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VICE WORLD NEWS ANNOUNCES “TRANSNATIONAL” A NEW SERIES ON TRANS RIGHTS

The first-of-its-kind newsmagazine will be hosted by trans correspondents who explore issues affecting trans communities around the world

The six-episode digital series premieres Thursday, June 24, 2021



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BROOKLYN, NY (JUNE 16, 2021) -- VICE World News announced today *Transnational*, a groundbreaking new digital series about transgender rights and resilience, shaped and hosted by an international team of trans storytellers. The correspondents will deliver immersive reports on the struggles and joys of trans life across the globe, telling stories on how trans people are building community in the face of targeted violence and fighting for equality worldwide. The six-episode series launches Thursday, June 24, across VICE's YouTube and social platforms.

“When trans people watch this show, we want them to feel seen. Like they’re learning about all their siblings across the world -- and about all the ways we struggle together against the same forces, sharing tactics and forms of resilience,” said Alyza Enriquez, Producer on VICE's Innovation Team, and a producer and correspondent on *Transnational*. “It’s so important that we see stories by us, for us—that reflect our collective power.”

Reported by Eva Reign, Alyza Enriquez, Freddy McConnell, among others, the first season of *Transnational* will explore the fight to curb violence against Black trans women in Detroit; a thriving shelter for former trans sex workers in Mexico City; and attacks on gender-affirming healthcare in England.

Transnational is the latest series from VICE World News, VICE Media Group's international news network, which produces hundreds of hours of television, digital and audio news programming for a global audience. The premium documentaries, docu-series, and original podcasts focus on the core issues that define VICE's content: extremism, climate, privacy, inequality, and race.

Vivek Kemp is the executive producer; Courtney Brooks is senior producer; and Sarah Burke, Hendrik Hinzl, Alyza Enriquez, Dan Ming, Trey Strange, and Daisy Wardell are series producers. Katie Drummond is the Senior Vice President of Global News.

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