

MERGE

invitation

Floating on the Schie dancers playing with video projections

Saturday, august 30 Location: **Aelbrechtskade / Lage Erfbrug**
from 20.00: pre-program with free coffee, tea and cake on the quay
21.30: start performance after sunset

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a one-time open air performance

Two dancers move on a pontoon in the Schie against a back ground of video projections on a screen and on the waterfront of historic Delfshaven. Their shadow play is an imagination of the permanent changing of cities and people, and the continuing creation of new situations and environments. You are most welcome to attend this performance with your friends, family and acquaintances and to merge with us and this unique location.

MERGE is an initiative of neighbourhood citizens Patrick Boel and Christel Schanzenbach. With this project they want to express their involvement with Delfshaven and the city of Rotterdam. They invited an international team of artists to develop a performance for this location, in cooperation with organisations, volunteers and entrepreneurs of Delfshaven. Thanks to contributions from funds, sponsors and many crowd funders the performance is free for all. Please join us to enjoy the result.

The performance is connected to the historical food festival '[Ketels aan de Kade](#)' in Historic Delfshaven and from 20.00 you are welcome for the pre-program on the quay with free coffee, tea and cake. The actual *MERGE* performance starts at 21.30 after sunset. Bring your own chair with you, because otherwise you have to stay.

See the video about *MERGE* on <http://vimeo.com/103508078> for a good impression of this special performance.

Like us on www.facebook.com/merge2014. There you also find more information about the crowd funding for *MERGE*. Your contribution is very much appreciated.

Please mail to merge.performance@gmail.com for more information.

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DISCOUNT VOUCHER RESTAURANTS 20%

In the direct vicinity of *MERGE* you find the restaurants [Soif](#), [Olijventuin](#) (mediterranean), [Plunzz](#) (pancakes) and [Torino](#) (italian) for a delicious dinner. Spectators of *MERGE* receive a 20% discount on the food (drinks not included) when presenting this voucher.

Please make reservations.

