



Mark Gatiss announced for *Dark Sublime* at Trafalgar Studios

Trafalgar Studios, 14 Whitehall, London SW1A 2DY

Tuesday 25th June – Saturday 3rd August 2019

Press Night: Friday 28th June 2019, 7pm

Stage and screen star **Mark Gatiss** (*Sherlock*, BBC1; *Doctor Who*, BBC1; *The Madness of George III*, Nottingham Playhouse; *The League of Gentlemen*, BBC Two and UK tour) will be lending his voice to the part of Kosley, a hysterical talking computer, in the world premiere of *Dark Sublime*. Gatiss joins the previously announced Martina Sirtis (*Star Trek: The Next Generation*) who will be making her West End debut.

Gatiss comments, I'm delighted to be a small part of Michael Dennis' delightful, funny and touching play. All lovers of telefantasy and beyond will have their ribs tickled, their minds probed and their spurious morality catheterised (or something). Puny humans, prepare yourselves for the Dark Sublime!

Directed by Andrew Keates (*As Is* and *Dessa Rose* - Trafalgar Studios), *Dark Sublime* explores the complexities of relationships, especially in the LGBTQ community, and the contrast in lived experiences across generations. This thrilling debut play by Michael Dennis is a theatrical love-letter to British sci-fi television which examines the feeling of belonging that comes with finding your place among the outcasts.

Further casting will be announced in April 2019.

Notes to Editors

Title	<i>Dark Sublime</i>
Performance Dates	Tuesday 25 th June – Saturday 3 rd August 2019 Monday – Saturday, 7:45pm Thursday and Saturday, 3pm
Location	Trafalgar Studios, 14 Whitehall, London SW1A 2DY
Box Office	Tickets are available from the Trafalgar Studios Box Office, https://www.atgtickets.com/venues/trafalgar-studios/ and 0844 871 7632 priced from £25 - £35.
How to get there	Trafalgar Studios is located on Whitehall. The nearest underground stations are Charing Cross (on the Bakerloo and Northern lines), Embankment (on the Bakerloo, Northern, Circle and District lines), Westminster (on the Jubilee, Circle and District lines) and Leicester Square (on the Northern and Piccadilly lines). The nearest rail station is Charing Cross.
Running time	2 hours with an interval
Director	Andrew Keates
Writer	Michael Dennis
Producer	Jamie Chapman Dixon and Piers Cottee-Jones for Rigmarole Productions in association with Arion Productions and M.Green Productions.
Marianna	Marina Sirtis
Kosley	Mark Gatiss
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