

## Sepehr Sharifzadeh

### *Artistic Director of the NH theatre agency - Iran*

#### ***NH theater agency: the Iranian and the international Arts scene***

Sepehr is Artistic Director of NH theatre agency, the first Iranian international theater agency, initiated as a subset of the Nowrouzehonar Institute of art & Culture. It was established by Sepehr as a theater agency and consultancy firm for festivals. The main goal is to facilitate the cultural exchange between Iran and the world through performances: up to date with the latest local and international theatre productions, promoting Iranian shows abroad and assist the local festivals in curating their international program. The agency is specialized in bringing alternative theater, puppet and object theater and experimental theater to International festivals.

#### ***The academic background and the first International Theatre agency***

Sepehr has Studied his Master's in Tehran University, He is an independent producer and has co-founded the first International Theater booking/consultancy agency in Iran; aiming to promote Iranian performances to different festivals around the world and organize festivals

#### ***His work as an artistic advisor, curator and board member***

Currently, He is working as an artistic advisor, curator and board member with several independent festivals in Iran such as the international Contemporary music festival of Tehran, Micro-leev theater festival, Tehran-Mobarak international puppet festival, and Fadjr theater festival.

#### ***Other relevant experiences***

In 2018 He worked as the project coordinator of the "Welcome to Iran" festival in BOZAR and in 2019 He was the programmer of "The first showcase of Iranian performing arts" during the Fadjr Theater Festival in Tehran.

