

TAYO ALUKO & FRIENDS PRESENT

# CALL MR. ROBESON

A LIFE, WITH SONGS.

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"First rate"  
★★★★ The Guardian

"An inspiring production"  
★★★★★ Broadway Baby

"Simply told but immensely powerful"  
★★★★ The Scotsman

"Outstanding" nytheatre.com

THEY SAY I'M MEDDLING IN  
THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE  
UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.  
NOW THAT'S TOO BAD,  
'CAUSE I'M GOING TO HAVE TO  
CONTINUE TO MEDDLE...

www.callmrrobeson.com

Paul Robeson is a great and famous actor, singer and civil rights campaigner.

When over the years he gets progressively too radical and outspoken for the establishment's liking, he is branded a traitor to his country, is harassed, and denied opportunities to perform or travel.

Just as physical, emotional and mental stress threaten to push him over the fine line between genius and madness, he is summoned to appear before the House Un-American Activities Committee, to give the most difficult and important performance of his career.

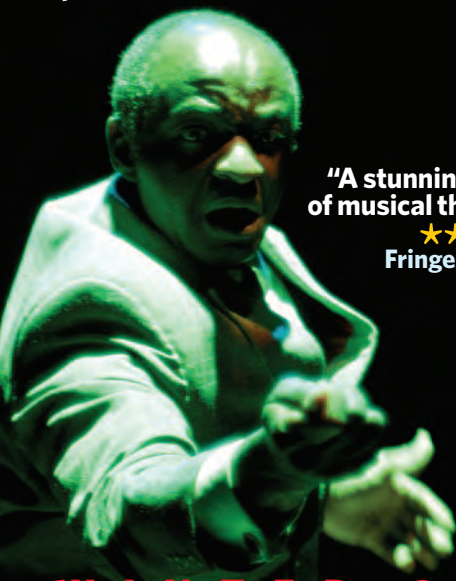
Call Mr. Robeson is a roller coaster journey through Robeson's remarkable and eventful life, and highlights how his radical activism caused him to be disowned and disremembered, even by the leaders and descendants of the civil rights movement.

It features some of his famous songs and speeches, including a dramatic rendition of *Ol' Man River*.

"A stunning piece of musical theatre"  
★★★★★  
Fringe Review

Double Award Winner  
Ogeyinka Merit Awards for Excellence  
London, October 2010

Angel Award for Artistic Excellence  
& Best Male Performer  
Brighton Festival Fringe, May 2008



## WINTER 2011/2012 TOUR

Nov 10, 7.30pm: SCARBOROUGH. STEPHEN JOSEPH THEATRE  
Westborough, YO11 1JW. 01723 370541 www.sjt.uk.com

Nov 12, 7.45pm: ROYAL LEAMINGTON SPA. ROYAL SPA CENTRE  
Newbold Terrace, CV32 4HN. 0845 218 3540 www.royalspacentreandtownhall.co.uk

Nov 17, 7.30pm: ORMSKIRK. ROSE THEATRE, EDGE HILL UNIVERSITY  
St Helens Road, L39 4QP. 01695 584480 www.edgehill.ac.uk/rosetheatre

Nov 24 - 26, 8.00pm (26 matinée, 4.00pm): GUILDFORD. YVONNE ARNAUD THEATRE  
Millbrook, GU1 3UX. 01483 44 00 00 www.yvonne-arnaud.co.uk

Dec 1, 8.00pm: BRIDPORT. BRIDPORT ARTS CENTRE  
South Street, DT6 3NR. 01308 424204 www.bridport-arts.com

Dec 2, 8.00pm: DORCHESTER. DORCHESTER ARTS CENTRE  
School Lane, The Grove, DT1 1XR. 01305 266926 www.dorchesterfestival.co.uk

Dec 3, 8.00pm: BRIDGWATER. BRIDGWATER ARTS CENTRE  
11-13 Castle Street, TA6 3DD. 01278 422700 www.bridgwaterartscentre.co.uk

Jan 12 - 13, 8.00pm: BATH. USTINOV STUDIO, THEATRE ROYAL  
Sawclose, BA1 1ET. 01225 448844 www.theatreroyal.org.uk

Jan 27, 7.30pm: PWLLHELI. NEUADD DWYFOR  
Stryd Penlan, LL53 5DE. 01758 704088 www.gwynedd.gov.uk/neuadd-dwyfor

Jan 28, 7.30pm: HOLYHEAD. UCHELDRE CENTRE  
Millbank, LL65 1TE. 01407 763361 www.ucheldre.org

February 12, 3.00pm: NEW YORK. CARNEGIE HALL www.carnegiehall.org



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