

Breaking through the barriers of male/female partnering with Allen's signature momentum and breathtaking elevations, Jericho explores the architecture of the human spirit in a physical and fluid crossing of borders. Kaeja Elevations are developed by Allen Kaeja, from two decades of refined exploration and collaboration with Karen Kaeja.



Concept and choreography: Allen Kaeja

Created with and performed by Ut i Scenekunsten (Oslo, Norway)

Dancers: Stian Danielsen, Catharina Vehre Gresslien, Irene Theisen, Nasser Mhende, Ratih Windrati

Composer: Edgardo Moreno

Lighting designer: Peter Albers

Costume designer: Signe Vasshus

Producer: Baerum Kulturhus

Commissioned by: Akershus Fylkeskommune & Baerum Kulturhus (Oslo, Norway)



Press/Testimonials

"Incredibly fast-paced, Jericho is charged and surging with energy that is perilous and volatile. Performed with relentless momentum and its female interpreters truly transcend customary female roles in dance. Their presence are refreshingly resilient, unassailable and unyielding, vehemently delivering every breathtaking movement and elevation."

-Tina Chu, Mondo Magazine

"carries the trademark stamp of his hyper physical, high impact choreographic style; as much pugilistic contact sport as dance in the conventional sense."

- Michael Crabb, Toronto Star

"dancers challenge, intimidate, force, crush, lift, push and pull one another throughout the empty space. It was amazing to see the physical strength and agility of the female dancers, as there were clearly no limitations."

- Adelina Fabiano, Mooney on Theatre

"contact improv gone wild"

-Paula Citron, Globe and Mail

Technical Requirements

Minimal stage with dance floor (25' X 25'),
basic sound and lighting plot

Minimum 5,000 lumens video projector
Video projector will be provided by the
Company if one is not available

For standalone presentations of the full
work, the Company requests 1 day of
technical rehearsal in the theatre. For
festival presentations, the Company will
request 4 hours of technical rehearsal and
setup time

The company will travel with 5 dancers
and 1 stage/lighting manager



Videos

Trailer: <http://bit.ly/Jericho-Trailer>

Full Video <https://vimeo.com/25180238>

For Password to view the full piece please
email urban@kaeja.org

BOOKINGS AND INFO

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World Premiere

The world premiere of Jericho took place at Baerum Kulturhus in Oslo, Norway on February 17, 2011. The North American premiere took place during Kaeja d'Dance's twentieth-anniversary production, 20/20 Vision, presented as a part of Harbourfront Centre's NextSteps Series at Enwave Theatre, April 12-16, 2011.

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