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PRESS RELEASE

**Reha Ozcan  
(Turkey)  
Ruki  
by Rike Reiniger**



**'For a long time the system in the city was different. For Jews, blacks, homosexuals and gypsies life became unbearable. Professional boxing didn't exist for Gypsies, forbidden. We were doing whatever we learned when we were children. Staying alive somehow.'**

**Ruki** is based on the real life story of Johann Rukeli Trollmann who was German Light Heavyweight Champion in 1933.

The story is told by his fictional best friend Hans. Ruki and Hans' friendship starts on a rainy November morning with a warm 'good morning' and an apple, but nobody could guess where it would end. Shoulder to shoulder through their youth and the dramatic changes of the Nazi regime, their friendship becomes an unpredictable journey.

A one man play with multiple characters, shadow games, mime and a puppet show makes for an unforgettable experience.

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**Listings Information**

Venue C cubed, Brodie's Close, Lawnmarket, EH1 2PS, venue 50  
Dates 2-14 Aug  
Time 20:30 (hr55)  
Ticket prices £8.50-£10.50 / concessions £6.50-£8.50 / under 18s £4.50-£6.50  
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