

Events



Martha Gellhorn **Performing Arts**
Jack Klaff

Jack Klaff recalls his encounters with veteran war correspondent Martha Gellhorn in a piece interweaving her wildest and wittiest stories with her unmatched war reports.

27 August | 2:20pm | Traquair House



Queens of Syria **Film**
Today's version of Euripides tragedy The Trojan Women

Yasmin Fedda – 2014
Jordan/United Arab Emirates/UK
70min – Arabic/English subtitles

Queens of Syria tells the story of fifty women from Syria and an extraordinary moment of cross-cultural contact as they enact Euripides' *The Trojan Women* on stage.

29 August | 6:15pm | Filmhouse | £10/£8



Women Like Us **Visual Arts**
Thana Farooq

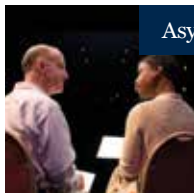
Farooq captures the portraits and stories of 15 women and their experience of the war in Yemen. The exhibition is commissioned and supported by the *British Council Yemen*.

Autumn | Summerhall | Free

Performing Art

Across Scotland

Asylum Monologues



Beyond Borders proudly presents *ice&fire Theatre's* new verbatim script exploring the experience of asylum seekers in Scotland. The stories follow refugees and asylum seekers on their journey across borders as they travel to Scotland - and the hurdles they continue to face once they arrive. Each performance is followed by a Q&A.

The production is touring Scotland – get in touch for more information.



16-18 August | 1:15pm | Summerhall | £6
25 August | 7:30pm | Eastgate | £6

Queens of Syria – the UK Theatre Tour



First staged in Amman in 2013, and the subject of an award winning documentary, Developing Artists and the Young Vic presents Refuge Productions' *Queens of Syria*, an adaptation of Euripides anti-war tragedy, *The Trojan Women*. Performed by an all-female cast of Syrian refugees, the production

amalgamates the women's own narratives into the ancient Greek text.

Queens of Syria is touring the UK 5-24 July. Beyond Borders and Summerhall will host a reception after the show in Edinburgh on 19 July.

19-20 July | 7:30-9:00pm | Play | Edinburgh, Assembly Roxy | £16
19 July | 9:30pm | Reception | Summerhall | Free