



# Linger

NICK O'CONNELL & BREANDÁN DE GALLAÍ

ÉRIU  
[www.eriu.co](http://www.eriu.co)

A contemporary Irish step dance work for two male dancers, this immersive theatrical experience unfolds through a rich tapestry of photography, film, music and movement, examining identity, sexuality and ageing.

**“Linger is a powerfully tender and muscular exploration of Irish gay masculinity.”**

DR. JOOLS GILSON ON AN EARLY SHOWING OF *LINGER*

*Ériu Dance Company* was established in 2010 by Breandán de Gallaí. He had created several works, most notably *Noctú* and *Rite of Spring*. Having completed a 5-week residency at the Irish Repertory Theatre in New York *Noctú* was nominated for 2 Drama Desk awards, “Outstanding Choreography” and “Unique Theatrical Event”. *Rite of Spring* premiered at the opening of the Fleadh Cheol na hÉireann in Cavan, 2012, and was shortlisted for the coveted Allianz Business to Arts Awards.”

### The critics on de Gallaí’s previous work:

“A superb blending of dance and human emotions .... one that should definitely be seen by all – and as many times as possible.”

STAGEBUZZ, NEW YORK ON *NOCTÚ*

“turns Irish step dancing into a movement vocabulary that can express a full range of emotion, not just virtuosic display.”

THE VILLAGER, NEW YORK ON *NOCTÚ*

“dance spectacle... left thousands spellbound.”

THE IRISH TIMES ON *RITE OF SPRING*

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Thursday 4th February 2016

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