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ALLEY CAT THEATER AND OUT LOUD THEATRE TO PRESENT *PLANK* AT THE PROVIDENCE FRINGE FESTIVAL

Boston, MA (6.27.2015) Boston-based **Alley Cat Theater** and **OUT LOUD Theatre** of Providence will present John Greiner-Ferris's *Plank*, at the Providence Fringe Festival on Wednesday, July 22 at 7:00 p.m. and Friday, July 24 at 8:00 p.m. at the URI Providence campus at 80 Washington Street, Providence, Rhode Island.

*Plank* is a play about a woman who is happy and content, adrift in the middle of the ocean on a piece of wood. But then she is "rescued." *Plank* is directed by OUT LOUD Theatre's Founding Artistic Director Kira Hawkridge, and features Tammy Brown, Natasha Cole, Aubrey Dion, Sarah Leach, and Erika Rethorn.

"I wrote Plank to take advantage of the non-traditional theater form in which OUT LOUD Theatre excels, and I was ecstatic when Kira agreed to collaborate on this piece," said Greiner-Ferris

"Being able to work with John on this script has been such a wonderful opportunity and process," said Hawkridge. "We've got such great cast of women working on this project and have really been able to challenge ourselves digging into the ensemble nature of this new work. OUT LOUD is thrilled to be collaborating with Alley Cat Theater, and we are all looking forward to sharing this particular collaboration during the Providence Fringe Festival."

## **About OUT LOUD Theatre**

OUT LOUD Theatre is celebrating it's 3rd full Season in 2015 with a series of projects dedicated to pushing "Beyond The Form". Whether it is challenging the physical playing space, physical boundaries of the actor, or the conventions of audience participation and experience, OUT LOUD Theatre strives to infuse it's visceral nature and immersive storytelling capabilities into an exciting and unpredictable Season. (www.outloudtheatre.org)

**About Alley Cat Theater** 



Founded by playwright John Greiner-Ferris, Alley Cat Theater is a new, playwright-centric theater in Boston that will exclusively produce new plays by Boston playwrights. (www.alleycattheater.org)

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