



Midland Actors Theatre

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Touring

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Things are going well for Renward since he took over his cousin Rhema's tobacco business. She was just too good – she let people walk all over her.

Renward never lets that happen.

*But Rhema's neighbours and friends are worried.
What has happened to her? Why has she disappeared?*

When Renward is charged with his cousin's murder, he is finally forced to reveal the secret of his identity – and what really happened to Rhema...

Good Person of Sezuan is a new version of Brecht's classic comedy.

The original play is set in China – but our version moves the action to Jamaica in the 1980s – a time of political violence and gang warfare...Bob Marley music...flared trousers and platform shoes...

Michael McMillan's translation is written in Jamaican dialect ('Laud, me hate Trenchtown... weh kinda ah town is dis?'), and features new songs, as well as classic reggae tracks!

Tour Dates

30th September, 7.30pm

Lordwood Boys School, Birmingham (Preview)
Contact Steve Adams: 0121 675 6882

4th & 5th October, 7.30pm

Theatre Severn, Shrewsbury
Tel: 01743 281281,
www.theatresevern.co.uk

6th & 7th October, 7.30pm

The Drum, Birmingham
Tel: 0121 333 2444, www.the-drum.org.uk

8th October, 7.30pm

Turves Green Boys' School, Birmingham
Contact Alan Inglis: 0121 464 3686

11th October, 7.30pm

Blue Coat School, Coventry
Contact Steve Penny: 024 7622 3542 ext: 211

12th October, 7.30pm

Lordwood Girls' School, Birmingham
Contact Emily Gough: 0121 429 2838,
e.gough@lordwoodgirls.co.uk

13th October, 7.30pm

Swanshurst Girls' School, Birmingham
Tel: 0121 464 2400, enquiry@swans.bham.sch.uk

14th October, 7.30pm

Arena Theatre, Wolverhampton
Tel: 01902 321321, www.arena.wlv.ac.uk

15th October, 7.30pm

Artrix, Bromsgrove
Tel: 01527 577330, www.artrix.co.uk

16th October, 2pm

Newman College, Birmingham
Contact Graham Stephenson: 0121 476 1181 ext: 2468,
g.stephenson@newman.ac.uk

21st October, 7.30pm

Walsall College, Wisemore Campus, Walsall
Tel: 01922 688569, kdowning@walsallcollege.ac.uk



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