

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST



MELBOURNE

BAZ Luhrmann's 2001 movie musical Moulin Rouge! redefined levels of glitz and glamour and the epic romance was nominated for eight Oscars.

Now the production company Global Creatures is developing a stage show and has enlisted the talents of Tony Award winner John Logan to craft the book and Tony-nominated Alex Timbers to direct.

Luhrmann told *Variety* he was thrilled with the choices of Logan and Timbers.

“It’s immensely gratifying to know that a new wave of artists will be leading *Moulin Rouge!* into its rightful theatrical realm,” he said, describing Logan as “gifted” and praised Timbers for his “creative spirit”.

The film follows two star crossed lovers — an idealistic writer and a cabaret star and courtesan — who fall in love in Montmartre, Paris. The whole film plays to a soundtrack of music greats including songs from the likes of David Bowie, Nirvana and Elton John. Although the show is set to follow the same storyline and theme from the film, fans of *Moulin Rouge!* will have to wait for news of where and when it will open and what to expect musically.

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