



You Are Me

You Are Me is a live action video game, with the puppet avatar Nuku controlled by the audience using text commands typed on a computer keyboard.

Using puppetry and a clever mashup of old and new technology, *You Are Me* evokes the retro charm of early text-based video games, but reimagined as a live theatre experience. A beautifully lit miniature greenhouse becomes the play-space for the quirky, pink-haired Nuku, and their actions and adventures are only limited by the audience / participant's imagination.

Bringing out a playfulness as participants take on the avatar of Nuku, the piece also comments on representation of self in our on-line world, of control, anonymity and responsibility.

A live art event, a durational performance, an unexpected, interactive physical theatre intervention, this work is created, designed and performed by multidisciplinary artist Niow and realised through computer programming and sound design by Steph O'Hara (SohLa).

TECH REQUIREMENTS

- Flat area 6m(w) x 6m(l) x 3m(h) - indoor or outdoor
- Darkness
- 1 x single phase power
- Non-public dressing room / marquee to rear of installation
- 8 hours bump-in
- 4 hours bump-out
- Vehicle access for bump-in / bump-out.
- Performance duration 75 mins.
- Maximum 3 performances per day with 30 mins between performances
- Security to be provided by presenter if required

