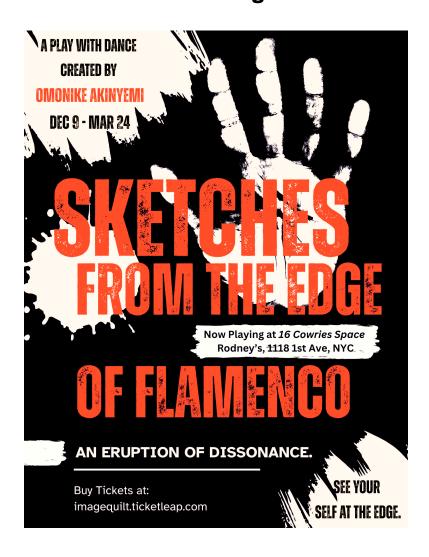
# **Sketches from the Edge of Flamenco**



## **Press Release**

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"Sketches from the Edge of Flamenco" Opens in NYC December 9 — A Bold, Multi-Sensory Journey Into the Heart of Flamenco

New York, NY — Image Quilt Dance Theater announces the NYC opening of "Sketches from the Edge of Flamenco," a theatrical work written and directed by Omonike Akinyemi, a two-time New York Foundation for the Arts Fellow. The production premieres December 9 and runs monthly through March 24 at 16 Cowries Space at Rodney's.

#### WHAT ARE THE SKETCHES ABOUT?

#### Rumba Oficina

Circe, a stressed-out but deeply optimistic stockbroker, announces she has sold her shares—sending the office into comedic chaos.

#### The Tangos

Friends meet at a café to do flamenco. A young woman recognizes her ex among them and seeks "flamenco therapy."

### Las Cumadres Hechiceras

Based on a Sephardic folktale, a nanny in Medieval Spain contemplates abducting her employer's baby.

## I Feel Pretty Too, Bitch

A flamenco dancer discovers her prized dress was delivered to her neighbor—sparking a fiery meditation on beauty and identity.

## Intergalactica

A surreal corporate scheme recruits people to live "worry-free"... inside a bottle.

### **CREATIVE TEAM**

On-screen performers: Dwayne Beach, Orisa Gutierrez, Rebekah Joann Guerra, Katia Flores, Anna Krezel, Kevin LaMarr Jones, La Rosaline, Aliesha Bryan, Jose Raul Mangual, Amiere Bell, Desire Carlson, Beth Jacobs, Yurika Ono, and Angelica Mondol Viaña.

Music by Ana Maria Ruimonte, Alan Lewine, and The Temptations. Animation by Koi Ren.

## **VENUE**

16 Cowries Space at Rodney's — an intimate, fluid venue for dance and theater.

## **TICKETS**

\$35 (includes a \$20 cover for refreshments). Performances: Monthly, Dec 9 – Mar 24.

Get Tickets: http://imagequilt.com