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Theatre Exile Extends Run of *Cock* Through November 17 Limited tickets still available for remaining performances

PHILADELPHIA – *November 4, 2013* – [Theatre Exile](http://www.theatreexile.org)'s **Barrymore Recommended** production of *Cock* by British playwright **Mike Bartlett** has been extended one week through **Sunday, November 17**. WHYY's **Howard Shapiro** said of the direction: "**Deborah Block** has done so elegantly, first by choosing a cast with chemistry and then by infusing the production with such intensity, it seems ready to catch fire at any moment." Phindie's **Debra Miller** adds: "These characters are very human and complex, and Exile's actors bring empathy, nuance and believability to them and their plight." **Wendy Rosenfield** of *The Philadelphia Inquirer* called the production "funny, sensitive" and said "Block's pacing...allows **Jarboe** and **Tuomanen** in particular plenty of time to dig their talons into each other and their characters, all for our delight."

Tickets are still available throughout the run of the production. The following performances have been added:

Wednesday, November 13 at 8 p.m. (*sold out*)

Thursday, November 14 at 7 p.m. (*sold out*)

Friday, November 15 at 8 p.m.

Saturday, November 16 at 8 p.m.

Sunday, November 17 at 3 p.m.

[*Cock*](http://www.theatreexile.org) is directed by Exile's Producing Artistic Director **Deborah Block** and stars **Wes Haskell** with **John Jarboe**, **Mary Tuomanen** and **Benjamin Lovell**. Tickets for added performances are \$40 and are available online at theatreexile.org or by calling the Theatre Exile Box Office at **(215) 218-4022**. Performances take place at Studio X, 1340 S. 13th Street at Reed St. in South Philadelphia.

Cock

Philadelphia Premiere

By **Mike Bartlett**

Directed by **Deborah Block**

Now – November 17, 2013

Cast (*in alphabetical order*)

Wes Haskell	John
John Jarboe	M
Benjamin Lovell	F
Mary Tuomanen	W

Production Team

Colin McIlvaine	Set Designer
Alison Roberts	Costume Designer
Drew Billiau	Lighting Designer
Christopher Colucci	Composer and Sound Designer
Melanie Julian	Dialect Coach
Brey Ann Barrett	Assistant Director
Lindsay Galbraith	AEA Stage Manager

Theatre Exile will continue its 2013/14 season with *True West* by Sam Shepard January 30 – February 23, 2014 at Plays & Players (1714 Delancey Street) and will close with the Philadelphia premiere of *Annapurna* by Sharr White, starring Pearce Bunting and Catharine Slusar, April 17 – May 11, 2014 at Studio X (1340 S. 13th Street).