# Loren Groenendaal, CMA, MFA, BA

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## Curriculum Vitae 2002-2025

# **Academic Education**

**Certificate in Laban Movement Analysis/Bartenieff Fundamentals** 

2010-2012

Laban/Bartenieff Institute of Movement Studies, New York, NY and College Park, MD

Master of Fine Arts in Choreography

2007-2010

The University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Greensboro, NC, 3.94 GPA

**Effective Teaching Theory and Practice**, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA

Spring 2006

**Bachelors of Arts, Dance (Choreography) and Visual Arts** 

1998-2002

Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH, 3.50 GPA

# **Teaching Experience in Higher Education**

Adjunct Professor, Elements of Dance, Rowan University, Glassboro, NJ Fall 2023- present

Adjunct Professor, Movement Workshop, Muhlenberg College, Allentown, PA Fall 2019- 2024

**Commissioned Choreographer,** *En-Route: A Festival of Site Specific Dance* Spring 2021 Muhlenberg College, Allentown, PA

**Invited Guest Lecturer**, Balinese Dance October 24, 2013, March 13, 2014 & March 10, 2021 Muhlenberg College, Allentown, PA

**Discussion Facilitator**, first year seminar: *A Paradise Built in Hell* by Rebecca Solnit Fall 2020 The Center of Ethics, Muhlenberg College, Allentown, PA

**Adjunct Faculty**, Foundations of Dance Education Temple University, Philadelphia, PA

Spring 2018

Guest Teaching Artist, Improvisation, The University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA Spring 2017

**Teaching Assistant** 

February 3, 2013- May 9, 2015

Laban/Bartenieff Institute of Movement Studies, New York, NY and College Park, MD

Adjunct Faculty, Laban Movement Analysis, DeSales University, Center Valley, PA Spring 2014

Guest Teaching Artist, Partnering, Towson University, Towson, MD April 5 & 19, 2013

**Guest Artist/Instructor, Gravity Partner**, *Laban MA and Contact Improv* Jan 28- Feb 2, 2013 Juniata College Theatre Department, Huntingdon, PA

**Invited Guest Lecturer**, *Bartenieff Fundamentals for efficiency and partnering* Jan 22, 2013 Arcadia University Theatre Department, Glenside, PA

**Invited Guest Lecturer**, *Laban & Balinese Dance & Music*University of Pennsylvania Music Department, Philadelphia, PA

November 8, 2012

**Invited Guest Artist**, *Composition with Costumes and Objects* Temple University Dance Department, Philadelphia, PA

April 1, 2011

Guest Instructor, Somatics, University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA

Spring 2011

Lead Instructor August 2008-May 2010

University of North Carolina at Greensboro Dance Department, Greensboro, NC

- -Dance Appreciation for Dance majors and non-majors, online and in-classroom
- -Advanced Beginning Contemporary Technique for dance majors and minors
- -Intro to Dance = Technique, choreography, repertory, and improvisation for non-majors

### Guest Artist/Lecturer, Balinese Dance

August 2008-May 2010

University of North Carolina at Greensboro Dance Department, Greensboro, NC

### **Teaching Assistant**

August 2007-May 2010

University of North Carolina at Greensboro Dance Department, Greensboro, NC

-Dance Appreciation, American Dance History, Contact Improvisation for dance majors & non-majors, Improvisation for dance majors

# **Professional Teaching Experience**

## Co-organizer and Instructor

October 2025-present

Weekly Improvisation Performance Practice class, Mascher /Headlong, Philadelphia, PA

### **Instructor, Contemporary Modern Dance for Adults**

September 2022-present

Cardell Dance Studio, Philadelphia, PA

## Founder and Facilitator of monthly Underscore

May 18, 2013- present

rotating venues, Philadelphia, PA

#### Founder, Facilitator, and Instructor

March 3, 2011- present

Weekly Contact Jam, Philly PARD, Headlong, then online, and outside, Philadelphia, PA

#### Co-organizer and Instructor

2011-present

Weekly Contact Improvisation Class, various locations, Philadelphia, PA

#### Co-organizer and Instructor

January - May 2025

Improv class for adults with neurodivergence or intellectual disability, Mural Arts, Philadelphia, PA

**Faculty,** *Finding the Wetland Inside You*, an eco-somatic contact/compositional improv workshop Texas Dance Improvisation Festival, Texas Women's University, Denton, TX October 7, 2023

### Facilitator of Philadelphia Global Underscore

June 2013-2017 & June 2020-2022

Headlong & Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

Faculty, Dissolving Doors; Festival of Compositional Improvisation

June 19-23, 2019

Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

## **Contemporary Modern Dance Class for Adults Instructor**

April 2016-May 2019

University City Arts League, Philadelphia, PA

**Core Fitness Class** (a somatic workout) Oct 2015-Jan 2017, April 2017-December 2017 Freelance and Take The Lead Studio on Pine, Philadelphia, PA

### **Contact Improvisation Guest Instructor** by invitation

Class before the <i>Thursday Jam</i> , Finnish Hall, Berkeley, CA	December 22, 2022
CI class for all levels, Hungry Mother State Park, Marion, VA	October 21, 2017
Zouk N' Play, The Claridge Hotel, Atlantic City NJ	July 8, 2017
Embracing Awkwardness and CI Basics, Lila Yoga, State College, PA	July 24, 2016
Partnering, LMA, Outside eye with ROMPUS, Philadelphia, PA	May 31, 2016
Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA	Spring 2014
Master Class for Community, Whole Gallery, Baltimore, MD	March 15, 2013
Master Class for Flux/us Dance Projects, Baltimore, MD	August 20, 2012
Class for Beginners for Fundraiser at Studio 34, Philadelphia, PA	August 19, 2012
Arlington Center, Arlington, Boston, MA	February 5, 2012

#### **Ballet Dance Teacher**

September 2015-January 2017

Take the Lead Studio on Pine, Philadelphia, PA

### Introduction to Laban Movement Analysis, 20 hour course

Spring 2014 & 2016

The Whole Shebang, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

Improvisation Workshop Instructor, Graffito Works, Philadelphia, PA

January 10, 2016

# **Introduction to Bartenieff Fundamentals, 16 hour course**

Spring 2014, March 2015

Philly PARD and Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

Partnering Instructor for Architecture of Two

August 10, 2012

co-taught with Katherine Kiefer Stark, Cultivate Dance Festival, Bethlehem, NH

### **Intermediate Modern Guest Teacher**

November 2010

Philly Performance Arts Research & Development (PARD), Philadelphia, PA

Dance Summer Resident Artist, Modern Technique for Adults,

June-August 2005

Abington Art Center, Jenkintown, PA

# **Teaching Experience with Students ages 1-18**

**Dance Teaching Artist** (ages 3-18), Cardell Dance Studio, Philadelphia, PA Sept 2022-present -Ballet, Creative Movement, Modern Dance, Improvisation

#### **Lead Outreach Teaching Artist** (ages 5-13)

October 2012-present

Koresh Kids Dance, Koresh Dance Company, Philadelphia, PA

## **Dance and Visual Arts Teacher** (ages 2-13)

2013, 2015-2024

University City Arts League, Philadelphia, PA

**Creative Dance and Somatic Movement Teacher** (ages 2-18)

October 2012-present

Loren Teaches Movement, Various indoor and outdoor venues, Philadelphia, PA

# Guest Teacher, West Philly Girl Scouts (ages 5-9), Philadelphia, PA

STEAM Dance class: Bee Waggle Dance, Creative Community Dance February 21 & October 14, 2020

## **Dance Teaching Artist** (ages 5-10)

January-March 2020

Leah Stein Dance Company, Summit After School Program, Philadelphia, PA

### **Preschool Creative Movement Teacher (ages 2-5)**

July-August 2019

Greene Byrne Child Care Center, Philadelphia, PA

### **Creative and Modern Dance Teacher** (ages 5-12)

June-August 2019

Performance Garage Outreach to Roberto Clemente City Recreational Center, Philadelphia, PA

**Gymnastics and Dance Birthday Party Assistant and Leader** (ages 2-9) May 2019-July 2019 Philly inMovement, Philadelphia, PA

**Teaching Artist** on dancing and drawing inspired by Trisha Brown (ages 3-9) May 18, 2019 Fabric Workshop Museum and Fairmount Park Commission, Philadelphia, PA

## **Guest Dance Teaching Artist** (ages 1-5)

October 12- December 7, 2018

Moonstone Preschool, Philadelphia, PA

### **Dance Teacher** (ages 14-19)

September 2016-December 2017

John W. Hallahan Girls Catholic High School, Philadelphia, PA

Creative Movement, Preschool, STEAM Teaching Artist (ages 3-11) Sept 2016-August 2017 Darlington Arts Center, Garnet Valley, PA

**Ballet, Pre-Ballet, Creative Movement Dance Teacher** (ages 3-8) Sept 2015-January 2017 Take the Lead Studio on Pine, Philadelphia, PA

**Creative Movement Story Time/Story Dance** (ages 1-5) February 2013-June 2016 Falls, Independence, and West Philly Free Libraries of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA

**Guest Artist** on Dance/Music Connections in Improvisation (ages 14-18)

March 23, 2016

Collegiate School, Upper School, Richmond, VA

# **Dance Teaching Artist** (ages 11-14)

September 2013-December 2014

STEAM Afterschool Program, Philadelphia Arts in Education Partnership, Philadelphia, PA

### **Dance Teacher & Choreographer** (ages 8-14)

January 2014- June 2014

Allen M. Stearne Elementary School, Philadelphia, PA

-Picasso Star Power Project for performing dance, music, theatre and building literacy

**World, Hip Hop, Creative Movement Teacher** (ages 5-12) October 2010-May 2012 Northeast Out of School Time Program of Catholic Social Services, Philadelphia, PA

**Head of Middle School and Assistant to Upper School Dance** (ages 11-18) Oct 2011-Feb 2012 Friends Central Schools, Wynnewood, PA

# **Enrichment Dance Teacher** (ages 5-11)

Summers 2011, 2010 and 2009

Philadelphia Arts in Education Partnership, Philadelphia, PA at Bryant, Hartranft, & Morton

# **Modern and Hip Hop Dance Teacher** (ages 5-14)

2005-07, October 2010-May 2011

After School Activities Partnerships, Philadelphia, PA

Creative Movement, Ballet, Hip Hop Dance Teacher (ages 3-13) Napoli Music and Dance, Ardmore and Springfield, PA	September 2004-2007
Modern Technique and Repertory Dance Teacher (ages 6-17) Strawberry Hill directed by Betty Jane Dittmar, Centre Hall, PA	e 2003, 2006, and 2007
Hip Hop and Modern Dance Teacher (ages 5-9) Cheltenham Art Center Outreach, Glenside Elementary, Glenside, PA	arch 2005-March 2007
<b>Dance Summer Resident Artist</b> , Performance CampTeacher (age 3-adult) Abington Art Center, Jenkintown, PA	Summer 2005
<b>Dance Teaching Assistant</b> , Creative Movement (ages 3-12) Sp. Center for Creative Arts directed by Betty Jane Dittmar, State College, PA	oring 2003, 1996-1998
Teaching Artist-in-residence (age 3-11) KIDsmART, Linden School, Elyn	ria, OH Summer 2002
Choreography and Creative Works	
<i>Temporal Etudes</i> , collaboration with composer Melinda Faylor <i>Open Performance</i> , Movement Research, New York, NY	October 7, 2025
Quartet for the End of Time, choreography to Olivier Messiaen's "Quature Icebox Project Space, Philadelphia, PA	or pour la fin du temps" November 22-23, 2024
of time , site responsive dance installation with themes from Quarter Cannonball Festival, Philly Fringe, Maas Garden, Philadelphia, PA	for the End of Time September 12, 2024
(g)listening with musician Tara Toms Good Thang: Irish Soda Bread edition, SomArt Space at the Hive, Somme	March 29, 2024 rville, MA
From the City to the Wetland with BORBs Under the Bridge Fest, FDR Park, Philadelphia, PA	September 30, 2023
Duet for the End of Time, Abyss of Birds & Dance of Fury HERE, Cardell Dance Studio Philadelphia, PA	October 21, 2023
Quantum Gravity Loop Semi-Composed: Chaos/Order, Mascher Space Co-op, Philadelphia, PA	June 16, 2023
<b>The and Something and Everything Game</b> with Miryam Coppersmit Semi-Composed: Chaos/Order, Mascher Space Co-op, Philadelphia, PA	th June 16, 2023
Herons, Swallows, and Mind Murmuration with BORBs Semi-Composed: Chaos/Order, Mascher Space Co-op, Philadelphia, PA	June 16, 2023
Tangle of Rainbows (excerpt for Quartet for the End of Time) Fresh Juice 2023, Icebox Project Space, Philadelphia, PA CultureFest! Penn Museum, Philadelphia, PA	June 2, 2023 March 11, 2023
Mind Murmuration, UCAL Showcase, The Rotunda, Philadelphia, PA	April 22, 2023

The Heron, East Coast Jam, Claymont Mansion, Charles Town, WV	April 15, 2023
We are Fractals of Ourselves, CultureFest! Penn Museum, Philadelphia, PA	March 11, 2023
Free Fleet, CultureFest! Widener Auditorium, Penn Museum, Philadelphia, F	PA March 11, 2023
I am a Fractal of Myself  The Rotunda, Philadelphia, PA  Mascher Space Cooperative at Headlong, Philadelphia, PA	December 17, 2022 November 5, 2022
Duet for the End of Time (excerpt for Quartet for the End of Time)  CultureFest! Widener Auditorium, Penn Museum, Philadelphia, PA  Visions, Miniball, Christ Church Neighborhood House, Philadelphia, PA	March 11, 2023 A December 15, 2022
Free Fleet co-directed with Curt Haworth  Mascher Space Cooperative at Hawthorne Park & outside, Philadelphia, PA	September 24, 2022
Aflame, Fresh Juice Festival, 2223. Fish, Philadelphia, PA	June 17, 2022
Philadelphia 2021 Global Water Dance, Penn Treaty Park, Philadelphia, PA	June 12, 2021
Between sky and Earth, everywhere flowers, En-Route, Muhlenberg College	May 7-9, 2021
Regenerating Hope, dance for camera Filmed in Philadelphia 2020-2021, Screened in Durham, NC at SITES: RESE	February 27, 2021
Membranes in the Field, University City Arts League, Philadelphia, PA	December 13, 2019
Ravishing and Ravenous Swan Song, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA	November 9, 2019
Surrender and Support  Inhale, ChiMAC, Philadelphia, PA  Afternoon of Dance, Awbury Arboretum, Philadelphia, PA	August 24, 2019 June 8, 2019
In the Light in the Park, Jefferson Square, Philadelphia, PA	March 23, 2019
Tidal River, University City Arts League, Philadelphia, PA	December 14, 2018
In the Light (durational seasonal music dance performance, sunrise to sunset)  Autumn, Iron Factory, Philadelphia, PA  Summer, Iron Factory, Philadelphia, PA  Spring, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA  Winter, Rigby Mansion, Philadelphia, PA	September 15, 2018 June 16, 2018 March 25, 2018 January 13, 2018
Old City Fest, Philadelphia, PA	October 26-27, 2018 October 7, 2018 & August 3-4, 2018 A Dec 17, 2017

# **Phasic**

Scratch Night, Fringe Arts, Philadelphia, PA	April 2, 2018
Block Party, University City Arts League, Philadelphia, PA	December 15, 2017
MICI, Franklin & Marshall College, Lancaster, PA	June 23, 2017
Pulsing	
Muscle Memory, Stella Elkins Gallery, Tyler School of Art, Phila, PA	October 6, 2017
Frantasia, Livermore Falls, ME	August 18, 2017
<b>0.03 grams Cantharidin</b> with pianist Melinda Faylor	12 2017
Semi-Composed: Metamorphosis, The Performance Garage, Phila, PA	•
	March 12 & 13, 2017
Andrea Clearfield's Salon, Philadelphia, PA	November 27, 2011
Get your Gamel-On! Greenwich House Music School, NYC, NY	September 23, 2011
On the Edge of Red, UNCG Dance Theatre, Greensboro, NC	August 28-29, 2009
of changes with pianist Melinda Faylor	
Semi-Composed: Metamorphosis, The Performance Garage, Phila, PA	Aug 12, 2017
2 <sup>nd</sup> Mini Sound Improv Festival, The Cannery, Penobscot, ME	August 22, 2016
Frantasia, Livermore Falls, ME	August 18, 2016
Impermanent Society of Philadelphia presents, Rigby Mansion, Phila,	PA August 17, 2016
Grey Matter, <fidget> Fall Experimental Music Festival, Phila, PA</fidget>	October 6, 2012
Eternity Bird (work in progress for Quartet for the End of Time)	
The Naked Starks' Series of Informal Events, Philadelphia, PA	October 15, 2017
Frantasia, Livermore Falls, ME	August 17, 2017
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Swarm!	
Semi-Composed: Metamorphosis, The Performance Garage, Phila, PA	
In the time Before I Knew You: Dances of Making Contact, Washington	
Cage Hop, The Secret Theatre, Queens, New York, NY	September 10, 2012
Last Mondays, Broad Street Ministry, Philadelphia, PA	April 30, 2012
Work-in-progress in <i>Open Performance</i> , Movement Research, NYC, N	NY April 4, 2012
Additive Accumulation	
Making the Rounds, Headlong & UC Arts League, Philadelphia, PA	March 12 & 13, 2017
Semi-Composed, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA	January 7, 2017
Additive +, NWAA, Chris White Gallery, Wilmington, DE	July 8, 2016
Presence of Mass	
Making the Rounds, Philadelphia, PA	March 12-13, 2017
InHale Performance Series with Nathan Dawley, Philadelphia, PA	May 13, 2016
Nice and Fresh Series with Megan Wilson Stern, Philadelphia, PA	Feb 19 & 20, 2016
Twee and Tresh bettes with Megan wilson Stein, I illiadelpina, FA	100 17 & 20, 2010
With the Round with contact improviser Nathan Dawley and pianist Melind	•
Making the Rounds, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA	March 10, 2017
Fresh Juice, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA No.	ovember 11-12, 2016

Installment 1 (green)
Making the Rounds, Rigby Mansion Philadelphia, PA  March 11, 2017  Making the Rounds, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA  March 10, 2017  2013 Philadelphia Dance Showcase, Performance Garage, Philadelphia, PA April 16, 2013  Vervet and Friends Dance Performance, Mascher Space Co-op, Phila, PA  April 13, 2013  ETC. Series, Community Education Center, Philadelphia, PA  February 5-6, 2011
<b>Bef Jing</b> in collaboration with Megan Wilson Stern with cast contributions Overlapping Kinespheres, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA
<b>Company Dancer</b> and <b>Project Coordinator</b> with <i>Graffito Works</i> June 12, 2016 ensemble site-specific improvisation with Shofuso Japanese House and Garden, Philadelphia, PA
<i>Green to the Extreme</i> with Janna Meiring and Connor Przybyszewski May 21, 2016 Gorilla Theatre Presents Mysterious Masked Man Variety Show, Sera Phi, Philadelphia, PA
<i>From Above</i> , Good Thang, Sommerville Armory, Sommerville, MA March 25, 2016
<ul> <li>1 Step Forward in collaboration with Flandrew Fleisenberg with audience participation         Guest Performance at Collegiate School, Richmond, VA March 23, 2016         The Tinker, Roanoke, VA March 19, 2016         Frantasia, Livermore Falls, ME August 2015</li> </ul>
<b>Project Director and Company Dancer</b> with <i>Graffito Works</i> with Jenny Roe Sawyer with Robert Lobe sculptures, Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton, NJ June 6 & Nov 12, 2015
Boing! in collaboration with Flandrew Fleisenberg  Philly Fringe Festival, Mascher Space Cooperative, Phila, PA May 29 & Sept 18-19, 2015  Scratch Night, FringeArts, Philadelphia, PA May 4, 2015
Giving In Fresh Juice, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA  November 7-8, 2014
Sharing Water in collaboration with Flandrew Fleisenberg, Frantasia, Jay, ME August 22, 2014
In the Time Before I Knew You, Jack Guidone Theater, Washington DC Sky Dive, Philadelphia, PA Cage Hop, The Secret Theatre, Queens, New York, NY September 10, 2012 Flancy Dance, Flopera House, Boston, MA October 21, 2011 Hybridge Arts' Last Mondays, Broad Street Ministry, Philadelphia, PA Movement Research's Open Performance, Dance Theater Workshop, NYC March 9, 2011
ColorFULL, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA  May 23-25, 2014
Installment 6 (red) H-O-T Series, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA May 10, 2014
Processional in collaboration with Flandrew Fleisenberg

Biennial of Performance and Sound Art, The Quarry, Acton, MA

Frantasia, Livermore Falls/Jay, ME

September 7, 2013

August 23, 2013

Installment 4 (yellow)	
Inhale Series, ChiMAC, Philadelphia, PA	January 31, 2014
H-O-T Series, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA	July 10, 2013
Installment 3 (orange)	
Makers & Shakers, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA	July 24, 2013
Green Space Blooms, Green Space, Queens, NY	April 22, 2012
Flancy Dance Part Deux, Flopera House, Boston, MA	February 4, 2012
Grab Bag, <fidget>, Philly Fringe Festival, Philadelphia, PA</fidget>	September 4-5, 2011
Tape Work, mixed media performance/installation with percussionist Flance	drew Fleisenberg
Flopera House, Boston, MA	April 27, 2013
Vervet and Friends Dance Performance, Mascher Space, Phila, PA	April 13, 2013
Whole Gallery, Baltimore, MD	March 15, 2013
Gallery 109, Brooklyn, NY	March 8, 2013
O.U.R. Gallery, Philadelphia, PA	February 19, 2013
Oberlin Conservatory, Oberlin, OH	February 17, 2013
Toledo Bellows, Toledo, OH	February 16, 2013
Ornamentation	
2013 Philadelphia Dance Showcase, Performance Garage, Philadelphia	hia, PA April 16, 2013
Vervet and Friends Dance Performance, Mascher Space Co-op, Phila	a, PA April 13, 2013
WAXWorks, Triskelion Theater, New York, NY	June 24, 2012
Inhale Series, CHI Movement Arts Center, Philadelphia, PA	November 18, 2011
The Mosaic Dance Festival, The FUNKtion Dance Complex, NJ	August 6, 2011
My Baby Loves a Bunch of Authors	April 10, 2013
A flash mob on Free Library of Philadelphia employees, Parkway Central,	Philadelphia, PA
Secondary Colors Outlet Dance Project, Grounds For Sculpture, Hamilton	, NJ October 7, 2012
a small HUGE thing, co-choreographed with Katherine Kiefer Stark	
Cultivate, Bethlehem, NH,	August 11, 2012
Last Mondays, Broad Street Ministry, Philadelphia, PA,	July 30, 2012
Vernacularities, MFA Thesis Concert	March 26-27, 2010
UNCG Dance Theater, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro, G	reensboro, NC
Put It On	February 26-27, 2010
Prime Movers Dance Concert, UNCG Dance Theater, Greensboro, NC	1 cordary 20 27, 2010
Self-Refraction,	December 4-5, 2009
Departmental Concert, invited, UNCG Dance Theater, Greensboro, NC	,
SOUP structured multi genre movement and sound improvisation in perfor	rmance
Greensboro Fringe Festival, Greensboro, NC	February 5-6, 2010
Guilford Grange, Greensboro, NC,	August 30, 2009
`\pálm plume plùmeria/' Series of Seven, UNCG Dance Theater, The University of North Carolina a	May 10, 2009
Series of Seven, Office Dunce Theater, The Oniversity of Itolth Carolina a	31001130010, 110

## Dissolution, a series of reaction mechanisms

December 13, 2008

2<sup>nd</sup> year MFA student Choreography Showing, Sloan Theater, Greensboro, NC

### Palate Platter

UNCG Dance Theatre, Greensboro, NC

May 11, 2008

Annual Event Choreographers Showcase,

October 18, 2008

The North Carolina Dance Alliance (NCDA), The Historic Kirby Theater, Roxboro, NC

*Nuclear Dreams*, co-choreographer, dancer, set designer and builder

June 7-8, 2007

by Mascher Dance Group, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

Vital and Vanishing in collaboration with Jenny Roe Sawyer

May 17-19, 2007

by Lo Roe Productions, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

### Rosemary, That's for Remembrance

2007

Co-choreographer, Director, Camera Operator, Dancer, and Co-editor with Nicole Bindler Screened at The Outlet Dance Project, Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton, NJ October 5, 2013

### **Principle Sound** duet with Rebecca Patek

December 18, 2006

Melinda Faylor's Areté Ensemble, Advent Lutheran Church, New York, NY

### The Lot Project

December 2, 2006

by Mascher Dance Group, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

### **22 Forward** by Lo Roe Productions in collaboration with Jenny Roe Sawyer

Lo Roe Productions Benefit Bash, Mascher Space Co-op, Philadelphia, PA Oct 7, 2006 *Philly Fringe Festival*, Gross McCleaf Gallery, Philadelphia, PA September 13-17, 2005

# Les Moutons De Panurge composed by Frederic Rzewski

August 18, 2006

Melinda Faylor's, Areté Ensemble, Church of Saint Paul and Saint Andrew, New York City, NY

*Inhabitations* by Mascher Dance Group with Liza Clark, Rebecca Patek, and Jenny Roe Sawyer

Part I- Wissahickon Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, PA

July 16, 2006

Part II- City Hall, Philadelphia, PA

July 26, 2006

Part III- John Hines Nature Preserve, Philadelphia, PA

August 13, 2006

### Re-directed Trajectory

January 13-15, 2006

CEC New Edge Mix, Community Education Center, Philadelphia, PA

### Gauge in collaboration with Candice Lathrop

September 13-17, 2005

Philly Fringe Festival, Gross McCleaf Gallery, Philadelphia, PA

Well Folks, ... GLUE, Community Education Center, Philadelphia, PA

May 1-2, 2004

# **Theater Choreography**

**Choreographer,** *Paradise Park Zoo*, written by Savannah Reich, directed by Donna Oblongata The Sherwood Oak, Philadelphia, PA

July 24-28, 2014

Choreographer, Once Upon A Mattress, directed by Elaine Meder

The Boal Barn Playhouse, State College, PA

Summer 2003

# **Contemporary Modern Dance Performance**

### Dancer in We Pull The Trigger by Adam Kerbel September 6-18, 2025 Asian Arts Initiative, Cannonball/Philly Fringe Festival, Philadelphia, PA Dancer in 2023 by Christina Gesualdi September 5, 2023 Icebox, Cannonball/Philly Fringe Festival, Philadelphia, PA Dancer in R.I.S.E. (Relationship is Self Existing) September 14, 2019 Directed by Asimina Chremos and Leah Stein, Philadelphia Fringe Festival, Philadelphia, PA Mover and Vocalizer in Keening by Annie Wilson September 6-8, 2019 Bilialeen, Philadelphia Fringe Festival, Philadelphia, PA Dancer in Skeleton Key by Curt Haworth Frantasia, Livermore Falls, ME August 17, 2017 MICI, Franklin & Marshall College, Lancaster, PA June 23, 2017 Unsafe and Intimate Places, Mascher Space Co-op, Philadelphia, PA February 2-3, 2017 Dancer in Levee des Conflicts, Choreography by Boris Charmatz September 10, 2016 Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA Dancer for *The Naked Stark*, Choreography by Katherine Kiefer Stark The One, the Other One, & the Many, Mascher Space Co-op, Phila, PA Sept 9-16, 2016 The One, the Other One, & the Many, Mascher Space Co-op, Phila, PA March 11, 2016 **Looking for Judy**, Your Move, Art House Production, Jersey City, NJ November 2012 Goodnight War, Broad Street Ministry, Philadelphia, PA April 19-21, 2012 Eulogy for War, Philly Fringe Festival, Mascher, Philadelphia, PA September 2-3, 2011 Walking Lines, Inhale, Chi Movement Arts Center, Philadelphia, PA July 22, 2011 Silence and Resistance, Greensboro, NC March 27-28, 2009 Dancer in In the Quiet Choreography by Jenny Roe Sawyer June 25-26, 2016 From the Earth Dance Company, Morris Arboretum, Philadelphia, PA Dancer and Contributor to Choreography, SP3 November 6, 2015 Choreography by Megan Bridge with music by Peter Price, the fidget space, Philadelphia, PA Old Languages, dancer/actress in music video by Lacy James 2012/2013 We the People by Lacy James/Mereminne Dancers Philly Fringe Festival, Washington Square Park, Philadelphia, PA September 4 –5, 2011 Re: Vision, New York, NY & Studio 34, Philadelphia, PA March 26, April 2, 15-16, 2011 Glimpse choreographed by Helen Simoneau, April 23-24, 2010 Departmental Concert, UNCG Dance Theater, Greensboro, NC The Gentleman, Le Boeuf Sur le Toit and A Swimmer, Le Train Bleu October 30-31, 2009 Recreated by Ann Dils, UNCG Dance Theater, Greensboro, NC Book of Rhymes choreographed by Augusto Soledade August 28-29, 2009 On the Edge of Red UNCG Dance Theater, Greensboro, NC

Would you please restate your answer in the form of a question?

Une 18-20, 2009

Choreography by Mark Dendy, Durham Performing Arts Center, Durham, NC

Design for Ten choreographed by Jan Van Dyke

February 13-14, 2009

Faculty Artist Concert, Aycock Auditorium, The University of North Carolina, Greensboro, NC

What a quaint scene we were that night . . .

March 30–April 1, 2007

Choreographer: Melisa Putz, pima group, Community Education Center, Philadelphia, PA

*Thrash*, dancer in dance/theater film by **Headlong Dance Theater** 

2006

*Drafting*, performer in dance/theater film directed by Nichole Canuso and Geoff Sobelle 2005

## **Traditional Indonesian Dance Performance**

Puspanjali, a refined Female Style Balinese welcome dance

Gamelan Semara Santi, Swarthmore College, PA Dec 4, 2005, Dec 2, 2012 & Nov 21, 2021

Danced Silisir Mulat Sarira and played Jegogan on Kakang-kakang

April 14, 2019

Gamelan Semara Santi, Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA

Panyembrama, a Balinese welcome dance

**Gamelan Semara Santi,** Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA December 2, 2018 **Indonesia Cultural Club**, *Indonesian Festival 2011*, Philadelphia, PA September 17, 2011

Bangau Raja

Gamelan Semara Santi, Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA

April 8, 2018

Selat Segara

Gamelan Semara Santi, Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA April 12, 2015 & Dec 3, 2017

*Puspawresti* (1987), a Balinese welcome dance in the Classical style by **I Wayan Dibia Gamelan Semara Santi,** Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA April 17, 2011 & April 13, 2014

**Rejang**, traditional Balinese ritual dance

Gamelan Semara Santi, Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA
Indonesian Cultural Club, The Parlor, Philadelphia, PA
March 17, 2012

Silisir Mulat Sarira (2002) choreography by I Nyoman Suadin to the traditional Bapang Selisir
 Indonesian Cultural Club, Andrea Clearfield's Salon, Philadelphia, PA
 Indonesian Cultural Club, The Parlor, Philadelphia, PA
 Gamelan Semara Santi, Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA
 December 4, 2011

Randa Nabia, a folk dance from central Sulawesi

September 17, 2011

Indonesian Cultural Club, Philadelphia Magic Gardens, Philadelphia, PA

*Janger* (2008), Balinese style, choreography and music by **I Nyoman Suadin** April 17, 2011 **Gamelan Semara Santi,** Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA

*Tari Wanita*, Çudamani Summer Institute, **Gamelan Çudamani** July 2008 Cremation Ceremony for Ida Tjorkorda Gede Agung Suyasa, Ubud Palace, Ubud, Bali, Indonesia

# **Improvisational Performance in Dance**

Dancer, Free Fall June 7 & 9, 2025

Fresh Juice at Philly PACK & Scratch Night at FringeArts, Philadelphia, PA

# **Dancer in collaboration with Humanosity Project**

May 2, 2025

Here & There, Cardell Dance Studio, Philadelphia, PA

**Dancer and Curator,** *Free Float by Free Fleet,* Studio 34 Yoga Healing Arts, Philadelphia, PA November 17, 2023 & Feb 11, April 19, 2024, Oct 12, Dec 14, 2024 and February 15, 2025

**Dancer and Advisor,** *Reverie/Revelry* conceived by Vivian Lehrer September 22, 2024 Gorgas Creek, Wissahickon Valley Park, Philadelphia, PA

**Improvisational Performer in Andrea Clearfield's** Szalon honoring Manfred Fischbeck In collaboration with Curt Haworth and Julius Masri, Philadelphia, PA March 24, 2024

**Improvisational Performer,** record release performance for Dirt Baby Farm's Artist in Residence, Joshua Marquez, celebrating his album, *DIRT*, Maas Building, Phila, PA Nov 13, 2023

**Improvisational Performer,** *Xfest* Winters 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019 & 2020 & Summer 2022 Gateway Center Arts, City Hall, Holyoke; The Firehouse, Worchester; UTEC, Lowell, MA, & Pond Eddy, NY

Improvisational Performer, Xfest, online

February 26, 2021 and March 5, 2022

Improvisational Performer with Philadelphia Compositional Improvisation Lab Ensemble

Digital Dissolving Doors, Zoom and Facebook Live August 7, 2020 & March 20, 2021 Dissolving Doors, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA June 22, 2019 Scratch Night curated by Megan Bridge, FringeArts, Philadelphia, PA June 3, 2019 Duets with Strangers, 954 Movement Collective, Philadelphia, PA May 30, 2019

**Curator and Performer of Free improvisation** with various collaborators

monthly-seasonal *H-O-T Series of Philadelphia*, Philadelphia, PA May 2013- October 2019

**Instructor and Performer** July 27, 2019

The People's Intensive in Compositional Improvisation by *The Lovelies*, Triskelion, NYC, NY

Improvisational Dancer with musicians Tim Motzer and Tobias Ralph

Movement Sound Experiment, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

January 11, 2019

**Site-Specific Solo Improvisation** invited and produced by Stephanie Leathers *SITES*, Black Wall Street Plaza, Durham, NC April 20 and 22, 2018

**Improvisational Dancer** with dancer Curt Haworth and musician Tim Motzer Arete Gallery, Brooklyn, NY March 3, 2018

**Improviser** with Asimina Chremos, Curt Haworth, id m theft able, & Kristen Stake the Unsavory Associates, *Frantasia*, Livermore Falls, ME

August 19, 2017

Company Dancer with Graffito Works, site-specific dance

Inspired by Cassils exhibit of *Melt Carve Forge*, PAFA, Philadelphia, PA January 18, 2017

Inspired by exhibit of Boaz Vaadia, Grounds for S "Procession" inspired by the art of Norman Lewis Shofuso Japanese House, Philadelphia, PA	1 ,
Improvisational Performer, Frantasia, Livermore Fa	lls, ME August 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
Dancer, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mini Sound Improv Festival, The Cannery,	Penobscot, ME August 22, 2016
Improvisation, Good Thang, Sommerville Armory, So	ommerville, MA March 25, 2016
Improvisations with Collapss and Friends, Empire Bo	ooks, Greensboro, NC March 22, 2016
Free and Structured Improvisation with experimental Collapss and Friends, Empire Books, Greensbook Woolwine, Blacksburg, VA Red Room, Normals Books, Baltimore, MD Frantasia, Livermore Falls & Jay, ME Salonukkah, Brooklyn, NY Plunging Into Stream, Philadelphia Chailey Mansion, Newburyport, MA Panoply, Brooklyn, NY Sky Dive, Philadelphia, PA Sonorium, Griffen Theatre, Salem, MA Grab Bag, <fidget>, Philly Fringe Festival, Phil</fidget>	March 22, 2016 March 20, 2016 February 20, 2015 & March 18, 2016 Summer 2013, 2014, 2015 December 18, 2014 December 6 & 7, 2014 March 30, 2013 February 13, 2013 November 30, 2012 November 3, 2012
Performer and Curator, NowHere Festival of Free In Mascher Space Cooperative, Temple University, Girls I	
<b>Improvisational Dancer</b> with electronic musician Sebruared by <i>Fire Museum Presents</i> at Pageant: Soloveev	
Site-Specific Improvisation with Flux/us Dance Proj Liam Flynn's, Joe Squared, Baltimore, MD	ects in <i>Akimbo</i> September 15, 2012 & September 15, 2013
Flancy dance, Boston, MA	October 21, 2011 & February 4, 2012
Studio Series with trombonist Dan Blacksberg, Studio3	34, Philadelphia, PA May 29, 2010
Studio Series with keyboardist Troy Herion, Studio 34,	Philadelphia, PA June 27, 2009
Measured Improvisation directed by John Gamble, Departmental Concert, UNCG Dance Theater, The Unit	December 7-8, 2007 versity of North Carolina Greensboro, NC
the rashomon effect dance, music, and video directed by perpetual mvmt <	March 3, 2007 <b>&gt;snd</b> , Mascher Space Cooperative, PA
Dancer for Philadelphia New Dance and Music Ense and Dance, directed by Nicole Bindler directed by Asimina Chremos, The Performan Games Without End, Philly Fringe, Mascher Sp My Little Monstrosity Casania Studio, Cambrid Natural Habitat, Mascher Space Cooperative, I	ce Garage, Philadelphia, PA Nov 11, 2006 pace Co-op, PA September 9-10, 2006 ge, MA May 26, 2006

The Disappearing Floor Beyond Structure, Theatre Project, Baltimo Blind Date, Community Education Center Philadelphia, PA	ore. March 30, 2006 October 14, 2005
<b>Dance and Music Improvisation</b> with Gene Coleman's Ensemble N_ JP, Community Education Center, Phila	October 30, 2006 delphia, PA
Mascher Dance Group and musicians Mikeronesia and Rick Henderson	May 6, 2006
<b>Improvisation</b> curated by <i>Bowerbird</i> with Dustin Hurt, Carlos Santiago, & Joseph Whitt Nexus Gallery, Philadelphia, PA  April 21, 2006	
Comedy/Theatre Improvisation Performance	
Ocean State Improv Fest, Wakefield, RI 3rd annual Happy Valley XL Improv Festival, State College, PA Weird Weekend, Side Quest Theatre, Philadelphia, PA Free Philly Fringe, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA  Incantation directed by Siobhan O'Hara	June 28, 2025 ptember 6 & 7, 2024 June 5, 2024 May 16, 2024 June 2, 2024 eptember 9-10, 2023
Improv Double Feature, Comedy Sportz Philly, Adrienne Theatre, Philadelp Oct 13, Nov 3, 10, Dec1 & 8, 2023, Jan 5 & 12, Feb 2, Mar 1 & 8, Apr 12 &	
The Dancers directed by Anna Neu  Philly Fringe, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA  Plays and Players, Philadelphia, PA  Weird Weekend, Side Quest Theatre, Philadelphia, PA	optember 6 & 7, 2024 August 24, 2024 June 2, 2024
Administration, Facilitation, and Curation Experience	
Curator, Improvisation Performance Practice class, Philadelphia, PA	Oct 2025-present
Curator, Free Float by Free Fleet, Studio 34, Philadelphia, PA	2023-present
Workshop Curator, CI Philly with Nancy Stark Smith, Nita Little, etc.	2014-present
Member-at-largeMarchVice President (Board/Staff Liaison)December	October 2024-present in 2022-October 2024 per 2018-March 2022 2013-December 2015 June 16, 2023
Salow Fast Mascher Space Cooperative Philadelphia PA	

SoLow Fest, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

Co-curator, Digital Dissolving Doors August 7, 2020 & March 20, 2021

Session Monitor, The Future of Contact Improvisation, Earthdance, online April 23, 2021

Facilitator and Founder, Philadelphia Compositional Improvisation Lab Dec 2018-April 2023

# Founding Member, Curator, Education Coordinator Impermanent Society of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA

February 2015- November 2019

-Old City Fest, curator, co-organizer October 2015 and 2018

-FebFest: Discordance, curator, co-organizer, MC February 16-18 2018

-Pfff! (Philly Free Form Festival), curator, house manager October 21-23, 2016

-FormSmash, Tuning Workshop with Karen Nelson, co-coordinator October 17-21, 2016

-Overlapping Kinespheres; Embodied Improvisation and the Global Underscore,

lead organizer, founder, curator, teacher, artist June 16-19, 2016

-NowHere Festival Performances and Workshops, curator, performer October 19-25, 2015

Co-curator *H-O-T Series of Philadelphia*, Philadelphia, PA May 2013- November 2019 Presenting music and dance improvisation by touring and local artists in a monthly series

**Artist-in-Residence**, Mascher Space Coop, Phila, PA Nov 2006-May 2007, Feb 2013-present

**Facilitator**, A Philadelphia Sharing/Thanksgiving for Nancy Stark Smith May 17, 2020

**Programs Coordinator, Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA** July 2013-Nov 2016 Coordinated Mascher Microfestival, Fresh Juice, 10 year anniversary, NowHere Festival professional development events, assisted with Remix Festival at fidget space, and collaborated with Impermanent Society of Philadelphia and Swarthmore College

**Graduate Assistant** August 2007-May 2010

Department of Dance, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Greensboro, NC Performed administrative, organizational and managerial duties:

- in the Dance Department video archives
- as a House Manager and Stage Manager in the Dance Theatre
- with the undergraduate and graduate admissions auditions
- Assistant to the Editor of Dance Research Journal
- Research Assistant to Professor Ann Dils

Founder and Director, SOUP, a multi-genre improv performance series Aug 2009-Feb 2010

Founding Member, Artist-in-Residence, & Rentals Coordinator

April 2006-May 2007

Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA

## **Publications and Presentations**

The Ethics and Logistics of Re-entering Contact Improvisation During a Waning Pandemic and Climate Change and Contact Improvisation; Connection and Commitment for Positive Change, The Future of Contact Improvisation, Earthdance, online April 24, 2021

Contact Improvisation informing Compositional Improvisation July 27, 2019 The People's Intensive in Compositional Improvisation, Triskelion, Brooklyn, NYC, NY

Creative Process in Collaborative Improvisation

November 15, 2015

Borderlands Performance Series, DanceLab, Tijuana, Mexico

Creative Movement for 3-5 Year Olds: Two Successful Versions Dance Teaching Artist Group, The Performance Garage, Philadelphia, PA October 5, 2014

Beyond the Hokey Pokey in StoryTime; Language and Movement	March 14, 2014
Lucien E. Blackwell West Philadelphia Regional Free Library of Philadelphia, F	PA

Visual Graph of Laban Movement Analysis Effort Elements, States, and Drives In *Everybody is a Body* by Karen A. Studd and Laura L. Cox, © 2013

Dance in Early Education

Winter 2003 & Fall 2002

Oberlin High School & KIDsmART conference, Oberlin, OH

# Professional Development in Dance, Pedagogy, Movement

**Rigorous Play** with Marguerite Hemmings and others, Philadelphia, PA November 8-9, 2025

Fascia Floss Teacher Training Level 1 and 2 with Bon Crotzer NYC, NY & online Fall 2025

Somatic Communication: Relational Intelligence In Contact Improvisation with Nita Little Wild Heart, Wallkill, NY

April17-20, 2025

**Dancing From The Inside Out** with Paul Matteson, Philadelphia, PA Sept-October, 2024

Release based technique with Katherine Kiefer Stark, Philadelphia, PA 2014-present

Texas Dance Improvisation Festival, TWU, Denton, TX October 5-7, 2023

*Movement Intensive in Compositional Improvisation*September 14-17, 2023 with **The Architects,** Atland and Thayer Hill Studio, West Chesterfield & Worthington, MA

Three Dimensional Contact Improvisation: fundamental practices for liberated dances with Taja Will, The Whole Shebang, Philadelphia, PA

June 2-3, 2023

Athletics of Intimacy with KJ Holmes, Mascher Space Co-op, Philadelphia, PA May 14, 2023

*Dilation and Contraction: a dance of life* with **Nuria Bowart** (Contact & Axis Syllabus)
The Whole Shebang, Philadelphia, PA
March 25-26, 2023

Somatic Communication: How CI Prepares Us for the 21st Century and Moving Well Together: Relational Intelligence In Duet and Ensemble Practice with Nita Little Nov 11-13, 2022

Relational Intelligence At Home with Nita Little, online March 2020- September 2022

**Critical Mass; CI @ 50 at Oberlin**, Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH July 7-12, 2022 Studied with mayfield brooks, Ann Cooper Albright, Ariadna Franco & Bobby Morris, Alicia Grayson, Nita Little, Nina Martin & Margaret Paek, Caterina Mocciola, & Olivia Shaffer.

Trauma Informed Practice for Teaching Artists, Bartol Foundation, online Spring 2022

Movement Flow with Ron Wood, Urban Movement Arts, Philadelphia, PA Spring 2022

Moving Alchemy with Sara Shelton Mann, FRESH Festival, Zoom January 10-14, 2022

Capoeira Movement with Ron Wood, Urban Movement Arts, Philadelphia, PA Fall 2021

Forms for Formless Nights (Improvisation) with Megan Wilson, online Nov 17, 2021

Composing Emergence: Relational Practices in Performance Making wi	th <b>Nita Little</b> , online January-February 2021
The Future of Contact Improvisation, Earthdance, online Presentations & classes from Fatima Adamu Good, Ann Cooper Albright, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Jones, Nita Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, Ishmael Houston-Little, Yuenjie Maru, Eroca Nicols, Heydon, H	•
Centers of Practice: Continuing the Research of Nancy Stark Smith with Crowley, Ronja Ver, Jo Bruhn, Cristina Turdo, Earthdance, online	Sarah Young, Patrick January 13-17, 2021
Anti-Oppression Training 101 led by the Black and Brown Workers Coo Mascher Space Cooperative, online/Philadelphia, PA	operative August 9-11, 2020
Improvisation Assembly: Practice in Action with the Architects, online	July 24-26, 2020
Camp Design Online with Lora Taub and Jordan Noyes, Muhlenberg Co	llege Summer 2020
Canvas, VoiceThread, & Zoom Trainings, online	June-July 2020
Racism and the Dance World with Karida Griffith, online	June 6, 2020
Material for the Spine by Steve Paxton with Otto Ramstad, Zoom, 8 hou	mrs May 2020
Spiral Body Techniques With Molly Shannahan, Zoom	Spring 2020
<i>Embodiology, Africana-informed improvisation praxis</i> with <b>Dr. S. Ama V</b> Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA	<b>Vray</b> January 10-11, 2020
Keening with Annie Wilson, Philadelphia, PA and Zoom	July 2019- April 2020
Contact Improvisation and Alexander Technique with Suzanne Liska and Mark Young Leviathan, Lasqueti, British Columbia, Canada June 30-July 6, 2019	
Simone Forti's Dance Constructions with KJ Holmes, MOMA, New Yor	k, NY January 5, 2019
National Dance Institute Training with Ballet X, Philadelphia, PA	September 24-28, 2018
Red Square Practice with Barbara Dilley, Elkins Park, PA	June 29-July 1, 2018
Movement Intensive in Compositional Improvisation with The Architects Franklin & Marshall College, Lancaster, PA June 19-24, 2017 & June 17-23, 2018	
a continuity of discontinuity or a way to practice dance with Deborah Ha Mascher Space Cooperative, Philadelphia, PA	June 11-15, 2018
Moving Alchemy with Sara Shelton Mann Djerassi Resident Artists Program, Woodside, CA	February 17-22, 2017
Dance Games for Engagement and Empowerment with Bethany Formic Dance Teaching Artists Group (TAG), Philadelphia PA	a October 30, 2016
<i>Trio A</i> with <b>Pat Catterson</b> , Philadelphia, PA	October 15-16, 2016

Equilibrium and Flow with Christine Cole, Art Room Studio, Philadelphia, PA Nov 5-7, 2021

FormSmash, Tuning Workshop with Karen Nelson, Philadelphia, PA

October 17-21, 2016

Overlapping Kinespheres, Philadelphia, PA

June 16-19, 2016

Personal Resonance with Michael Kiley & Contemplative Dance Practice with Asimina Chremos & Jude Robinson

The Prepared Body with Deborah Hay, Movement Research, New York, NY. April 25-29, 2016

Everybody Moves Festival, Northampton, MA

March 25-26, 2016

Contact Improvisation and related fields with Olive Bieringa, Otto Ramstad, Kristen Chamberlin, KJ Holmes, Daniel Lepkoff, Lani Nahele, Lisa Nelson, Steve Paxton & Moti Zemelman.

Form in Question, Ensemble Improvisation Conference, New York, NY Jan 15-17, 2016 Dolphin Dance Project (Chisa Hidaka, Ben Harley), iLand (Jenifer Monson), Lower Left Collective, Gwendolyn Aiker, Melinda Buckwater, Kent De Spain, Margit Galanter, Maria Hodermarska, Lisa Nelson, Mary Overlie, & Susan Sgorbati.

Making the Mystery Visible with Nancy Stark Smith, Philadelphia, PA December 12-14, 2015

NowHere Festival Workshop, Philadelphia, PA

October 19-23, 2015

Improvisation in Performance with Michael Evans, Bhob Rainey and Leah Stein

Center, Gravity, Rhythm: Global Forces in Dancemaking workshops Fall 2015

Mascher Space Cooperative in collaboration with Swarthmore College, Philadelphia, PA

David Zambrano, nora chipaumire, and Ziya Azazi.

**Professional Training Program, Bates Dance Festival,** Lewiston, ME Summer 2015 Underscore with Nancy Stark Smith, Contemporary Modern Dance with Kathleen Hermesdorff, Pilates with Robbie Cook & Spiraldynamik with Shonach Mirk Robles

**Movement Improvisation Workshops** 

February 28, 2015

**Xfest,** Gateway City Arts Center, Holyoke, MA with Asimina Chremos and with Joe Burgio

Rolling on a Grassy Slope; An Intensive Workshop in Contact Improv with Martin Keogh, Christ Church Neighborhood House, Philadelphia, PA February 7-8, 2015

Buildabridge Training in Trauma Informed Arts Education, Philadelphia, PA January 31, 2015

Improvisation Technique as Performance Practice with Zornitsa Stoyanova,

Mascher Space Co-operative and <fidget space>, Philadelphia, PA

January 16-18, 2015

**Workshop** with **luciana achugar**, Mascher Space Co-op, Philadelphia, PA October 6-10, 2014 *Work on movement technique, pleasure, voice, presence, political body* 

Cultivate Dance Festival, Bethlehem, NH

August 13-16, 2014

Contemporary technique with Alexandra Beller, Alex Springer & Xan Burley, and Belinda He

Composition Workshop with Myra Bazell, Iron Factory, Philadelphia, PA June 21, 2014

Franklin Method for Dancers with Shannon Murphy, Mascher, Phila, PA July 22-26, 2013

States of Grace with Nancy Stark Smith, Movement Research, New York March 6-10, 2013

## **Contact Improvisation/Improvisational Composition**

January 14-18, 2013

Falls Bridge Workshop with Margaret Paek and Rebecca Bryant, Philadelphia, PA

seeing.repeating.rituals with Jill Sigman, New York, NY

May 17-18, 2012

Dance with Anna Halprin, Kentfield, CA

September 2010

**Çudamani Summer Institute** a 3-week intensive in traditional Balinese dance

Summer 2008

Gamelan Çudamani, Pengosekan, Ubud, Bali, Indonesia

**Logomotion** with **Simone Forti**, Before Zip, Orvieto, Italy

October 14-20, 2006

# **Clowing and Comedy Improvisation Training**

# **Intermediate Clowning** with **Virginia Scott**

August 3 & 4, 2024

Crossroads, Plays and Players, Philadelphia, PA

Workshops, Ocean State Improv Fest, Wakefield, RI

June 6-7, 2024

Power of the Second Move, Comedy through Connection, Characters on Characters

Workshops, Happy Valley XL Improv Festival, State College, PA May 17-18, 2024
Improv Without Ideas with Justin Peters & Kelly Buttermore, The Game of the Scene with Ify Nwadiwe & Improv Taxonomy with Chris George

## Beginning Clowning with Virginia Scott

February 17, April 27 & 28, 2024

Crossroads, Plays and Players, Philadelphia, PA

*Comedy Improv 4* with **Rachel Semigran**, Crossroads, Philadelphia, PA June 14- July 19, 2023 with performance at Sawubona Creativity Project, Philadelphia, PA July 22, 2023

*Comedy Improv 3* with **Nick Gillette**, Crossroads, Philadelphia, PA April 27-June 1, 2023 with performance at Plays & Players Theatre Skinner Studio, Philadelphia, PA June 3, 2023

*Comedy Improv 2* with **Sarah Clemency**, Crossroads, Philadelphia, PA. Jan 11-Feb 15, 2023 with performance at Plays & Players Theatre Skinner Studio, Philadelphia, PA Feb 18, 2023

*Comedy Improv 1* with **Kelly Conrad**, Crossroads, Philadelphia, PA Sept 14- Oct 19, 2022 with performance at Plays & Players Theatre Skinner Studio, Philadelphia, PA Oct 29, 2022

## Awards

Recipient of Penn Treaty Special Services District (PTSSD) Sponsorship to choreograph produce Vervet Dance's *Quartet for the End of Time*, Icebox Project Space, Philadelphia, PA performed November 22-23, 2024

Recipient of (PTSSD) Sponsorship to choreograph *Tidal River* and produce for the *Philadelphia 2021 Global Water Dance*, Penn Treaty Park, Philadelphia, PA, performed June 12, 2021

**Commissioned Choreographer,** *Between sky and Earth, everywhere flowers* for *En-Route: A Festival of Site Specific Dance* **Muhlenburg College,** Allentown, PA performed May 7-9, 2021

**Curator, Faculty, and Performer** of *Dissolving Doors; Festival of Compositional Improvisation,* supported by **PTSSD** funding, produced at Mascher Space Cooperative, Phila, PA June 19-23, 2019

Artist in Residency, mentored by Sara Shelton Mann at Djerassi, Woodside, CA, February 2017

**Performer and Curator of** *NowHere Festival of Free Improvisation in Sound and Movement* supported by **PTSSD** funding, produced at and in collaboration with Mascher Space Cooperative, Temple University, Girls Rock Philly, Philadelphia, PA, October 19-25, 2015

**Invited Performing Artist** to perform *Processional* in collaboration with Flandrew Fleisenberg at the Biennial of Performance and Sound Art, The Quarry, Acton, MA, September 7, 2013

**Invited Choreographer** in the **Philadelphia Dance Showcase**, Dance USA Philadelphia (DanceUP), Performance Garage, Philadelphia, PA, April 16, 2013

Invited Choreographer in Dance in Public Places, DanceUP, Galleria Mall, Phila, PA, Feb 2011

Recipient of DanceUP, Professional Development Scholarship, January 2011

Teaching Assistant and MFA Scholarship Fund, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Greensboro, NC, August 2007-May 2010

Kohler Award for Internationalizing the Curriculum, UNCG, Greensboro, NC, Summer 2008

**Choreographer** with support as **CEC New Edge Mix Artist** from the Community Education Center, Philadelphia, PA to develop *Re-directed Trajectory* 2005-2006 and perform January 13-15, 2006

Choreographer/Teaching Artist with support from Abington Art Center as the Summer Dance Resident, Jenkintown, PA to develop and perform *Re-directed Trajectory*, Summer 2005

### **Professional Affiliations**

Vervet Dance, Founding Artistic Director, Choreographer	2011-present
Mascher Space Cooperative, founding member	2005-2007, February 2013-present
Impermanent Society of Philadelphia, founding member	February 2015-2020
Dance USA/ Philadelphia member	2007, 2010-2015
North Carolina Dance Alliance member	2008-2010

References, Clearances, and more Contact information available upon request