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Presenting the World Premier of

## **That's MISS FITS, to YOU!**

**@ The New York International Fringe Festival - @FringeNYC**

**August 12-28. Tickets \$18. [www.FringeNYC.org](http://www.FringeNYC.org)**

**A queer murder-mystery musical - That's MISS FITS, to YOU! - tells a trans-poly-gender tale of radical liberation spirit.**

**Follow the investigation into MISS FITS life, a spirit journey touching iconic moments in America's civil rights struggle. From the Stonewall Riots & Judy Garland, to Rosa Parks on the bus in Alabama, the twisting tale and musical extravaganza will leave you singing with self-love.**

**MISS FITS features a melody-rich musical score by composer and human rights activist, Todd "Tif" Fernandez, who explains:**

**"After I wrote MISS FITS, I ended up in Africa living in fear as a gay man. Traumatized, gay rights became my life, and I got 250 groups to take the Equality Pledge demanding full federal equality, which is now our movement's federal goal: The 2015 Equality Act. I later realized MISS FITS was guiding my life to activism, and now to the stage we go!"**

**Director Jonathan Warman is excited about the world premiere, having directed the critically acclaimed New York Premiere of Tennessee Williams' *Now the Cats With Jewelled Claws* that opened the 50th Anniversary Season at The Club at LaMaMa ETC.**

**General Manager, Steve Asher, is a 25 year NYC theatre veteran, previously as Executive Director of the LAByrinth Theater Company and the Ridiculous Theatrical Company.**

**A special casting call goes out to trans actors, and also queer performers with huge drag personas! Each character in the 12 person cast is a tour-de-force performance, waiting to make you a big splash at the 20th Annual NYC International Fringe Festival.**

**#QueerFringeNYC**

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