

Back for the fourth time, top Japanese choreographer Un Yamada presents a double bill that will showcase her professional troupe and the rising stars of Malaysian dance.

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Un Yamada made her first foray here in 2012 to participate in feminism-themed dance project 'Work It!'. She has returned every year since, having been chosen as part of the distinguished line-up of artists at ASWARA's annual dance festival 'Tari' in 2013 and reinvited by the national arts academy to deliver a three-week physical theatre course in 2014.

2016 will see Yamada finally bring to Malaysia her full-length take on Stravinsky's opus, featuring 13 members of her renowned dance company Co. Un Yamada. The evening will be capped off by the Malaysian version of one ♦ piece, as performed by five of the country's brightest male prospects that emerged at the auditions.

DATE & VENUE

30 Jan 2016, 8.30 p.m. 31 Jan 2016, 5.00 p.m.

Pentas 1, The Kuala Lumpur Performing Arts Centre (klpac)

one + piece

Created in 2004 for a single-gender cast, Yamada's seminal work has since toured internationally and been performed by Japan's leading dancers. Following a decade of success, it is set to make its Malaysian debut with five of the best homegrown male talents selected through auditions in October 2015, marking the first time one • piece featured an exclusively international ensemble.

Performed by

Fauzi Amirudin **James Kan** Lu Wit Chin Pengiran Khairul Qayyum Raziman Sarbini

Music: Satoru Wono

The Rite of Spring

Malaysian audiences will be the first outside of Japan to witness Co. Un Yamada's adaptation of the influential ballet and orchestral classic. Premiered in Chigasaki in 2013 to commemorate the 100 years since the then-radical opus nearly sparked a riot, the troupe draws upon the same primitive forces that inspired the Russian composer for their own unique display of intense movement and emotional impact.

Performed by

Co. Un Yamada

Yuhei Ara Kota Kihara Toru Hasegawa Masashi Koyama Chisa Hirosue Yoko Mita Savuri Iimori Yuki Nishiyama Chinami Ito Naoyuki Sakai Toshihiko Jo Ayako Yamashita Llon Kawai

Music composed by Igor Stravinsky Recorded performance by Kirov Orchestra with Valery Gergief as conductor (1999)



Both productions are choreographed by Un Yamada.

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