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Mia Stanford: Unclassifiable

A Blackfella hailing from the Northern Territory and now residing in Melbourne, Mia's childhood was less than ordinary. Growing up with 27 foster brothers and sisters, she has her fair share of stories to tell...

In MIA STANFORD: UNCLASSIFIABLE, Mia presents a stereotype-busting smorgasbord of hilarious, touching and utterly charming tales, in a show about celebrating difference, devouring life experience and honouring your roots.

She takes her audience on a journey from Darwin to Melbourne, with plenty of stops along the way to enjoy the most cringe-worthy moments of her childhood, and her well mapped out contingency plans for the likely event of impossible scenarios.

A keen people watcher and curious traveller (she's travelled to 27 countries in her 30 years), Mia has been described as a candid and lucid performer who charms her audiences with her unassuming wit.

She is the winner of Melbourne International Comedy Festival Deadly Funny Award 2007, Fringe Festival Outstanding Achievement Award 2010 and the Aunty Eleanor Harding Emerging Talent Award 2010.

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VENUE

Footscray Community Arts Centre - Basement Theatre
45 Moreland St
Footscray, Victoria 3011

DATES: 22 - 24 Sept
29 Sept - 1 Oct
6 - 8 Oct

TIME: 8.30pm (60min)

TICKETS

Full: \$20.00
Concession: \$15.00
Group: \$15.00
TO BOOK visit melbournefringe.com.au or call (03) 9660 9666

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