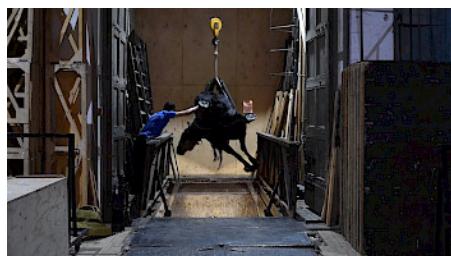




WHY WE FIGHT?

by Alain Platel, Mirjam Devriendt



SYNOPSIS

In his very own radical manner, the Belgian choreographer combines dance and music with interviews and archive images of current political events. The film begins in the rehearsal rooms of his dance company "les ballets C de la B". The group is developing a new piece. During the improvisations, they begin to tear their clothes off. Their fears about the future, shaped by wars, violence and identity crises, are discharged in this physical borderline experience.

With: Bérénice Bodin, Samir M'Kirech, TK Russell, Tinneke Beeckman, Philipp Blom, Teodor Currentzis, Berlinda De Bruyckere, Koert Debeuf,

FESTIVALS

2021

Film Fest Gent
37 DOK.fest Munich

CAST AND CREW

DIRECTOR Alain Platel, Mirjam Devriendt · PRODUCER Emmy Oost (casette for timescapes) · SCORE Steven Prengels · SOUND Jean-François Levillain · EDITOR Dieter Diependaele · DOP Mirjam Devriendt

2021

90 min

FORMAL CATEGORIES

Arts/Culture, Human Rights, Migration, Musical, Social issues

ORIGINAL LANGUAGES

Dutch, French, Arabic, Hebrew

PREMIERE

Gent, Belgien (2021)

COPRODUCTION COMPANY

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LINKS / REFERENCE

PRODUCTION

Cassette for Timescapes

<http://www.timescapes.be/>

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