



**Call for applications
(deadline 19.04.21)**

**LABO PRO: MASTERCLASS WITH GREGORY CAERS
30.06.21 - 02.07.21 (Rotondes, Luxembourg)**

Rotondes has invited Belgian director and choreographer Gregory Caers to lead the 5th edition of the *Labo Pro*, its annual masterclass for artists. The creation process with youngsters will be the leading topic of this 3-day masterclass. The focus will be on the importance of developing and giving good tasks to youngsters in order to generate material for a performance created by and with them. The masterclass is aimed at artists working in the field of performing arts (mainly theatre and dance, i.e. directors, choreographers and theatre pedagogues), who create with or for children and youngsters.

Rotondes is a one-of-a-kind venue consisting of two abandoned railway roundhouses. The cultural centre hosts events that range from performing to visual arts, as well as numerous conferences, group projects and workshops for all ages. The *Labo Pro* masterclass encourages encounters and exchanges between artists who have a specific interest in working for and with young audiences. The Rotondes collaborate with its international ASSITEJ partners to support the participation of several young foreign artists. The previous *Labo Pro* were held by the artists Johan de Smet (BE), Ania Michaelis (DE), Kjell Moberg (NO) and Agnès Limbos (BE).

The *Labo Pro* is organized with the support of the Œuvre Nationale de Secours Grande-Duchesse Charlotte.

Gregory Caers

Gregory Caers is an actor, director and choreographer. He has played and directed at the National Theater Ghent and the Kopergieterij. In 2011, together with Wim De Winne and Ives Thuwis, he founded the company *Nevski Prospekt*, one of Belgium's most renowned groups in the performing arts field for young audiences

In 2019, he became the artistic leader of an international cooperation project, titled *Identity*. The project involved 19 young people from four different countries and four theatres (JES - Germany, AGORA - Belgium, TAK Theater - Liechtenstein and Rotondes - Luxembourg). In the 4 partner countries the premiere and the shows were cancelled due to Covid-19 restrictions.

General information

- **Date** 30.06.21 - 02.07.21
- **Location:** Rotondes, Luxembourg-city (Place des Rotondes L-2448 Luxembourg)
- **Organizer:** Rotondes (www.rotondes.lu)
- **Language:** English

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