Down to the Struts

Season 7 Teaser

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**[A jazzy, percussive beat plays underneath the dialogue]**

Guest 1:

disabled people connecting with each other is really liberatory and transformative.

Guest 2:

So it's for us to be able to rely on each other and help each other and be interdependent, rather than independent.

Guest 3:

how is it that we can make a society where disabled people can actually live with choices equal to everyone else, and with dignity, you know, with choices about where they live, and who they live with, and what kind of support it is that they want to receive and who they receive it from.

[The jazzy, percussive beats continue]

Qudsiya Naqui:

Hi, this is Qudsiya Naqui—the creator and host of Down to the Struts, the podcast about disability, design, and intersectionality, where we uncover the building blocks for a more just, inclusive, and accessible world. This season, we’re bringing you six brand new episodes Featuring disabled activists, organizers, and media-makers—all dedicated to building power in their disability communities by unleashing disabled genius to solve challenging problems, while centering disability justice principles of

collective access, interdependence, and cross-disability solidarity. Stay tuned on August 1 for our first episode, featuring my interview with Dom Kelly of New Disabled South. In the meantime, make sure you’re subscribed on Apple Podcasts, Spotify, or wherever you love to listen. And if you’d like, drop us a review and tell us what you think! You can also find us on Twitter or Instagram at Down to the Struts, Or join our Facebook group, Down to the Struts Podcast. I can’t wait to get down to it with you in two short weeks!