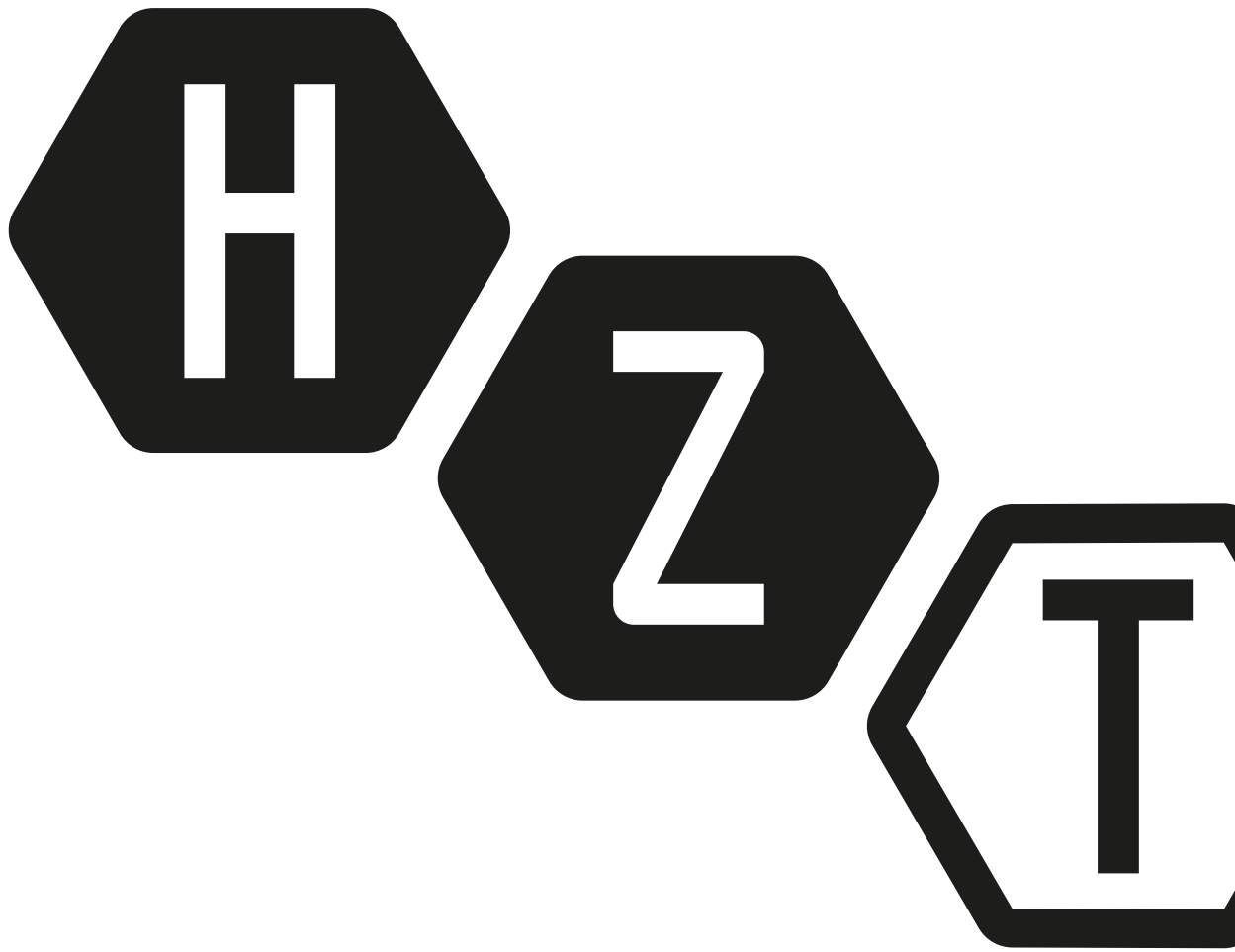


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‘The trees sing a song, the river sings a melody, the water sings the truth, the bird sings the knowledge, the witch sings’

URSULA is a dedication to my grandmother. A love letter to the life of a woman who retreated into vivid inner worlds to find space, voice, and release.

Three performers move through a shifting landscape of fabrics and songs, slipping between layers of reality and imagination.

Through whispered confessions, fractured harmonies and tactile movement, ‘URSULA’ explores the blurred line between presence and absence, memory and invention, the collective and the individual. It speaks to the long history of women labeled 'hysterical' for feeling too much, imagining too freely – a story not of personal pathology, but of collective survival and resistance.

Where does imagination end and madness begin?

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Concept & Choreography: **Ella Olivia Bender Semerci**

Performance & co-creation: **Lotta Leitz, Diana Pop, Ella Olivia Bender Semerci**

Sound design: **Matias Milling**

Stage design: **Madeleine Duflot**

Mentor: **Lina Gómez**

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BA GRADUATE WORKS 2025

Wed, 17.09.2025

18:00h + 20:00h

Frida Zack and guests SPECK

Fri, 19.09.2025

18:00h + 20:00h

Sefa Okutan Karakoncolos

19:00h

Marie Stremmel There is a place that I call my home

Tue, 23.09.2025

19:00h

Pelusia / Mateo Argerich Psycho-Buddha

Thu, 25.09.2025

18:00h + 20:00h

Milena Stein in company Safe Mob

19:00h

Anton Gerzina Pipes and Peers

Sat, 27.09.2025

18:00h + 20:00h

Mahshad Rezai Can we meet today?

19:00h

Ella Olivia Bender Semerci URSULA

FREE ADMISSION

Ticket booking: <https://pretix.eu/hzt-berlin/ba-25/>

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