

CALGARY FRINGE FESTIVAL

Fringe Theatre Artist Contract

August 4 to August 12, 2017

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Companies that are accepted into the 2017 Calgary Fringe Festival may withdraw from the event and receive a 50% refund of the application fee (equaling \$ 350.00) up to and including March 1, 2017. If a company withdraws from the festival after March 1, 2017, they forfeit 100% of their fees. Those companies on the waiting list may withdraw from the list at any time and receive a full refund of their application fee (minus processing fee). All notices of withdrawal must be made in writing and signed by the primary contact.

The Calgary Fringe Festival reserves the right to cancel confirmed applications should circumstances arise. In such an event, cancelled participants will be placed at the top of the waiting list or they may withdraw from The Festival and receive a full refund of the application fee.

If The Calgary Fringe Festival or participant performances are delayed, interrupted or prevented by reason of an act of nature, fire, flood, war, public disaster, strikes, labour difficulties, governmental enactment, regulation or order, certified illness, or any other cause beyond The Festival's control, The Festival will not be liable for any loss of revenue or expenses incurred. Please be aware that by signing this application, your company agrees to adhere to the laws of Alberta, the policies, procedures and safety guidelines as set forth by The Calgary Fringe Festival as well as act in the best interest of The Festival at all times. The Festival reserves the right to remove any company or cancel any/all performances of a company that does not abide by the policies of The Festival. As one of the companies accepted into the 2017 Calgary Fringe Festival, this application will be considered a signed agreement between you and The Festival. It will then be understood that you will be considered a contract player/performer of the 2017 Calgary Fringe Festival (NOT an employee) and as a contract player/ performer, you are entitled to receive 100 % of the ticket price you set. You are guaranteed six (6) performance slots during the run of the 2017 Calgary Fringe Festival and could potentially make \$ 5,400 (based on a 90 seat house and ticket price of \$ 10 per ticket). PLEASE NOTE: this amount is NOT guaranteed. This is just a projection on how well you could potentially do if you were to sell all 90 seats per performance.

By electronically completing the below, you have indicating that you have:

- Read and understood the Calgary Fringe Policies
- Retained a copy of this contract for yourself.
- Noted that; as Primary Contact I am responsible for acquiring all applicable permits (permissions, visas, tax waivers), and for the payment of all applicable taxes and fees (GST, federal tax, play rights, Equity, ACTRA, SOCAN, etc.) for the company.

Name of Theatre Company/Artist

Accepted by (print name of Primary Contact)