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CITADEL ONLY CANADIAN STOP FOR **SIX: THE MUSICAL** BEFORE BROADWAY

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(EDMONTON) Since its world premiere at the Edinburgh Fringe in 2017, *Six* has taken the world by storm with its Tudor Histo-Remix. Following the massive success of the U.K. production including five Olivier Award nominations, the Citadel is incredibly proud to host the Canadian premiere of this mega-hit production - about to finish a record-shattering Chicago run this weekend - on the Shoctor Theatre stage as part of our 2019/20 Season this November.

We're even more thrilled to celebrate that the *Six* team **announced Thursday morning that performances start on Broadway in February 2020**. Previews will begin February 13 with a March 12 opening. This announcement means Citadel Theatre will be the only place in Canada to see this catchy and powerfully feminist phenomenon before the Queens take their seat on the Broadway throne.

The news comes hot off the heels of the massive Broadway triumph of Citadel success story *Hadestown*, which was nominated for 14 Tony Awards earlier this year - more than any other show in 2019 - and took home Best Musical.

"It was only a month ago that we were celebrating *Hadestown's* Tony Awards. And now we're thrilled to announce that *Six* is headed to Broadway too! Citadel audiences are the **ONLY** audiences in Canada who get to see this production before it hits Broadway. The fact that **two productions that played at the Citadel will be on Broadway at the same time** speaks to the international reputation of the Citadel and of Edmonton as an important theatre destination. We couldn't be more proud."

- Daryl Cloran, Citadel Artistic Director

Six starts November 2 at Citadel Theatre, featuring Broadway stars **Adrianna Hicks** (*The Color Purple*, *Aladdin*); **Abby Mueller** (*Beautiful: The Carole King Musical*, *Kinky Boots*); and **Anna Uzele** (*Once On This Island*); Television's **Brittney Mack** (*Empire* - FOX) and **Samantha Pauly** (*Chicago PD* - NBC); and we couldn't be more excited for Canadian **Andrea Macasaet** from Winnipeg - an unbelievable new talent making her Citadel debut in a Broadway-bound spectacle.

Learn more at www.citadeltheatre.com/2019-2020/six.

Presented by arrangement with [Kenny Wax](#), [Global Musicals](#), [George Stiles](#), [Kevin McCollum](#), and [Chicago Shakespeare Theater](#).

"Amid a powerhouse score and exceptional cast, the history of Henry VIII's wives doesn't turn away from trauma, brutality and sorrow, but the six women on stage persist in breaking free nevertheless."

-Chicago Sun-Times

"SIX grabs our attention immediately and holds it for 80 solid minutes of pure entertainment ... This show is brilliant."

-The Fourth Walsh

"History hasn't been this much fun since *Hamilton*."

-Chicago Reader

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