

MEDIA RELEASE

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Amy and Rosana Cade:

# Sister

**Amy is a sex worker. Her sister, Rosana, is a radical lesbian. They are both feminists. Together, they reveal everything in this powerful and joyous performance, exploring female sexual identity, feminism and choice.**

*Sister* weaves together their autobiographical stories of growing up, individual contrasting sexual experiences, pole dancing, lap dancing and childhood family videos in an intimate strip club setting, which they inhabit, subvert and eventually deconstruct.

*Sister* is a bold and unflinching performance, in which Amy and Rosana attempt to understand their own and each other's sexual identities and uncover new feminist possibilities. The unique collaboration began when the pair danced naked in Nic Green's award-winning feminist performance, *Trilogy*, at the Edinburgh Fringe in 2009.

*"robust humour and unflinching integrity... leaves you caught between laughter and tears."* ★★★★★

The Herald

**Rosana Cade** is a Glasgow-based artist whose solo work and research is rooted in queer discourse. She received the Athena Award for *Walking: Holding* in 2011, which has since toured extensively, including as part of **SPILL National Showcase 2013**. Rosana is also a co-founder of *//BUZZCUT//*, a collaboration dedicated to creating exciting, experimental events for live performance. **Amy Cade** is a Berlin-based artist, sex worker and sex activist. She is also one half of *Us*; an art collective that creates performance events to celebrate the diversity of sex, sexuality and gender.

*"strange, beautiful and disturbing."* ★★★★★

The Scotsman

*"Outstanding Show"*

Fringe Review (Brighton Fringe 2014)

*Sister* has been developed in association with **The Arches**, and with support from the **National Theatre Studio** and **Battersea Arts Centre**. It premiered at *Behaviour 2014* and is part of the **Made in Scotland Showcase**.

[www.rosanacadedotcom.wordpress.com](http://www.rosanacadedotcom.wordpress.com)

[facebook.com/sisteratthefringe](https://facebook.com/sisteratthefringe)

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## LISTINGS INFORMATION | Amy and Rosana Cade: *Sister*

Preview Fri 1<sup>st</sup> August 2014 Preview 8.15pm (75mins) | £10

Sat 2nd – Sun 24<sup>th</sup> August 2014 (not Tuesdays) | 8.15pm (75mins) | £13/£11 conc.

Sat 9<sup>th</sup>, Wed 20<sup>th</sup> 2014 | BSL interpreted performances

[www.summerhall.co.uk](http://www.summerhall.co.uk) | 0845 874 3000 | Summerhall Old Lab, Summerhall Place, Edinburgh EH9 1QH

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## NOTES TO EDITOR |

- **The Arches** breaks down traditional notions of what an arts venue should be. [www.thearches.co.uk/about-us](http://www.thearches.co.uk/about-us).
- **Made in Scotland** is a curated showcase of high quality performance from Scotland at the world's biggest art festival, made possible by support from the Scottish Government's Edinburgh Festivals Expo Fund. It is a partnership between the Festival Fringe Society, the Federation of Scottish Theatre (FST), Scottish Music Centre and Creative Scotland. [www.madeinscotlandshowcase.com](http://www.madeinscotlandshowcase.com).
- **The Edinburgh Festival Fringe** is the largest arts festival in the world and takes place every August for three weeks in Scotland's capital city. [www.edfringe.com/about-us](http://www.edfringe.com/about-us).

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