

Moby Dick

a play by Franziska Steiof with music by Thomas Zaufke

based on the book of the same name by Hermann Melville

with English and Russian surtitles

suitable for theatregoers of 12 years and over

Captain Ahab once lost a leg in a fight with a gigantic white whale, Moby Dick. Since then, he has become a fanatic, a man whose life is driven by one sole desire: revenge. He wants to find and kill the mighty animal, whatever the cost. He promises that whoever spots the whale first will receive a golden doubloon which is nailed to the main mast. Ahab manages to persuade his men to join the hunt and a fateful journey ensues.

Published in 1851, the novel, *Moby Dick*, is a modern myth and a famed work of world literature, moreover, it is a suspense-packed tale of adventure that has captivated both young and old over generations. Franziska Steiof's stage adaption of the book offers up some fantastic characters and, with a marvellous mixture of gently humourous and tempestuously high-octane scenes, the whole spectrum of human emotions. Together with Thomas Zaufke's stirring and atmospheric music, it makes for excellent entertainment for the whole family. Join us on the high seas and experience the tfn's acting ensemble at play and in full voice.

With Gotthard Hauschild (Ismael), Linda Riebau (Whale Woman / Seeress), Simone Mende (Ahab), Jonas Kling (Queequeg), Linda Riebau (The Woman from the Seashore / Gardiner's Voice), Haytham Hmeidan (Starbuck), Nina Carolin (Landlady / Ship's Carpenter), Jeremias Beckford (Mapple / Flask) & Marisa Wojtkowiak (Pip)