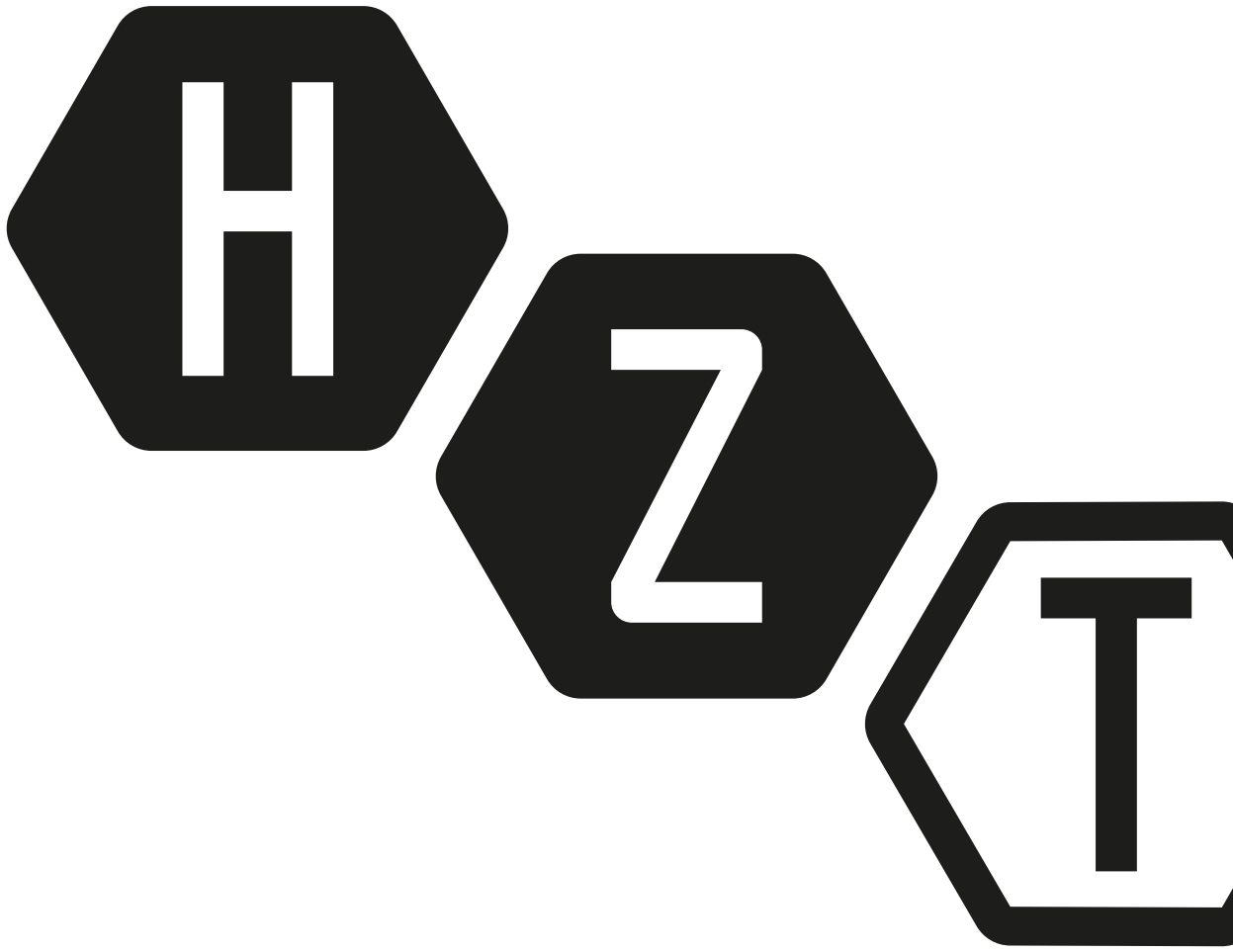


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BA Graduate Works 2025



SPECK
FRIDA ZACK
AND GUESTS



„bless our fat bodies, they were the first ones to give us comfort“

from „Incantation: ‘a prayer for us’“

by Provvidenza Catalano

Every body has fat. **Fat is an essential part of our being. A soft spot beneath your fingers, a squishy, living material that shapes you. It is presence and protection, weight and warmth, function and form.**

Not every body is fat. **Some bodies are shamed for their weight. Labeled “too much,” “too lazy,” or “too unhealthy.” they get pushed to the margins of spaces, into zones of shame and battlefields of judgment.** Especially in the field of dance.

Between bittersweet landscapes of flesh, breathless exhaustion from fighting and the power of thunderthighs the performance SPECK opens a world where [thick] bodies dance through memories of shame, fragile moments of vulnerability and the joy of self-acceptance.

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SPECK

Concept, Choreography, Performance: **Frida Zack**

Co-creation & Performance Group SPECKIES: **Mette Gabler, Amelie Herm, Sabrina Rücker, (not on stage: Ozlo Kraft, Luna Powierski)**

Co-choreography & Background Dance "Hips Don't Lie":
Edgar Mauser, Coco Watts

Stage: **Tabea Jorcke**

Mentors: **Olympia Bukakkis, Ana Lessing Menjibar**

Special Thanks: **Mim Schneider, Stella Kwarteng**

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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 scale flakes are pipes

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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