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WELCOME TO CHICAGO DANCE MONTH!

Dear Chicago Dance Lovers,

Spring has come early this year, and summer will be here in no time. That means See Chicago Dance's summer dance programming is right around the corner, beginning with our annual **Chicago Dance Month Kickoff** performance happening **June 1** on the beautiful **Lake Stage at Navy Pier**.

Throughout the summer, SCD will present 45 companies and individual artists in 17 distinct performance and instructional events. It is our honor to showcase **so many amazing, diverse and dynamic artists** on Navy Pier's three stages this year.

Participation in Chicago Dance Month events is open to all SCD members. This year, we received **an unprecedented number of applications to participate in Dance Month: 85!** This boom echoes the growth of our community's overall interest in SCD's programs and services. Earlier this year we reached a major milestone: **350 new and renewing members**, a 450% increase in the number of individual artists and organizational members since 2019. Thanks to the generosity of our Membership Sponsor, Grand Stage, **membership is free** and involves only the completion of a brief demographic survey, which helps us be more effective advocates for our community.

Throughout this year's brochure, you'll also find **four short spotlights** written by members of our journalism team at SeeChicagoDance.com. Since 2009, SCD has supported a rigorous dance writing platform, offering more reviews and reflections on the creative forces that ignite Chicago's stages than any other media outlet. In 2023, we published 77 dance articles online.

Last but not least, you'll find the summer dance event listings on pages 6-9—just a portion of the performances and instructional opportunities our community will offer throughout the summer. Our members are adding more performances and events to our online calendar—the most comprehensive listing of dance events in the city—every day. **Please check seechicagodance.com/events frequently;**

We invite you to join us in the tradition of Chicago Dance Month. **Let Chicago move you!**



Julia Mayer
Executive Director, See Chicago Dance



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Living History: Chicago Dance History Project

The Chicago Dance History Project digitizes and preserves oral dance histories across the city. And after a decade of operation, they're restructuring, rebranding and realigning that vision.



Under Executive Director Michael McStrow's leadership, CDHP is in the middle of two concrete changes. First, the archives will migrate to the city's Midwest Dance Collection at the Newberry Library—making them free to the public. Second, a new "digitization station" launching in June at CDHP's downtown offices allows artists and companies to record and digitize materials for contribution to the collection.

Drawing on 40 years of experience in Chicago's dance community, including 13 as executive director of Giordano Dance Chicago, McStrow plans to incorporate a redefinition of the organization as not simply research-based, but service-based.

"Our support will be to help do the research, then encapsulate that work in such a way that it becomes meaningful and useful," he says. **"The really wonderful thing is that it represents all forms of dance in the city and a diversity of people, dance styles and neighborhoods."**

CHICAGO DANCE
HISTORY PROJECT

While the initial archival work is focusing on professional companies and venues, McStrow emphasizes a vision to eventually include independent artists and educational organizations, as well as coordinate panels that invite more voices to discuss the broader art forms and spaces within the community.

To learn more, visit chicagodancehistory.org.

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Hubbard Street Dancers Aaron Choate, Shota Miyoshi, Elliot Hammans, and Morgan Clune in *Dear Frankie* by Rennie Harris. Photo by KT Miller Photography.

CHICAGO DANCE MONTH EVENTS

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May 17
Can You Hear Us Now?
Preview Event

Chicago Tap Theatre
Gerber Hart Library
6500 N Clark St, Chicago
Fri 7pm, Free

May 17–18
25th Anniversary Concert Series
Cerqua Rivera Dance Theatre
Ruth Page Center for the Arts
1016 N Dearborn St, Chicago
Fri–Sat 7:30pm, \$40–60

May 17–18
Back in the Saddle
Darvin Dances
Color Club
4146 N Elston Ave, Chicago
Fri–Sat 7:30pm, \$25

May 17–18
Lights/9
Identity Performing Arts
C5
5066 N Kimberly Ave, Chicago
Fri–Sat 7:30pm, \$30

May 17–19
Spring Series: "Of Joy"
Hubbard Street Dance Chicago
Harris Theater for Music and Dance
205 E Randolph St, Chicago
Fri–Sat 8pm, Sun 3pm, \$15–110

May 18–19
Annual Concert
Chicago Ballet Arts
McGrath Family Performing Arts Center
1100 Laramie Ave, Wilmette
Sat 4pm, Sun 1:30pm, \$12–35

May 19
Gala des Etoiles de la Danse
Chicago Ballet Theatre
The Wilds at Red Oak Nature Center
1400 N River Rd, North Aurora
Sun 2pm, \$100

May 20
Marvelous Monday
Modern Marvels Dance Company
Northcenter Town Square
4100 N Damen Ave, Chicago
Mon 6pm, Free



May 20
DanceChance
Chicago Dancemakers Forum
Mayor's Office for People with Disabilities – Central West Center
2102 W Ogden Ave, Chicago
Mon 6:30pm, Free

May 24
Defiant Silk Festival: Fire + Dragons
Raks Inferno
The Newport Theater
956 W Newport Ave, Chicago
Fri 7pm, \$25–39



May 24–25
Persistent Spring
Winifred Haun & Dancers
Ruth Page Center for the Arts
1016 N Dearborn St, Chicago
Fri–Sat 7:30pm, \$35

May 25–26
The Toymaker
Ballet 5:8
Lincoln–Way West High School
21701 Gougar Rd, New Lenox
Sat 2pm & 7pm, Sun 3pm, \$15–35

May 25
National Tap Dance Day
Chicago Human Rhythm Project
Mayfair Arts Center
8701 S Bennett Ave, Chicago
Sat 6pm, Free

May 31–June 2
Innate
Hot Crowd
Theater Wit
1229 W Belmont Ave, Chicago
Fri–Sat 7:30pm, Sat–Sun 2:30pm, \$34



June 1
Dance Month Kickoff
Navy Pier Polk Bros Park Lake Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 3pm, Free



June 2
Flight Aerial Dance Workshop
Aerial Dance Chicago
4028 W Irving Park Rd, Loft A, Chicago
Sun 3:30pm, Free

CHICAGO DANCE MONTH EVENTS

June 3

Open Studio Series: Amanda Ramirez
Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events
Chicago Cultural Center
78 E Washington St, Chicago
Mon 6pm, Free

June 5

Open Studio Series:
Amalia Raye Wiatr Lewis
Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events
Chicago Cultural Center
78 E Washington St, Chicago
Wed 6pm, Free

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June 5

Pier Dance
Navy Pier City Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Wed 6pm, Free



June 5

Choreography Showing
Venetia Stifler & Concert Dance, Inc
Visceral Dance Center
3121 N Rockwell St, Chicago
Wed 7pm, Free

June 7-9

Blues at the Bean 2024
Bluetopia
Forteza
4437 N Ravenswood Ave, Chicago
Fri-Sun 11am, \$50-100

June 7-9

Under My Skin
Noumenon Dance Ensemble
The Edge Theater
5451 N Broadway St, Chicago
Fri-Sat 7pm, Sun 3pm, \$25

June 7-9

Flamenco Passion
Ensemble Español
North Shore Center for the Performing Arts
9501 Skokie Blvd, Skokie
Fri-Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3pm, \$15-55

June 8

Open Studio Series: Aaliyah Christina
Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events
Chicago Cultural Center
78 E Washington St, Chicago
Sat 11am, Free

June 8

Art Inspired Dance Improvisation
Still Inspired
Old Town Art Fair
1763 N North Park Ave, Chicago
Sat 1:30pm, Free

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June 8

Wave Wall Moves
Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free



June 9

Sunday Dance Mix-Up
The Old Town School of Folk Music
4544 N Lincoln, Chicago
Sun 11am, \$20-30



June 9

National Tap Day Celebration
The Old Town School of Folk Music
4544 N Lincoln, Chicago
Sun 4:30pm, \$24-26

June 11

Open Studio Series: Helen Lee
Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events
Chicago Cultural Center
78 E Washington St, Chicago
Tue 6pm, Free

SEE CHICAGO DANCE EVENT!

June 12

Pier Dance
Navy Pier City Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Wed 6pm, Free



June 14

Raks Geek: A Sci-Fi + Fantasy Speakeasy
Raks Geek
The Newport Theater
956 W Newport Ave, Chicago
Fri 7pm, \$29-39

June 14

Ruth Page School - Spring Show 2024
Ruth Page School of Dance
1016 N Dearborn St, Chicago
Fri 7pm, \$20

June 14-15

WROUGHT
Laboratory Dancers
Ebenezer Lutheran Church
1650 W Foster Ave, Chicago
Fri-Sat 7:30pm, \$12-50

June 15

Improv Jam for Dancers and Artists
Little Fire Artist Collective
The Rooted Space
1803 W Byron St, Suite 201, Chicago
Sat 11am, Donations Welcome

June 15-29

Tend
Khecari
Chicago Cultural Center
78 E Washington St, Chicago
Sat & Thurs, Noon, Free

June 16

Snow White the Ballet
Chicago Ballet Theatre
Lake Park East High School
600 S Medinah Rd, Roselle
Sun 3pm, \$27-37

June 16

Open Studio Series: Keisha Janae
Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events
Chicago Cultural Center
78 E Washington St, Chicago
Sun 3pm, Free

SEE CHICAGO DANCE EVENT!

June 19

Pier Dance
Navy Pier City Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Wed 6pm, Free



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June 20

Ruth Page Professional Dance & Friends at Ravinia Festival

Ruth Page Pro Training Program

201 Ravinia Park Road, Highland Park
Thurs 7:30pm, \$35

June 20–22

New Dances 2024

Thodos Dance Chicago and DanceWorks Chicago

Ruth Page Center for the Arts
1016 N Dearborn St, Chicago
Thurs–Sat 7pm, \$20–40

June 20–23

Can You Hear Us Now?

Chicago Tap Theatre

The Edge Theater
5451 N Broadway St, Chicago
Thur–Fri 7pm, Sat–Sun 2pm, \$32–75

June 21

**Open Studio Series: Jenna Pollack
Department of Cultural Affairs and
Special Events**

Chicago Cultural Center
78 E Washington St, Chicago
Fri 4pm, Free

June 21–23

**Co-MISSION Festival of New Works
Links Hall**

3111 N Western Ave, Chicago
Fri–Sun 7pm, \$16–42



June 22

World Refugee Day

World Refugee Day Chicago

Foster Beach Park
5200 N DuSable Lake Shore Dr, Chicago
Sat, 9am, Free

June 22

**Elpis Dance Festival
Identity Performing Arts**

Lincoln Park
2021 N Stockton Dr, Chicago
Sat 1pm, Free

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June 22

Wave Wall Moves

Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free



June 26

Pier Dance

Navy Pier City Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Wed 6pm, Free

June 28

Dancing in the Square

Perceptual Motion, Inc

Northcenter Town Square
4100 N Damen Ave, Chicago
Fri 6:30pm, Free

June 28–30

Co-MISSION Festival of New Works

Links Hall

3111 N Western Ave, Chicago
Fri–Sun 7pm, \$16–42

July 6, 8, 11, 13, 18

Tend

Khecari

Chicago Cultural Center
78 E Washington St, Chicago
Sat/Mon/Thurs Noon, Free

SEE CHICAGO DANCE EVENTS!

July 6

Wave Wall Moves

Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free



July 7

Dance Month After Dark (21+)

The Newport Theater
956 W Newport Ave, Chicago
Sun 3pm & 7pm, \$15–100

July 12

Raks Inferno: An Intimate Circus

Speakeasy

Raks Inferno

The Newport Theater
956 W Newport Ave, Chicago
Fri 7pm, \$29–39

July 12–13

Summer Dance Intensive Showcase

Deeply Rooted Dance Theater

Reva and David Logan Center for the Arts
915 E 60th St, Chicago
Fri 7:30pm, Sat 2pm & 7:30pm, \$25

SEE CHICAGO DANCE EVENT!

July 13

Wave Wall Moves

Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free



July 14

**JUBA! Masters of Tap &
Percussive Dance**

Chicago Human Rhythm Project

DuSable Black History Museum and
Education Center
740 E 56th St, Chicago
Sun 5pm, Free



July 16

Rhythm World: Jubalee! Gala

Chicago Human Rhythm Project

The Jazz Showcase
806 S Plymouth Ct, Chicago
Tue 6:30pm, \$150

CHICAGO DANCE MONTH EVENTS



July 17
JUBA! Masters of Tap & Percussive Dance
Chicago Human Rhythm Project
Fine Arts Building
410 S Michigan Ave, Chicago
Wed 7pm, Free



July 19
JUBA! Masters of Tap & Percussive Dance
Chicago Human Rhythm Project
Fine Arts Building
410 S Michigan Ave, Chicago
Fri 7pm, Free

July 20
International Dance Experience 2024
Ruth Page School of Dance
1016 N Dearborn St, Chicago
Sat 2pm, \$10

SEE CHICAGO DANCE EVENT!
July 20
Wave Wall Moves
Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free

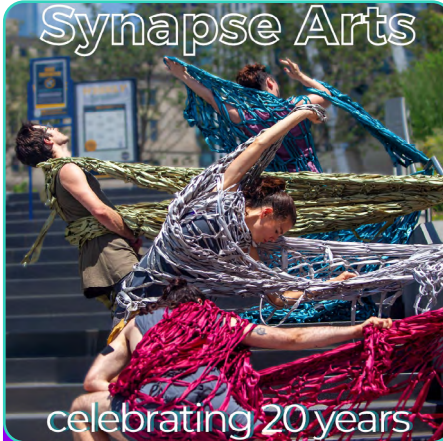


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July 27

Wave Wall Moves
Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free



July 27
The Future is NOW
Ballet 5:8
Lincoln Way East High School
201 Colorado Ave, Frankfort
Sat 7:30pm, \$20-35



August 3
Birthday Bash
Synapse Arts
Berger Park Cultural Center
6219 N Sheridan Rd, Chicago
Sat Noon, \$1-40

SEE CHICAGO DANCE EVENT!

August 3
Wave Wall Moves
Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free



August 9
Raks Inferno: An Intimate Cirque Speakeasy
Raks Inferno
The Newport Theater
956 W Newport Ave, Chicago
Fri 7pm, \$29-39

SEE CHICAGO DANCE EVENT!

August 10
Wave Wall Moves
Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free



August 10
Dance for Life 2024
Chicago Dance Health Fund
Auditorium Theatre
50 E Ida B Wells Dr, Chicago
Sat 6pm, \$25-125

August 10
Dance Africa Chicago
Muntu Dance Theatre
Kennedy King College
6301 S Halsted St, Chicago
Sat 7pm, Price TBD

August 16-17
Ellas y Yo Mexicanas
Sildance/AcroDanza
Night Out in the Parks
Location TBD
Fri-Sat 6:30pm, Free

SEE CHICAGO DANCE EVENT!

August 17
Wave Wall Moves
Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free



August 17
Bon Fest
Shubukai
Location TBD
Sat 8pm, Free

August 19-23
WORKSHOP: Back to Nutcracker!
Ruth Page School of Dance
1016 N Dearborn St, Chicago
Mon-Fri 11am, \$12-20

August 24
Divination: The Dancing Souls of Black Folk
Chicago Black Dance Legacy Project
Millennium Park, Jay Pritzker Pavilion
201 E Randolph St, Chicago
Sat 5:45pm, Free

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August 31
Wave Wall Moves
Navy Pier Wave Wall Stage
600 E Grand Ave, Chicago
Sat 4pm, Free



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February 7, 2025

**Ballet Folklórico
de México de
Amalia Hernández**

March 1-2, 2025

**Alvin Ailey
American
Dance Theater**

March 5-9, 2025

Parsons Dance

April 12, 2025

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May 3, 2025

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May 17, 2025

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Chicago Dance Health Fund doubles down on dancer health

Originally created to support those living with HIV/AIDS by using the power of dance, Chicago Dancers United has a new name. After 32 years, the newly branded Chicago Dance Health Fund has a broadened mission supporting a spectrum of health and wellness in the Chicago dance community.

“As we refocus ourselves under a new name, we are making the health component critical,” says Executive Director Nathaniel Ekman. **“We are here to support the health and wellness of the Chicago dance community.”**

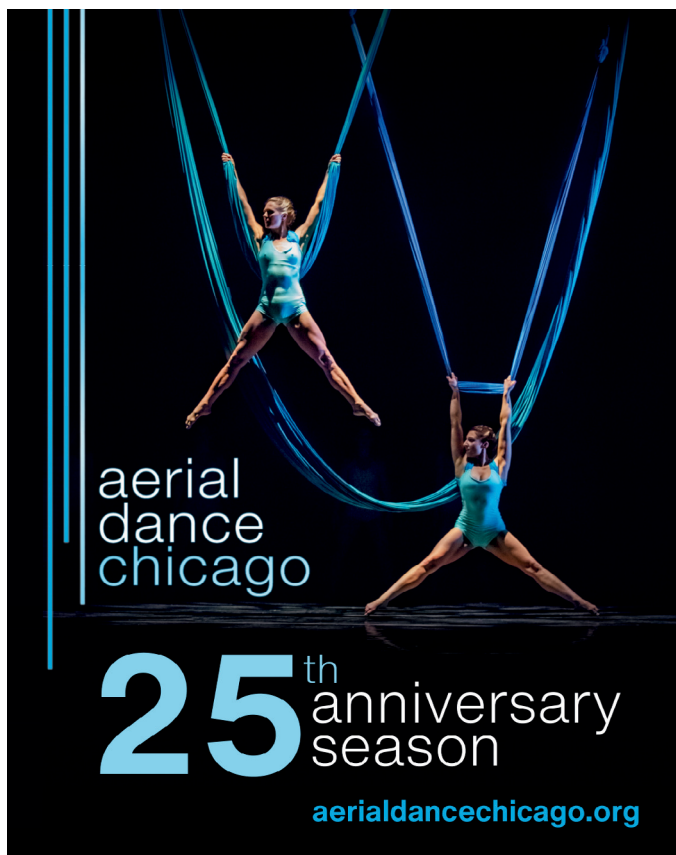
CDHF has evolved to bolster preventative health care, critical medical needs and wellness resources with two grants. In 2023, dance professionals received \$100,000 in financial support.

One of CDHF’s newer programs, the Day of Dance Health, brings together CDHF partners Howard Brown Health and Shirley Ryan AbilityLab at the Ruth Page Center this fall to provide complimentary physical therapy screenings, orthopedic care, behavioral health

appointments, medical appointments and a variety of other services, including a lunchtime seminar on how the three partners support the dance community.

CDHF’s signature fundraisers, Dance for Life on Aug. 10 and drag cabaret Dance Divas this fall, remain cornerstones of the organization.

To learn more, visit cdhf.org.



MOMENTA:

The company where "everybody can dance"

MOMENTA, one of the leading forces within the Midwest disability arts community, cultivates an environment where everybody can come together to celebrate movement.

MOMENTA's mission to embrace and showcase physically integrated and inclusive dance has provided artists with and without disabilities a space to nurture creative expression and celebrate differences. More than two decades ago, the company began actively including dancers, choreographers and staff members with disabilities in the artistic process. MOMENTA highlights the importance of championing disabled artists and their unique contributions.

"Contributions are made because of their disability, not in spite of it," says Artistic Executive Director Sarah Najera.

MOMENTA collaborates with individuals who have a range of physical, invisible, dynamic and intellectual disabilities, using its platform to educate non-disabled dancers about disability awareness.

In addition to MOMENTA's signature concert CounterBalance, which takes place each fall at Center on Halsted, Everybody Can Dance workshops provide an inclusive space for people of all ranges of motion and dance experience. In-person and online workshops take place once a month through December.

For more information, visit momentadances.org.



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The Gig Economy: Dancers seek transparency in a freelance industry



Arts advocates are pushing for more pay transparency from the dance industry, whose workers are routinely in the dark regarding standard rates and benefits. This lack of explicit information enables employers to pay dancers suboptimal rates, leaving them to pursue their passion in poverty.

Last year, Darvin Dances surveyed 38 dance companies as part of its **Chicago Dancer Pay Transparency Project**. The data found that most professional dancers are employed as independent contractors with no benefits. They earn near minimum wage and work an average of seven hours per week, per company.

According to equity advocacy organization **On Our Team**, the only people who can afford to work for such low wages are those with privilege. "The current system all but requires affluence, personal wealth or a breadwinning partner to sustain a career," OOT organizer Elsa Hilter said on HowlRound, a knowledge commons by and for the theatre community, January 6, 2021.

The benefits of equitable and transparent pay are that artists can better choose which companies to work for, women and ethnic minorities gain firmer footing during pay negotiations, and companies attract better talent and goodwill (and good press).

"All of these companies are definitely trying to pay as well as they can," says Darvin Dances Director Mariah Eastman, "but they're still paying almost minimum wage or less. That's just sad to me."

For more information about pay equity, visit the Chicago Dancer Pay Transparency Project, darvindances.com, and On Our Team, onourteam.org.

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