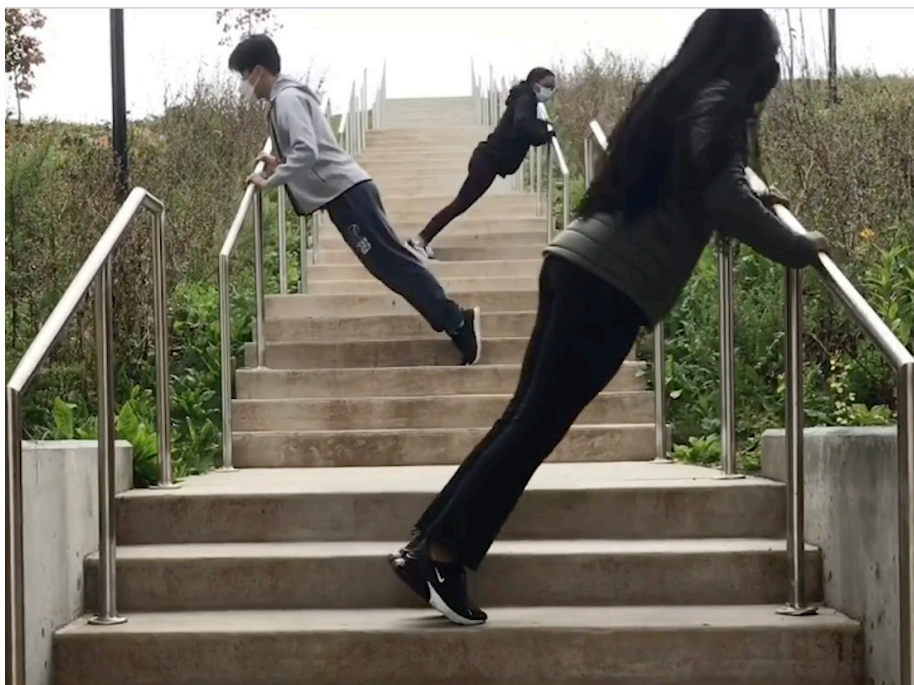




PRESENTS

DANCE CONCERT 2021



FRIDAY | MAY 21 | 5:00 p.m. | PMAC Main Stage
SATURDAY-SUNDAY | MAY 22-23 | 2:00 p.m.

INVITATION

Choreographer: Angharad Davies

Music: "The High and The Mighty" by Lionel Hampton and Oscar Peterson,
"iii's Front" by Overmono, "Dance" by Noizu

Dancers: Laura Jiang '21, Andrew Lee '21, Laya Raj '24, Olivia Siegel '24,
Katherine Shumway '24

LAMENT FOR REAL CHANGE

Choreographer: Pamela Newell

Music: "A Me, Fanciulla", "Una Serenata", "La Gitana", and
"Deh, Non Volerli Vittime e Finale" by Banda Città Ruvo Di Puglia

Dancers: Laura Jiang '21, Lauren Kee '24, Andrew Lee '21, Laya Raj '24,
Katherine Shumway '24, Olivia Siegel '24, Yuko Tanaka '22,
Dominic Thomas '21

Special thanks to Angela Weston for her assistance.

FLUCTUATION

Choreographer: Brandon Couloute

Music: "The Choice Is Yours" by Blacksheep, "I Believe" by Yolanda Adams,
"HOUSTONFORNICATION" by Travis Scott

Dancers: Sesame Gaetsaloe '21, Laura Jiang '21, Jasmine Khuu '24,
Hannah Wallinger '21

SOMEWHERE

Choreographer: Emily Goodwin '21

Music: "Somewhere Over the Rainbow" by Emile Pandolfi

Dancers: Sydney Alleyne '23, Ava Coletti '22, Olivia Dreier '21, Vicky Grechukina '23,
Jenny Guo '21, Lauren Kee '24, Caroline Lawlor '23, Andrew Lee '21,
Madison Lee '22, Claire Liu '24, Mirielle Ma '21, Mia Millares '22,
Anisa Murray '22, Laya Raj '24, Dominic Thomas '21,
Hannah Wallinger '21, Sophie Yang '22

UNTITLED

Choreographer: Irene Garcia Gutierrez '22

Music: "Sail" by AWOLNATION and "White" ft. Frank Ocean by Odd Future

Music Production: Rebecca Alston '22

Dancers: Ethan Bardoe '21, Andrew Chang '21, Portia Chung '24, Lucy Dreier '24,
Sesame Gaetsaloe '21, Laura Jiang '21, Jasmine Khuu '24,
Nina Kulkarni '23, Noah McBride '23, Riley McMahon '23, Noah Molina '23,
Olivia Siegel '24, Yuko Tanaka '22

HIP HOP – OHFR

Choreographers: Sesame Gaetsaloe '21, Laura Jiang '21, Trista LeBlanc-Serbyn '22

Music: Female Rap/Hip-Hop Medley of "OHFR?" by Rico Nasty, "Tap In" by Saweetie, "Cry Baby" by Megan Thee Stallion, "Said Sum" ft. Dababy and City Girls by Moneybagg Yo, "Streets" by Doja Cat, "34+35" by Ariana Grande, "DICK" ft. Doja Cat by StarBoi3

Dancers: Sydney Alleyne '23, Rebecca Alston '22, Amanda Benneh '24, Carissa Bruno '22, Andrew Chang '21, Sesame Gaetsaloe '21, Laura Jiang '21, Paige Loughlin '22, Riley McMahon '23, Anisa Murray '22, Laya Raj '24, Aria Ramnath '24, Danielle Storr '23, Dominic Thomas '21, Sophie Yang '22, Kitty Yu '22

SOUVENIR DE FLORENCE

Choreographer: Mirielle Ma '21

Rehearsal Assistant: Nina Kulkarni '23

Music: "Souvenir de Florence" by Tchaikovsky

Dancers: Sydney Alleyne '23, Ava Coletti '22, Olivia Dreier '21, Emily Goodwin '21, Jenny Guo '21, Lauren Kee '24, Caroline Lawlor '23, Madison Lee '22, Mia Millares '22, Katherine Shumway '24, Yuko Tanaka '22

CHANGE IS EVERYTHING

Choreographer: Hannah Wallinger '21

Music: "Change Is Everything" by Son Lux

Dancers: Carissa Bruno '22, Portia Chung '24, Lucy Dreier '24, Sesame Gaetsaloe '21, Laura Jiang '21, Claire Liu '24, Anisa Murray '22, Laya Raj '24, Danielle Storr '23, Hannah Wallinger '21, Sophie Yang '22

STEP SQUAD '21

Dancers: Amanda Benneh '24, Maxwell Brown '21, Aissatou Diallo '21, Oluchi Dike '22, Nneoma Iloeje '21, Nina Kulkarni '23, Madison Lee '22, Anisa Murray '22, Raye Osayimwese-Sisson '23, Athena Robinson '24, Reina Taveras '21, Dominic Thomas '21, Kennedy Walker '22

BOW DOWN TO THE CHASE

Choreographer: Laura Jiang '21

Rehearsal Assistant: Jasmine Khuu '24

Music: "Experience" by Ludovico Einaudi

Dancers: Sydney Alleyne '23, Ethan Bardoe '21, Andrew Chang '21,
Sesame Gaetsaloe '21, Emily Goodwin '21, Vicky Grechukhina '23,
Jenny Guo '21, Nina Kulkarni '23, Andrew Lee '21, Madison Lee '22,
Mirielle Ma '21, Anisa Murray '22, Laya Raj '24, Dominic Thomas '21

ALL ALONE, ALL TOGETHER

Choreographer: Carissa Bruno '22

Rehearsal Assistant: Mia Millares '22

Music: "xanny" by Billie Eilish

Dancers: Ava Coletti '22, Olivia Dreier '21, Katherine Shumway '24,
Yuko Tanaka '22, Hannah Wallinger '21, Sophie Yang '22

RISE

Choreographer: Kalya Yannatos, in collaboration with the dancers

Music: "Metamorphosis: One" by Philip Glass

Dancers: Olivia Dreier '21, Sesame Gaetsaloe '21, Emily Goodwin '21,
Jenny Guo '21, Laura Jiang '21, Nina Kulkarni '23

COMFORTABLY NONSENSICAL

Choreographer: Shelley Morgigno

Music: Deutsches Filmorchester Babelsberg, Werner Klemm, Zeina Azouqah,
Christiane Silber, Susanne Hardt, and "Quirky Comedy"
by Bertrand Allagnat

Dancers: Olivia Dreier '21, Sesame Gaetsaloe '21, Emily Goodwin '21,
Laura Jiang '21, Lauren Kee '24, Nina Kulkarni '23, Mirielle Ma '21,
Semilola Obayomi '23, Laya Raj '24, Katherine Shumway '24,
Yuko Tanaka '22, Hannah Wallinger '21

Stage Managers: Irene Garcia Gutierrez '22, Athena Robinson '24

Lighting Designer: Mark Gostomski

Lighting Board Operator: Joy An '23

Sound Technician: Paul Bozzi

Sound Board Operator: Noah Molina '23

DANCE PROGRAM STUDENT LEADERSHIP COUNCIL 2020-2021

Dance Program Assistants: Mirielle Ma '21 and Hannah Wallinger '21

Dance Community Coordinator: Hannah Wallinger '21

Dance Community Coordinator Assistant: Sophie Yang '22

Dance Community Committee: Carissa Bruno '22, Irene Garcia Gutierrez '22,
Sage Setty '21, Yuko Tanaka '22, Dominic Thomas '21

Student Choreographers Showcase coordinators: Mirielle Ma '21 and Mia Millares '22

STEP Squad Co-Captains: Maxwell Brown '21 and Reina Taveras '21

STEP Squad Junior Officer Kennedy Walker '22

Hip Hop Club Co-Presidents: Sesame Gaetsaloe '21 and Laura Jiang '21

Hip Hop Junior Officer: Trista LeBlanc-Serbin '22

Dance Company Co-Presidents: Olivia Dreier '21, Emily Goodwin '21, Jenny Guo '21
and Laura Jiang '21

Choate Taps Artistic Director: Joy An '23

Choate Taps Choreographer: Susannah Goldsmith '23

Choate Taps Company Manager: Paige Loughlin '22

This program is made possible thanks to the collective efforts of the dance program leadership council, dance program faculty, choreographers, rehearsal assistants, and of course the dancers. Behind the scenes there are many people who assist as well; we are particularly grateful to Kelly Lorraine for her endless support.

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