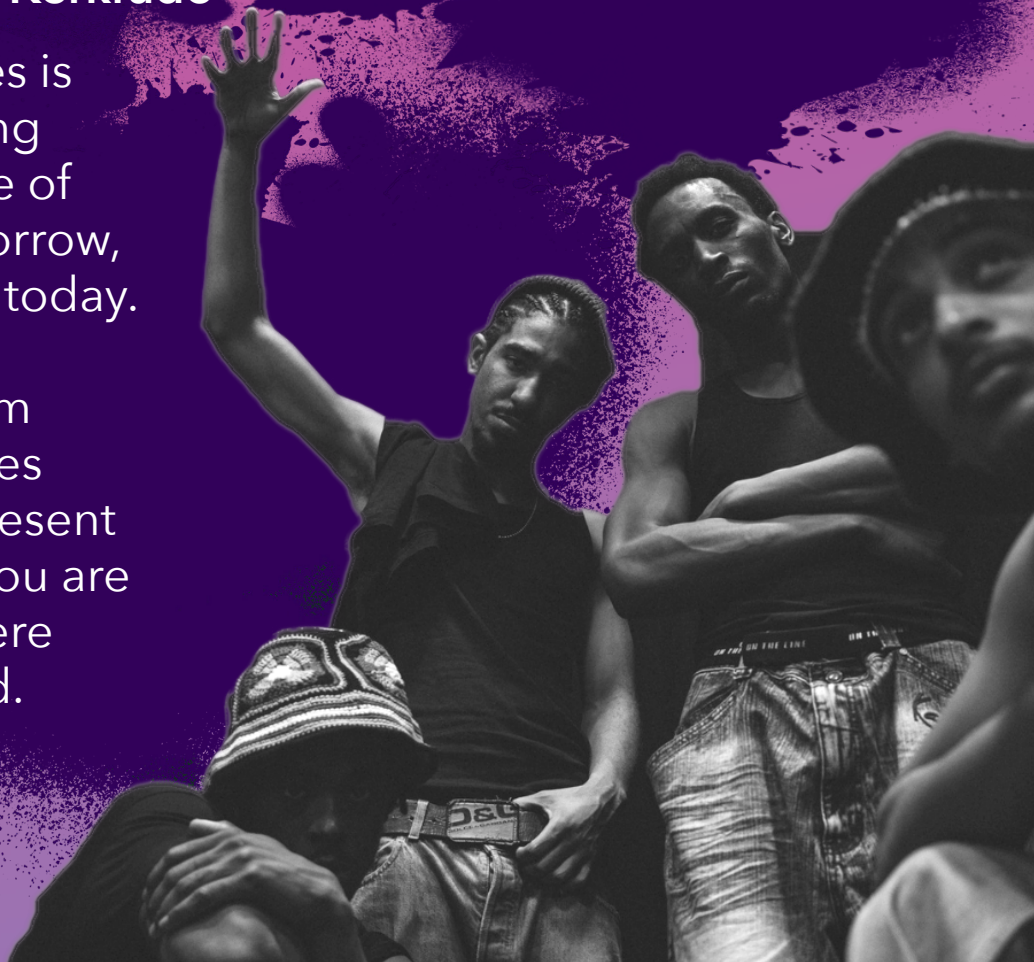


CREATE4 *Until the Quiet Comes*

Rotterdam | Utrecht | Kerkrade

Until the Quiet Comes is a vivid journey seeking for true self and value of existence. From tomorrow, to yesterday, back to today.

Experience living from the past where choices were made, to the present where you are who you are and to the future where expectations are held.



LOCAL CREWS

Cri *Open your mind* Eindhoven | Haarlem | Kerkrade

Cri is an Italian creator, dancer, and comedian. Cri has often been told that his dancing seems very deep. Cri finally takes the floor to explain what his dance is all about, combining breaking and standup comedy and making the effort to speak in front of an audience, something that as a dancer, he is not very comfortable with.



Karlijn & Dieke *TWIST* Breda | Amsterdam | Utrecht

Young makers and dance artists Karlijn Zeeman & Dieke de Jong are showing their first duo piece *TWIST*. The performance is an investigation into the concept of stalking.

Stalking is a common element in dance and clubcultures that focuses on the connection emerging between two people on the dancefloor.



LOCAL CREWS

Keshaw

Metamorphosis: The Art of Dying
Den Haag | Zwolle | Utrecht

Metamorphosis is a universal concept which everyone can relate to. Because it reminds us of the complexities of human existence and the need for empathy and understanding.

In today's society there is a lot of disorder. And in order to evolve out of this disorder we need to alter into a completely new one.



Redouan Hergelink & Janiro Ottens

Synch from each other
Rotterdam | Amsterdam | Zwolle

Synch from each other is a creative collaboration between Janiro Ottens and Redouan Hergelink. The inspiration and concept was about growth of the brain from a newborn.

When born, how do we learn?
Can we understand our self with just one side, one part, one way?



LOCAL CREWS

The Sororitas (Tawatha Neha & Naomi - The Sisters of Battle)

FreeXone

Rotterdam | Eindhoven

The Sororitas, also known as the Sisters of Battle, are a trio of dynamic performers that recently started performing together. These three charismatic ladies forged a strong bond and decided to collaborate. Their debut show, FreeXone, is a tribute to embracing individuality and celebrating diversity.



Tawatha & Mitch Mitta

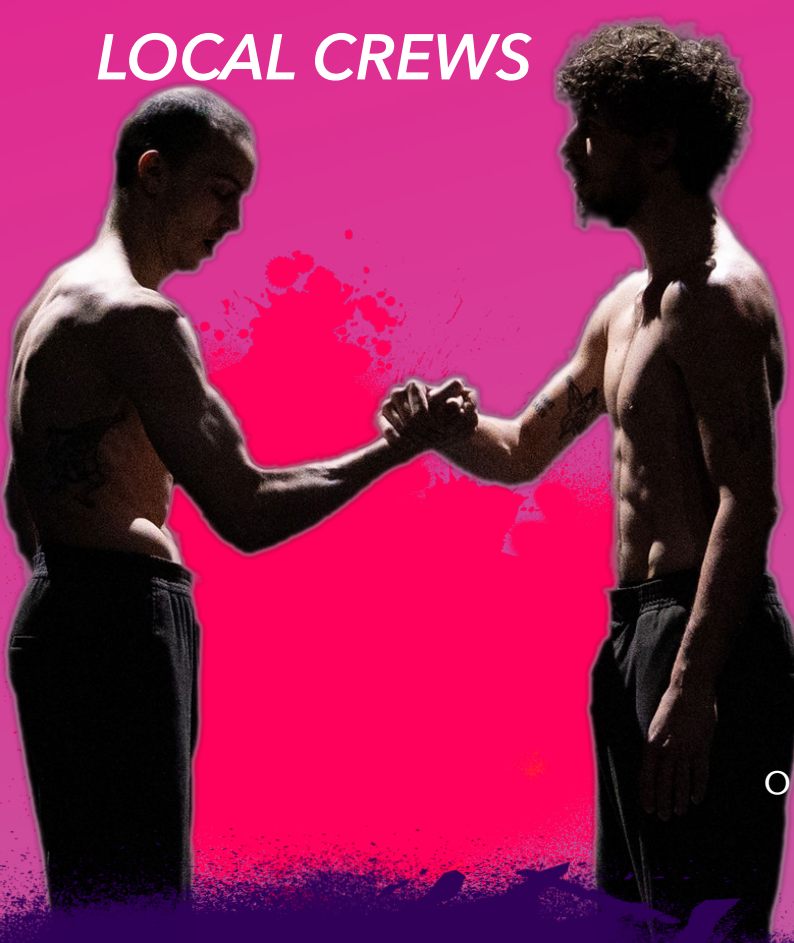
X-Machina: Cross Fade

Den Haag

The story of X-Machina: Cross Fade revolves around an advanced intelligence robot, personified by a powerful popping dancer, Tawatha Camilla, and an obsessively philosophising scientist who gets to test her for the first time, played by an explosive dancer, Mitch Mitta, with a background in martial arts and acrobatic dance.



LOCAL CREWS



Threading Theater *Brothers*

Breda | Den Haag

Brothers is choreographed and performed by Justin de Jager & Sem Deliveyne and the music is composed by Andreas Tegnander. 'Brothers' focuses on the theme of brotherhood. The dancers take you on a journey of support, competition, intimacy and cooperation. They clench limbs and create openings through which they pass together, literally and figuratively.

Until Further Notice Crew

We Sparked The Lite

Eindhoven | Zwolle | Haarlem

Until Further Notice (UFN) is the first and only Litefeet crew in the Netherlands. Together they have been doing battles, showcases and workshops for over 2,5 years. Be ready for a high energy and rhythmic performance!



About Breakin' Convention

Breakin' Convention represents the origins and evolution of hip hop culture from around the world and around the corner. Through our international festivals and tours and professional development programme, Breakin' Convention is at the vanguard of the global development of hip hop theatre artists.

Supporting the artistic vision, hip hop theatre pioneer Jonzi D founded Breakin' Convention, supported by Sadler's Wells in 2004. Breakin' Convention is now part of Sadler's Wells and produces its annual festival there. Since its inception, Breakin' Convention has been pivotal to the development of the global hip hop theatre scene, touring nationally since 2007 and internationally since 2013. Breakin' Convention has now reached live audiences of over 100,000.

Breakin' Convention is committed to the development of hip hop theatre artists by providing a variety of participatory opportunities. These include professional development programmes for choreographers, dancers and emcees, projects for young people and educational activities in schools as well as bespoke special events. **breakinconvention.com**



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