

EAST OF THE SUN WEST OF THE MOON

Presented by **MOTUS O** dance theatre



THE COMPANY

Working as a collective since 1990, the three Artistic Directors of this dance troupe and winners of the “Contact East Touring Award” creates works of physical inventiveness that portray the human experience through humour and pathos. Innovative costuming, props, sets and music are integral components of their visually stimulating, physically challenging and communicative work. This company has toured extensively throughout Australia, England, the USA and Canada.

THE STORY

East of the Sun, West of the Moon is a mythological story exploring the timeless themes of love, human error and redemption. The story’s setting is the Northern wilderness of Scandinavia, mirroring the geography of Northern Canada. The re-imagining of this folk tale breathes new life, humour and relevance into a very old story. Weaving both movement and spoken word this latest MOTUS O creation inspires and empowers both the young and the young at heart. The story, *East of the Sun*, was adapted by Eleanor Albanese; choreography by MOTUS O; music by Peter Jarvis and Paul Tedeschini.

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| SHOW LENGTH | - 50 MIN plus a question and answer period and/or meet the artist |
| AGE SUITABILITY | - 6 years and up |
| REQUIREMENTS | - Clean space (stage or gym floor, Min 20ft wide, 15ft deep, 10ft high) |

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