



The Washington Rogues present

Eight

by Ella Hickson

August 5 - 14

Thursday and Friday at 7:30pm

Saturday at 7:30pm and 10:00pm

\$15/ \$10 DCAC Members

For reservations call DCAC at 202-462-7833.

Eight is a *Washington Post* "Editors' Pick" at the 2010 Capital Fringe Festival and will have a second run at DCAC.

Eight, by young English playwright Ella Hickson, is a series of eight thematically connected monologues about young people struggling to find identity in a culture wracked by war, plagued by terrorism and on the brink of economic collapse. Far from dark and depressing, each of **Eight's** diverse stories are united in their humanity, humor and sensuality.

Eight is a theater experience that combines brilliant, exciting writing, tour-de-force performance and an experimental form that challenges and engages both audience and cast. Before each performance, the audience is given the opportunity to vote on which of the eight monologues they would like to see, based on a menu that includes photos, character names, and a telling line of dialogue from the script. Of the eight monologues, only the top four audience picks of the night are presented. This allows the audience, cast and characters to share the same experience of having great expectations and desires that may or may not be met. All involved may come to find that not getting what they want is the most rewarding experience they could ask for.