

**\*\*MEDIA ALERT\*\***

The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts

**TALENT ANNOUNCED FOR:**

**J.PERIOD** presents...

***The Live Mixtape [RISE UP Edition]***

**Featuring: Dead Prez, Posdnuos (De La Soul), Pharoahe Monch, Maimouna Youssef, Rance Dobson (1500 or Nothing)**

**Wednesday, May 23, 2018 at 7:30 p.m. in the Terrace Theater  
Tickets Available Now**

(WASHINGTON)— The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts presents J.PERIOD (Billboard No. 1 album for *The Hamilton Mixtape*) and *The Live Mixtape [RISE UP Edition]*, a groundbreaking concert event that explores the relationship between arts and activism through the sonic lens and vibrant language of Hip Hop.

*The Live Mixtape [RISE UP Edition]* re-imagines protest music for the modern era and features an all-star cast of special guests including **Dead Prez, Posdnuous (De La Soul), Pharoahe Monch, Maimouna Youssef, and Rance Dobson (1500 Or Nothin)**. This installment of J.PERIOD's Remixing The Narrative concert series also celebrates the release of The RISE UP Project: a new album with support from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation that brings together an extraordinary lineup of artists around social justice themes and community engagement. We rise together, or we fall apart.

## **FUNDING CREDITS**

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and Community Engagement Initiatives

## **TICKET INFORMATION**

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