

# THEATRE ROYAL

THEATRE ROYAL PRESENTS DEAD PUPPET SOCIETY'S

## THE WIDER EARTH

BY DAVID MORTON

We really can't wait for this incredible show! Dead Puppet Society brings together some of the most inventive artists in the country, tackling the big issues that animate our understanding of the world, and fusing technology and technical skill in ways that will captivate the imaginations and curiosity of young people and adults alike.

The award-winning drama *The Wider Earth* tells the gripping story behind the rebellious 22-year-old Charles Darwin's daring voyage on HMS Beagle to the far side of the world and one of the most important discoveries in history.

An ensemble cast, remarkable puppetry, cinematic projections and an original score by Lior and Tony Buchen combine to bring to life uncharted landscapes and incredible creatures in this highly ambitious theatrical event.

A production by Dead Puppet Society, Trish Wadley Productions, and Glass Half Full Productions.

**Director and Co-Designer** David Morton

**Creative Producer** Nicholas Paine

**Associate Director** Matt Seery

**Co-Designer** Aaron Barton

**Composers** Lior and Tony Buchen

**Sound Designer** Tony Brumpton

**Associate Sound Designer** Brady Watkins

**Projection Designer** Justin Harrison

**Original Lighting Designer** David Walters

**UK and Tour Lighting Designer** Lee Curran

**Associate Lighting Designer** Christine Felmingham

**Dramaturg** Louise Gough



Thu 31 Mar 2022 07:00 pm  
Fri 1 Apr 2022 07:00 pm



Theatre Royal



### TICKETS

#### Stalls & Dress Circle

Premium & A Reserve \$50

B Reserve \$40 | C Reserve \$30

B Reserve Concession & Child \$35

#### Gallery

Premium & A Reserve \$45

B Reserve \$35 | C Reserve \$30

A/B/C Reserve Child \$30

#### Family (four tickets)

Premium & A Reserve \$180

B Reserve \$140

*\*all bookings made via the website will incur a \$5 Transaction Fee*

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***"No praise could be too high for The Wider Earth, QTC's astonishingly original collaboration with Brisbane's youthful Dead Puppet Society."***

The Australian

***"This is a voyage of extraordinary theatrical discovery that celebrates the power of curiosity, the natural world and big ideas."***

Sydney Morning Herald

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Australian Government  
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This project has been assisted by the Australian Government through the Australia Council, its arts funding and advisory body.



## DURATION

2 hours (with interval)



## PATRONS' ADVICE

Warning: Blackouts, naked flame, theatrical smoke, haze effects and strobe lighting.

Recommended for ages 12+.

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