

DANCE MONTAGE 2017 AUDITION SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 27, 2017 | University of Calgary, Aux Gym

AUDITION TIME	CHOREOGRAPHER	TITLE	DANCE STYLE	LEVEL OF DANCER	# OF DANCERS	REHEARSAL DAY & TIME
9:30am	Amanda Bonnell Rehearsal Director: Jen DeWolf	N'Bara Ta-Gan	West African	All	10-15	Sun 12-2 pm Aux Gym
<p>Description: The embodiment of traditional West African movement in a contemporary stage setting.</p> <p>Bio: Amanda is a graduate of the University of Calgary's Dance Program and has been researching, embodying and teaching West African dance for 14 years in the Calgary community and abroad.</p>						
10:15am	Tara Wilson	Air and Earth Accapella	Contemporary	Intermediate-Advanced	10-12	Sun 4-6 pm Dance Studio
<p>Description: The piece is a fusion of a contemporary aesthetic with a strong rhythm component. Aspects of the piece explore rhythm and what happens as these rhythms are repeated and transformed as they are pushed physically - and what relationships are developed and reflected through these transformations.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">*Looking for dancers who like to be physical. You must like to jump and sweat! Please bring shoes</p>						
11am	Melissa Monteros	Empty Rooms	Contemporary/Physical Theatre	All	8-12 Males/Females/Actors	Sun 10-12 pm Dance Studio
<p>Description: physical theatre work and Contemporary dance with strong physicality and partnering.</p> <p>Bio: Currently Chair of the Dance Division, Monteros created Empty Rooms in 1992 and later set it on Silesian Dance Theatre in Poland. It was the first work created for Dance Montage by a Fine Arts Dance faculty member.</p>						
11:45am	Wojtek Mochniej	In the Men's Room	Contemporary	All	8-12 Males All Ages	Sun 12-2 pm Dance Studio
<p>Description: Honouring the men in our lives, by men, for men.</p> <p>Bio: Mochniej is Artistic Director of W&M Physical Theatre and full time dance faculty at the U of C. He created "In the Men's Room" in 2010</p>						
12:30pm	Laney Filuk Rehearsal Director: Alfi Forsch	Fairytale	Jazz	Intermediate-Advanced	15	Sun 10-12 pm Aux Gym
<p>Description: Three sorceresses assert their power over a group.</p> <p>Bio: A graduate of the University of Calgary, Laney Filuk is currently Head of Agency and an agent of Bloc Talent Agency in Los Angeles. Alfi Forsch BFA ('95) and B.Ed. ('01) is a founding member of Encorps Dance Collective and is currently Vice Principal at Delta West Academy. She was in the original cast of Fairytale. **Bring Jazz Shoes**</p>						
1:15pm	Christine Cox	...and everything nice	Physical Modern Jazz	Intermediate-Advanced	11 Female	Sun 2-4 pm Dance Studio
<p>The is piece is about endurance of mental and physical strength Women Standing and falling, rise together, perservance to pressing forward past resistance and barriers and sterotype.</p> <p>Bio: Christine is a BA dance alumni from 1999. Christine choreographed in Alberta for 10 years after graduating and had the honour of choreographing for DJD, Alberta Dance Explosions many a Montage, theatre, school and galleries, as well as 2 full evening showcases as artist in residence for the former DSW. Christine currently teaches yoga and movement therapy in Calgary. **Bring Jazz Runners**</p>						
2pm	Kyrsten Blair and Jamie Freeman-Cormack	Which Way To Go	Jazz/Funk Swing Fusion	Intermediate-Advanced	14	Sun 2-4 pm Aux Gym
<p>Description: High energy and full of style</p> <p>Bios: Jamie has a minor in dance at the UofC. She was a long time company member with Decidedly Jazz Danceworks and is currently the director of the Professional Training Program at DJD. Kyrsten is a 1994 BFA Alumni of the University of Calgary, a sessional instructor, and a freelance dancemaker. **Bring Jazz Shoes**</p>						

2:45pm	Jason Owin F. Galeos/Tony Tran Rehearsal Director: Vanessa Padillo	Dancing to be Free	Body Percussion Hip Hop	All	11-12	Sun 6-8 pm Dance Studio
<p>Description: What does it mean to explore movement of our bodies through rhythm and community? Bio: Jason Owin F Galeos is a 2012 BA Alumni of the University of Calgary Department of Dance and is an Artistic Director of J-SiK Movements. Remounted by Vanessa Padillo, she is a 2011 BComm Alumni of the University of Calgary, Haskayne School of Business and is an Owner and Strategic Development Director of Movement With A Message Inc. Jason and Vanessa have worked on numerous artistic collaborations for the past 16 years. **Wear Layers**</p>						
3:30pm	Lisa Ryan	The Beautiful People	Contemporary Jazz/Lyrical	Intermediate- Advanced	20	Sun 6-8 pm Aux Gym
<p>Description: The world has changed... individuality is not tolerated. Chose to conform to the accepted standard or be forced. Bio: Lisa loves to creating choreography! All styles all levels with a focus on entertaining the crowd! Thrilled to reunite with one of her favourite dance shows in town DANCE MONTAGE!! ** Performers must have good endurance and be able to convey strong emotions through movement/facial expressions. Wear comfortable clothes and whatever footwear you prefer. There will be movement in shoes as well as barefoot.</p>						
4:15pm	Dawn (Ryan) Dymond	Slip of the Tongue	Tango with Attitude!	All	25	Sun 4-6pm Aux Gym
<p>Description: A humorous dance piece based on the Tango. Looking for people that can have fun while dancing! Bio: Dawn was involved with Dance Montage for over 15 years in many capacities: dancer, choreographer and producer.</p>						

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