LEHIGI VALL DAN

Calendar 2020-2021





Sankofa Danzafro: City of Others

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 · 8PM

MUHLENBERG COLLEGE

MUHLENBERG DANCERS SEPTEMBER DANCEWORKS: SITE-SPECIFIC DANCE

A monthly virtual event featuring new dance works on camera by Muhlenberg Dancers.

Tickets: Free

For more information contact: bergdance@muhlenberg.edu

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16 · 8PM

MUHLENBERG COLLEGE

MUHLENBERG DANCERS OCTOBER DANCEWORKS: SOLO WORK

A monthly virtual event featuring new dance works on camera by Muhlenberg Dancers.

Tickets: Free

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24 & SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25

DESALES UNIVERSITY

EMERGING CHOREOGRAPHERS CONCERT

Artistic Director, Angela Sigley Grossman A pre-recorded, live 2020 production.

The dance season opens with the choreographic expressions of our talented dance majors. This exciting virtual concert celebrates the beauty of human movement with a select group of student choreographers premiering a program of new works. Please join us as we share these filmed world premieres from the intimate Schubert Theatre. Ages 6+

Price per viewer: \$10

Viewing Dates: Saturday, October 24 & Sunday, October 25

Closed captions available

Order tickets online or by phone!

Website: desales.edu/act1 | Box Office: 610.282.3192

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1 **DESALES UNIVERSITY**

48-HOUR SCREEN DANCE CHALLENGE

Curated by E'lise Jumes Original 2020 Screen Dances

Celebrate the collaborative spirit our dance, film, and theatre majors bring to the 48-Hour Screen Dance Challenge! Students will team up to create original films that merge cinematography and choreography. You will be amazed at what can be created in only 48 hours! Ages 6+

Price per viewer: \$5

Viewing Date: Sunday, November 1 Order tickets online or by phone!

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7 · 7:00PM CEDAR CREST COLLEGE

DANCEWORKS: VIDEO DANCE CHALLENGE

DanceWorks is an eclectic blend of ballet, jazz, contemporary and modern, featuring original works choreographed and performed by current students. This year DanceWorks will challenge students to create captivating dances for the camera. Artistic direction by Sarah Carlson.

A Virtual Premiere Event Tickets: FREE Visit "Performing Arts at Cedar Crest College" Facebook page for full details

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10 · 7PM

WILLIAMS CENTER FOR THE ARTS / LAFAYETTE COLLEGE

MONICA BILL BARNES & COMPANY: THE RUNNING SHOW – BEHIND THE SCENES OF THE WORK IN PROGRESS

A seven-year-old falls in love with dance; at 40 she practices every day to stay in the game; at 70 she keeps moving. This fall, Monica Bill Barnes is working with an ensemble of dancers in the Lehigh Valley ranging in age from 12 to 75. Through virtual movement classes and interviews, Barnes and documentary theater artist Robbie Saenz de Viteri teach the choreography and capture the dancers' stories. It's an unprecedented look at the life of a dancer in this behind-the-scenes making of The Running Show, prior to the work's 2021 debut at Lafayette College.

Tickets: \$15, general admission for livestream access, available at williamscenter.lafayette.edu Contact the ticket office at 610-330-5009 for student pricing



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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22 · 8PM MUHLENBERG COLLEGE

MUHLENBERG DANCERS NOVEMBER DANCEWORKS: CONNECTIONS

A monthly virtual event featuring new dance works on camera by Muhlenberg Dancers.

Tickets: Free

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3 · 8PM MUHLENBERG COLLEGE

MUHLENBERG DANCERS DECEMBER
DANCEWORKS: GROUP COLLABORATIONS

A monthly virtual event featuring new dance works on camera by Muhlenberg Dancers.

Tickets: Free

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5 · 7:30PM ZOELLNER ARTS CENTER

SANKOFA DANZAFRO: CITY OF OTHERS

Sankofa Danzafro hails from Colombia, the country with the second-largest Afro-descendant population found in Latin America. "City of Others" is a work showcasing powerful Afro-Colombian and Afro-contemporary dance with live drumming and singing.

Tickets: TBD

FRIDAY, MARCH 26 & SATURDAY, MARCH 27 · 7:30PM

MORAVIAN COLLEGE

DANCERS IN CONCERT

Dancers in Concert is an engaging performance featuring original works created by dance faculty, guest artists, and select student choreographers. Artistic direction by Lisa Busfield.

Foy Hall, Moravian College 342 Main Street, Bethlehem Tickets: TBD



FRIDAY, APRIL 16 · 10AM SCHOOL SHOW · 7:30PM

ZOELLNER ARTS CENTER

FLIP FABRIQUE: BLIZZARD

FLIP Fabrique is a circus company based in Québec, Canada. Born out of the dreams and the friendship of circus performers in 2011, this troupe is renowned around the world for its beloved productions combining astonishing feats and true visual poetry. Set in the dead of winter, "Blizzard" is a crazy, poetic and gentle journey that invites you to lose yourself in a moment of complete wonder. With performers at the peak of their art and outstanding visual poetry, "Blizzard" promises to blow away everything in its path.

Tickets: TBD

TUESDAY, MAY 11 - SUNDAY, MAY 16 • RESIDENCY WITH MULTIPLE PERFORMANCES

ZOELLNER ARTS CENTER

COMPAGNIA TPO

Visual, emotional, tactile, immersive ... In TPO, creation coincides with an interactive scenery. Using digital design all sets become "sensitive environments" – wherein continuous crossfades between art and play can be experienced. Dancers, performers and the audience share the stage and find a common ground of enjoyment beyond cultural and language barriers. Each artwork is designed to dialogue with players in motion, individual dancers or children. Images and sounds interface with the moving bodies on stage, transforming live gestures and virtual landscapes into a charming interactive art environment.

Tickets: TBD

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