







BANK OF DAVE THE MUSICAL - JOB DESCRIPTION

POSITION: Deputy Stage Manager

RESPONSIBLE TO: Technical Stage Manager

SALARY & HOLIDAY: £30k-£35k p/a, 28 days based upon UKT Agreement.

CONTRACTUAL DATES: Fixed Term; performances are 6 days per week, evening and

weekend work will be required.

PROJECT SUMMARY:

A brand-new musical adapted from the hit 2023 film 'Bank of Dave', screenplay by Piers Ashworth and produced by Matt Williams.

The show is based on the real-life experiences of Dave Fishwick, a Burnley self-made millionaire who struggles to set up a community bank to support the town's local businesses. Dave takes on the financial institutions of London and competes for the first banking licence in over 100 years.

BANK OF DAVE will be a co-production by Future Artists Entertainment, ROYO, Curve Theatre and The Lowry, and will be presented at the Lowry and Curve in 2026.

PRODUCTION DATES:

- **Rehearsals (Curve):** Four weeks starting w/c 30th March, 6th April, 13th April, and 20th April 2026.
- Technical Rehearsals (The Lowry): w/c 27th April 2026.
- First Preview (Subject to change): Friday 1st May 2026.
- Performances (The Lowry): w/c 4th May & w/c 11th May 2026.
- Performances (Curve): w/c 18th May & w/c 25th May 2026.

CREATIVE TEAM:

Music and Lyrics by: Pippa Cleary Book and Lyrics by: Rob Madge

Director: Nikolai Foster

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The responsibilities of this role will include delivering all services typically required for a first-class production, executed to the highest professional standards. The entire touring









company is expected to work collaboratively as a team and, on occasion, support other departments.

- Work closely with the Director, Creative Team, and Stage Management
- Ensure the smooth running of rehearsals, technical rehearsals, and performances, including ongoing cover rehearsals
- Maintain the Prompt Copy, including blocking, script changes, technical cues and any other relevant information
- Calling the performance.
- Support the Assistant Stage Manager (Book Cover) in learning to 'call the show' in a consistent and safe manner.
- Cover the Assistant Stage Manager plots to enable cover within the department
- Work alongside the Company Manager, Stage Manager and other technical teams to establish a show-stop procedure prior to the first public performance.
- Alongside the Stage Management team setting up for daily warm-ups and rehearsals
- Deputise for the Stage Manager including learning their backstage including participation in the fit-up and load-out (if applicable).
- You will assist the Company Manager and Stage Management department during the fit-up and load out.

SKILLS REQUIRED

- Clear, confident communication with the Stage Management team, technical departments, and performers.
- Ability to stay calm under pressure
- Strong problem-solving skills in a fast-paced, live production environment, is essential.
- Experience of being 'on book' for large-scale musicals
- Ability to score read is preferred.
- Familiarity with and adherence to current Health & Safety guidelines relevant to the production is essential, which may include working at height, using appropriate safety equipment and clothing and attending training as deemed necessary.

Please direct your application with a CV and a short cover letter to recruitment.bod@royo.co.uk using the reference **BOD-DSM**Closing Date: Wednesday 7th January 2026