# VISITORS A MUSIC VIDEO

CONZEPT & CHOREOGRAPHY: FINJA KELPE & VERENA ECCARDT DIRECTION, CAMERA, POST-PRODUCTION: VERENA ECCARDT DANCERS: AMIE JAMMEH, ARIANNA DI PALMA, ELLA SANDSJÖ, FINJA KELPE, ISABELLA BLUM, LAURA MANZ, MARIE HÖHNE SET-DESIGN: LAURA FRIES | LIGHTING DESIGN: MICHAEL WONG FASHION-DESIGN: ATELIER HAAS | STYLING: LAURA FRIES & LISA HAAS MUSIC: AMY AYANDA - VISITORS

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## **WE ARE ALL JUST VISITORS**

South Africa, Germany, - 14th March 2019

The official music video "Visitors" by Amy Ayanda was released on YouTube, choreographed and directed by Verena Eccardt and Finja Kelpe.

The contemporary art piece follows seven dancers through three aesthetically appealing set designs.

The video visualizes the togetherness of women that supports their individual liberation from society's oppressive structures.

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Dancers: Amie Jammeh, Arianna Di Palma, Ella Sandsjö, Finja Kelpe, Isabella Blum, Laura Manz and Marie Höhne. Set designs were created by Stylist Laura Fries, Lighting by photographer Michael Wong. The costumes were sponsored by Atelier Haas.

Visitors is a collective of dancers based in Europe creating dance pieces for live performances, music videos and short films.

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#### **Director**

Verena Eccardt is a director/cinematographer and dancer based in Berlin.

In 2015 she graduated from Design School in Munich and in 2018 from Iwanson International school of contemporary dance. Since then she combines both of her professions: filming and dance.

Her filmography includes two dance short films, two music videos, and several trailers for contemporary dance performances.

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## Choreographer

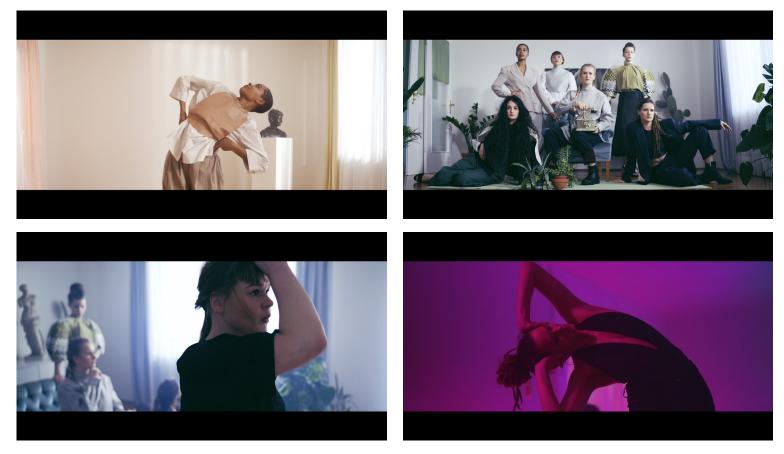
Finja Kelpe is a dancer, teacher and choreographer based in Hamburg. 2018 She graduated from Iwanson International school of contemporary dance and 2021 received a second diploma from Copenhagen Dance-education Danseuddannelsen.

Finja danced for commercial TV- Shows, stageproductions such as Michael Jackson Tribute show, Helene Fischer Show, in the ensemble for the musical Hair and abroad for Celebrity Cruises. 2022 she was judging at the just dance Competition in Hamburg.

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## **THE ISLAND OF RENEGADES**

A dance short film



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"Blurring the lines between electronica, jazz and experimentalpop, Cape Town's favourite multimedia artist and songstress Amy Ayanda delivers a beautifully crafted video for "Visitors" featuring an array of performing dancers during a day-setting, before bursting into a radiant, fluorescent neon-lit dancefloor casting sha-dows upon synchronized theatrics."

## (Red Bull / 10 Aesthetically Appealing Music Videos Written by Shannon Lawlor)

https://www.redbull.com/za-en/10-Aesthetically-Appealing-Music-Videos



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### **CREDITS:**

## **Concept & Choreography:**

Finja Kelpe & Verena Eccardt

### **Direction, Camera, Post-Production:**

Verena Eccardt

#### **Dancers:**

Amie Jammeh, Arianna Di Palma, Ella Sandsjö, Finja Kelpe, Isabella Blum, Laura Manz, Marie Höhne

## **Set-Design:**

Laura Fries

## **Lighting Design:**

Michael Wong

## **Fashion-Design:**

**Atelier Haas** 

## Styling:

Laura Fries & Lisa Haas

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