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Residency opportunities, relaunch of Artist Breakfast and more!

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Hello Michela,

Dance City was a Polling Station yesterday, The Society of Strays and Dance City's MA The Collective ensured that voters had a creative and memorable experience during their visit, catch a glimpse [HERE](#)

It's been a very busy week of call outs with some exciting opportunities for professional artists. If you missed any, these are all highlighted below.

Artist Breakfast events have relaunched this week, with opportunities to join the conversation online or in person.



Pro Classes

Pro Class continues in a hybrid format, with both Zoom and in-person socially distanced classes available.

Ballet with Angela Reay

Monday 10 & Monday 17 May, 9:30am

Wednesday 12 & Wednesday 19 May, 9:30am

Contemporary with Rosie Macari

Tuesday 11 May, 9:30am

Contemporary with Alyssa Lisle

Tuesday 18 May, 9:30am

Contemporary with Rob Anderson

Thursday 13 May & Thursday 20 May, 9:30am

We are having issues with our website unfortunately so to avoid disappointment please call or email to book rather than use the website.

To book Pro Class please call 0191 261 0505 or email info@dancecity.co.uk detailing whether you would like to book an in-person class or online class.

**Dance City Residencies in partnership with BALTIC Centre for Contemporary Art call out**

Dance City supports dance artists regionally, nationally and internationally in developing single or collaborative ideas involving choreography, dance and movement. Throughout the month of June 2021, Dance City has joined forces with BALTIC Centre for Contemporary Art in a partnership providing three one-week residency opportunities.

BALTIC is currently in a four year partnership with Siobhan Davies Dance, London, called CONTINUOUS seeking to advance the creation and presentation of experimental independent contemporary dance within visual arts contexts. BALTIC is delighted to collaborate with Dance City to

provide rehearsal opportunities for dance artists based in the North East, and to further support the practice in our region.

The Level 1 space at BALTIC will be offered as rehearsal space, free of charge to three different artists/companies, on weeks commencing 7, 14 and 21 June 2021.

Please note that the accessible versions of this call out will be available on Monday 10 May.

[For information on how to apply please CLICK HERE](#)



Creative Summer & Creative Lates Call Out

The Creative Summer Residency programme exists to support dance artists regionally and nationally in developing single or collaborative ideas involving choreography, dance and movement.

Dance City is opening its studios and theatre and offering them, free of charge to professional dance artists, throughout the summer, week commencing 19 July – week commencing 16 August.

Our aim is to offer at least half of the Creative Summer studio space to artists based in the North East of England and the other half to artists working outside of the region.

Dance City is also delighted to introduce Creative Summer Lates. This is an opportunity for artists to use the studios at a later time, for a shorter evening residency, between 6.00pm until 8.30pm. Creative Summer Lates will run from 27 until 29 July and 3 until 5 August.

[For more information on how to apply CLICK HERE](#)

Artist Breakfast Relaunches

Dance City relaunched the popular Artist Breakfast events on Thursday 6 May. These offer the local dance community a space to get together and have a chat.



In this relaunched model, Artist Breakfast will take place on the first and third Thursday of each month, with the next event happening on 20 May.

Artist Breakfast with Dance City (ONLINE)

The first Thursday of every month
 Thursday 3 June & Thursday 1 July
 8.30am-10am. This will take place on Zoom.

Artist Breakfast with Dance City (IN PERSON)

The third Thursday of every month
 Thursday 20 May, Thursday 17 June & Thursday
 15 July. 8.30-10am. This will take place in the
 Dance City Café with refreshments.

Booking is essential.

[Book your place for In Person Artist Breakfast CLICK HERE](#)

[Book your place for Online Artist Breakfast CLICK HERE](#)



Pro Lates returns!

Dance City's 'Pro Lates' is an offer for local, professional dance artists, giving free access to our studios between 9pm and 11.30pm on every Thursday between 3 June – 22 July.

This opportunity is designed to give artists greater access to quality studio space to create, train, research and develop their work and ideas. Extending our opening hours offers those with work, childcare or other daytime commitments to undertake creative development at a more convenient time, making the process of creation accessible to more artists.

Dance City's Pro Lates will be hosted at our Newcastle venue only, with all studios available to use (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and the Theatre). Delivering sessions in which fees are charged to attendees are not permitted. Pro Lates will be available to book from Friday 7 May.

To book please call the Ticket Office team on 01912650505 or email info@dancecity.co.uk.

Opportunities

Make sure to join our **DC Professional Artists Facebook group** for all the latest news and opportunities.

Opportunities

Digital Premiere - Inside Head, Alesandre Seutin

[Book Tickets](#)

On Thursday 16 May, The Place is offering an opportunity to see the digital premiere of Alesandra Seutin's 'Inside Head'.

Call Outs and Auditions

Horizon 2021 call out

[Find out more](#)

An invitation to artists/companies working in live performance to submit proposals for presentation - performance that is ready to tour internationally or residency - performance ideas in development.

Dandyism Dance call out

[Find out more](#)

Dandyism is looking for two black or mixed race female all-round performers with strong dance skills/technique to join the team for performances over the Summer.

Yorkshire Dance - Company of People call out

[Find out more](#)

Looking for inspirational dance artists to bring to life the first phase of work. Company of People is rooted in the communities of Chapeltown and Harehills and so we are particularly interested in hearing from dance artists with all African, African Caribbean or all Asian heritage, which reflects the diverse ethnicities represented in these areas.

Breakin' Convention call out

[Find out more](#)

Breakin' Convention bring you 'Power to the Pixel' and are looking for four film makers to create a film with the following stimulus:

"If artistic expression was banned, how would you resist?"

Funding and Commissions

BBC Dance Passion 2022

[Find out more](#)

Open call - applications open soon



Suitcases - Digital Premiere

Hit The Ground Running Dance Theatre Company have been working in collaboration with Jon Crispin, a Massachusetts based photographer. His upcoming exhibition 'The Willard Suitcases' has inspired their latest work which Dance City will be premiering, digitally on Saturday 26 June.

In 1995, The Willard Asylum, New York, closed its doors after a century of treating those deemed unfit for civilized



society. Discovered in an attic, the suitcases of 427 Willard patients were found. Beautifully preserved epitaphs to a few of those who lived and died at the Willard asylum and a poignant remembrance of the lives they left outside. Drawing inspiration from some of the suitcases found, Hit The Ground Running's new theatrical performance is a moving exploration of the people behind the suitcases and plays homage to innocent lives lived and lost to mental illness.

[For more info and to book CLICK HERE](#)



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