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Heat and Alterity in Contemporary Dance

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this book argues that contemporary dance imagined to have a global belonging is vitiated by euro white constructions of risk and currency that remain at its core differently the book reimagines contemporary dance along a south south axis as a poly centric justice oriented aesthetic temporal category with intersectional understandings of difference as a central organizing principle placing alterity and heat generated via multiple pathways at its center it foregrounds the work of south south artists who push against constructions of tradition and white centered aesthetic imperatives to reinvent their choreographic toolkit and respond to urgent questions of their times in recasting the grounds for a different global stage the argument widens its scope to indicate how dance making both indexes current contextual inequities and broader relations of social economic political and cultural power and inaugurates future dimensions of justice winner of the 2022 oscar g brockett prize for dance research

Choreographing Problems

2016-04-29

this book illuminates the relationship between philosophy and experimental choreographic practice today in the works of leading european choreographers a discussion of key issues in contemporary performance from the viewpoint of deleuze spinoza and bergson is accompanied by intricate analyses of seven groundbreaking dance performances

A Midnight Dance

2011-08-02

someday her prince will come inspired by the tale of cinderella lila dipasqua weaves a steamy historical romance that offers a glass slipper a dangerous deception and an impoverished beauty determined to find her handsome prince and make him pay matching wits and wiles with a man of jules de moutier s seductive skill is not as easy as sabine laurent supposed soon she must decide whether her desire for vengeance is greater than her desire for her one and only prince

Site, Dance and Body

2021-02-05

how does the moving dancing body engage with the materials textures atmospheres and affects of the sites through which we move and in which we live work and play how might embodied movement practice explore some of these relations and bring us closer to the complexities of sites and lived environments this book brings together perspectives from site dance phenomenology and new materialism to explore and develop how site based body practice can be employed to explore synergies between material bodies and material sites employing practice as research strategies scores tasks and exercises the book presents a number of suggestions for engaging with sites through the moving body and offers critical reflection on the potential enmeshments and entanglements that emerge as a result the theoretical discussions and practical explorations presented will appeal to researchers movement practitioners artists academics and individuals interested in exploring their lived environments through the moving body and the entangled human nonhuman relations that emerge as a result

Dance Dramaturgy

2015-08-18

ten international dramaturg scholars advance proposals that reset notions of agency in contemporary dance creation dramaturgy becomes driven by artistic inquiry distributed among

collaborating artists embedded in improvisation tasks or weaved through audience engagement and the dramaturg becomes a facilitator of dramaturgical awareness

CHOREOGRAPHER'S HANDBOOK

2010-06-10

on choreography choreography is a negotiation with the patterns your body is thinking on rules try breaking the rules on a need to break the rules basis a choreographer's handbook invites the reader to investigate how and why to make a dance performance in an inspiring and unusually empowering sequence of stories ideas and paradoxes internationally renowned dancer choreographer and teacher jonathan burrows explains how it's possible to navigate a course through this complex process it is a stunning reflection on a personal practice and professional journey and draws upon five years of workshop discussions led by burrows burrows open and honest prose gives the reader access to a range of exercises meditations principles and ideas on choreography that allow artists and dance makers to find their own aesthetic process it is a book for anyone interested in making performance at whatever level and in whichever style

Art and Dance in Dialogue

2020-11-07

this interdisciplinary book brings together essays that consider how the body enacts social and cultural rituals in relation to objects spaces and the everyday and how these are questioned explored and problematised through and translated into dance art and performance the chapters are written by significant artists and scholars and consider practices from various locations including central and western europe mexico and the united states the authors build on dialogues between for example philosophy and museum studies and memory studies and post humanism and engage with a wide range of theory from phenomenology to relational aesthetics to new materialism thus this book represents a unique collection that together considers the continuum between everyday and cultural life and how rituals and memories are inscribed onto our being it will be of interest to scholars and practitioners students and teachers and particularly those who are curious about the intersections between arts disciplines

Choreographic Dwellings

2014-08-22

choreographic dwellings practising place offers new readings of the kinaesthetic experiences of site specific and nomadic performance parkour installation and walking practices it extends the remit of the choreographic by reframing the kinaesthetic qualities of place as action

Dance Notations and Robot Motion

2015-11-24

how and why to write a movement who is the writer who is the reader they may be choreographers working with dancers they may be roboticists programming robots they may be artists designing cartoons in computer animation in all such fields the purpose is to express an intention about a dance a specific motion or an action to perform in terms of intelligible sequences of elementary movements as a music score that would be devoted to motion representation unfortunately there is no universal language to write a motion motion languages live together in a babel tower populated by biomechanists dance notators neuroscientists computer scientists choreographers roboticists each community handles its own concepts and speaks its own language the book accounts for this diversity its origin is a unique workshop held at laas cnrs in toulouse in 2014 worldwide representatives of various communities met there their challenge was to reach a mutual understanding allowing a choreographer to access robotics concepts or a computer scientist to understand the subtleties of dance notation the liveliness of this multidisciplinary meeting is

reflected by the book thank to the willingness of authors to share their own experiences with others

Narratives in Black British Dance

2018-02-08

this book explores black british dance from a number of previously untold perspectives bringing together the voices of dance artists scholars teachers and choreographers it looks at a range of performing arts from dancehall to ballet providing valuable insights into dance theory performance pedagogy identity and culture it challenges the presumption that blackness britishness or dance are monolithic entities instead arguing that all three are living networks created by rich histories diverse faces and infinite future possibilities through a variety of critical and creative essays this book suggests a widening of our conceptions of what british dance looks like where it appears and who is involved in its creation

Choreographing Agonism

2021-10-15

in choreographing agonism author goran petrović lotina offers new insight into the connections between politics and performance exploring the political and philosophical roots of a number of recent leftist civil movements petrović lotina forcefully argues for a re imagining of artistic performance as an instrument of democracy capable of contesting a dominant politics inspired by post marxist theories of discourse theory hegemony conflict and pluralism and using tension as a guiding philosophical political and artistic force the book expands the politico philosophical debate on theories of performance it offers both scholars and practitioners of performance a thought provoking analysis of the ways in which artistic performance can be viewed politically as agonistic choreo political practice a powerful strategy for mobilising alternative ways of living together and invigorating democracy choreographing agonism makes a bold and innovative contribution to the discussion of political and philosophical thought in the field of performance studies

Choreographing Difference

2010-06-01

the choreographies of bill t jones cleveland ballet dancing wheels zab maboungou david dorfman marie chouinard jawole willa jo zollar and others have helped establish dance as a crucial discourse of the 90s these dancers ann cooper albright argues are asking the audience to see the body as a source of cultural identity a physical presence that moves with and through its gendered racial and social meanings through her articulate and nuanced analysis of contemporary choreography albright shows how the dancing body shifts conventions of representation and provides a critical example of the dialectical relationship between cultures and the bodies that inhabit them as a dancer feminist and philosopher albright turns to the material experience of bodies not just the body as a figure or metaphor to understand how cultural representation becomes embedded in the body in arguing for the intelligence of bodies choreographing difference is itself a testimonial giving voice to some important political moral and artistic questions of our time ebook edition note all images have been redacted

Dancing Cultures

2012-10-30

dance is more than an aesthetic of life dance embodies life this is evident from the social history of jive the marketing of trans national ballet ritual healing dances in italy or folk dances performed for tourists in mexico panama and canada dance often captures those essential dimensions of social life that cannot be easily put into words what are the flows and movements

of dance carried by migrants and tourists how is dance used to shape nationalist ideology what are the connections between dance and ethnicity gender health globalization and nationalism capitalism and post colonialism through innovative and wide ranging case studies the contributors explore the central role dance plays in culture as leisure commodity cultural heritage cultural aesthetic or cathartic social movement

The Belly Dance Book

2000

the belly dance book is a collection of articles by 17 top belly dance writers this is the nuts bolts of belly dance with articles on history current events costuming make up spirit music product reviews and more great for dancers of every level and anyone interested in dance costuming history or theater amazon com viewed feb 24 2021

Dancing Naturally

2011-12-02

a renewed interest in nature the ancient greeks and the freedom of the body was to transform dance and physical culture in the early twentieth century the book discusses the creative individuals and developments in science and other art forms that shaped the evolution of modern dance in its international context

Revolutionary Bodies

2018-10-23

at publication date a free ebook version of this title will be available through luminos university of california press s open access publishing program visit luminoso.org to learn more revolutionary bodies is the first english language primary source based history of concert dance in the people s republic of china combining over a decade of ethnographic and archival research emily wilcox analyzes major dance works by chinese choreographers staged over an eighty year period from 1935 to 2015 using previously unexamined film footage photographic documentation performance programs and other historical and contemporary sources wilcox challenges the commonly accepted view that soviet inspired revolutionary ballets are the primary legacy of the socialist era in china s dance field the digital edition of this title includes nineteen embedded videos of selected dance works discussed by the author

Site Dance

2013-03-27

in recent years site specific dance has grown in popularity in the wake of groundbreaking work by choreographers who left traditional performance spaces for other venues more and more performances are cropping up on skyscrapers in alleyways on trains on the decks of aircraft carriers and in a myriad of other unexpected locations worldwide in site dance the first anthology to examine site specific dance editors melanie kloetzel and carolyn pavlik explore the work that choreographers create for nontraditional performance spaces and the thinking behind their creative choices combining interviews with and essays by some of the most prominent and influential practitioners of site dance they look at the challenges and rewards of embracing alternative spaces the close examinations of the work of artists like meredith monk joanna haigood stephan koplowitz heidi duckler ann carlson and eiko otake provide important insights into why choreographers leave the theatre to embrace the challenges of unconventional venues site dance also includes more than 80 photographs of site specific performances revealing how the arts and movement in particular can become part of and speak to our everyday lives celebrating the often unexpected beauty and juxtapositions created by site dance the book is essential reading for anyone curious about the way that these choreographers are changing our experience of the

world one step at a time

Jérôme Bel

2017-10-06

this study is the first monograph on the work of french choreographer jérôme bel following his artistic trajectory from the beginning of his career as a choreographer in 1994 to his most recent piece in 2016 it contains an overview and in depth analysis of all of his choreographies from *nom donné* par l auteur to *disabled theatre* and provides a theoretical reflection on their theatrical nature bel has developed a singular discourse on dance that has often been labelled conceptual by reducing the stage elements in his performances to a minimum his work explores the implications of dance as an art form that has since the heyday of modernism based its guiding principles on the laws of nature bel addresses the question of power relations in dance by working through the questions of authorship and various forms of subjectivity dance produces offering a unique opportunity to ground seemingly abstract academic theories in a specific embodied artistic practice this study explores the intersection between artistic practice and theory

Dramaturgy in Motion

2015-12-30

this groundbreaking book moves beyond the conventional association of dramaturgy with plays to consider the substance and process of dramaturgy for dance and movement performance focusing on text and language research audience movement and interculturalism the author provides vivid practical examples from her collaboration with renowned choreographer ralph lemon

Choreographing Intersubjectivity in Performance Art

2021-09-29

this book offers new ways of thinking about dance related artworks that have taken place in galleries museums and biennales over the past two decades as part of the choreographic turn it focuses on the concept of intersubjectivity and theorises about what happens when subjects meet within a performance artwork the resulting relations are crucial to instances of performance art in which embodied subjects engage as spectators participants and performers in orchestrated art events choreographing intersubjectivity in performance art deploys a multi disciplinary approach across dance choreography and evolving manifestations of performance art an innovative overarching concept of choreography sustains the idea that intersubjectivity evolves through places spaces performance and spectatorship drawing upon international examples the book introduces readers to performance art from the south pacific and the complexities of de colonising choreography artists tino sehgal xavier le roy jordan wolfson alicia frankovich and shigeyuki kihara are discussed

Hiking the Horizontal

2014-08-09

the unique career of choreographer liz lerman has taken her from theater stages to shipyards and from synagogues to science labs in this wide ranging collection of essays and articles she reflects on her life long exploration of dance as a vehicle for human insight and understanding of the world around us lerman has been described by the washington post as the source of an epochal revolution in the scope and purposes of dance art here she combines broad outlooks on culture and society with practical applications and accessible stories her expansive scope encompasses the craft structure and inspiration that bring theatrical works to life as well as the applications of art in fields as diverse as faith aging particle physics and human rights law offering readers a gentle manifesto describing methods that bring a horizontal focus to bear on a

hierarchical world this is the perfect book for anyone curious about the possible role for art in politics science community motherhood and the media the paperback edition includes an afterword with updates and additions to each section of the book ebook edition note two images have been redacted on page 200 dances at a cocktail party and on page 201 the bottom photo of small dances about big ideas

Transmissions in Dance

2019-05-10

this book is a collection of essays that capture the artistic voices at play during a staging process situating familiar practices such as reimagining reenactment and recreation alongside the related and often intersecting processes of transmission translation and transformation it features deep insights into selected dances from directors performers and close associates of choreographers the breadth of practice on offer illustrates the capacity of dance as a medium to adapt successfully to diverse approaches and further that there is a growing appetite amongst audiences for seeing dances from the near and far past this study spans a century from rudolf laban s dancing drumstick 1913 to robert cohan s sigh 2015 and examines works by mary wigman madge atkinson natural movement doris humphrey martha graham yvonne rainer and rosemary butcher an eclectic mix that crosses time and borders

Dance Production

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dance production design and technology second edition is an introduction to the skills needed to plan design and execute the technical aspects of a dance production covering a broad range of topics author jeromy hopgood takes the reader through the process of producing dance from start to finish part i addresses the collaborative process business and organizational concerns for dance companies planning the production and the relationship between dance and performance spaces staging methods in part ii each unique production area is examined including production and stage management sound costume and makeup scenery and props lighting and projection video design each design area is divided into two chapters the first introducing key concepts and the second focusing on the process of creating the design part iii brings back the popular quick reference guides from the first edition providing an expanded and revised tool to bridge the language gap between the worlds of theatrical production and dance and ensure productive communication across the different fields this second edition features updated information on technology and processes two new chapters on touring and non traditional productions more information on arts management within dance production a comprehensive look at dance and video including remote streaming performances as well as dance film and additional chapter projects throughout the book this unique book approaches the process of staging a dance production from a balanced perspective making it an essential resource for choreographers theatre designers dancers and management personnel alike including for use in dance and dance production courses

Does the Elephant Dance?

2011-04-07

surveys the main features of contemporary indian foreign policy

English Folk-Song and Dance

2012-01-12

originally published in 1915 this volume provides a concise introduction to english folk songs and folk dances

Creating Through Dance

1988

dance ethnography and global perspectives presents the work of dance scholars whose professional fieldwork spans several continents and includes studies of the dance and movement systems of varied global communities

Dance Ethnography and Global Perspectives

2014-02-11

first published in 1912 Crawford Flitch's seminal book takes as its text the transition in the theatre in the late nineteenth century from dance to spectacle as producers responded to and perhaps helped to shape public taste and the consequent decline of classical ballet. Flitch is sharply critical of this decline but sees a light on the horizon in the shape of the arrival of Sergei Diaghilev's Ballets Russes whose dancers and early performances he discusses in some detail. The chapters are the ancient and modern attitude towards the dance the rise of the ballet the heyday of the ballet the skirt dance the serpentine dance the high kickers the revival of classical dancing the imperial Russian ballet the repertory of the Russian ballet the Russian dancers the English ballet oriental and Spanish dancing the revival of the Morris dance and the future of the dance. Extraordinary it is not unlikely that when the art historian of the future comes to treat of the artistic activity of the first decade of the twentieth century he will remark as one of its most notable accomplishments a renaissance of the art of the dance that this renaissance is an accomplished fact is a matter of common knowledge within a relatively short period there have appeared several great dancers who must necessarily have been preparing themselves for a considerable time previously to their appearance yet as it were in secret without cognisance of one another with a common aim but without a common plan contemporaries in time they have been as far removed in space as the East is from the West in all movements which touch the spirit this circumstance of the simultaneous but independent manifestation of a common impulse is at once the most general and the most unaccountable the still small voice whispers into space and those of a delicate hearing hear and respond we content ourselves by repeating the explanation which is no explanation that the movement is in the air

Modern dancing and dancers

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a comprehensive book that covers all aspects of choreography from the most fundamental techniques to highly sophisticated artistic concerns the intimate act of choreography presents the what and how of choreography in a workable format that begins with basics time space force and moves on to the more complex issues faced by the intermediate and advanced choreographer form style abstraction compositional structures and choreographic devices the format of the book evolved from the idea that improvisation is a good way to learn choreography this approach is in harmony with widely accepted dance philosophies that value the unique quality of each individual's creativity after discussing a concept the authors provide improvisations and choreographic studies that give the student a physical experience of that concept the language is stimulating an innovative rich in visual images that will challenge the choreographer to explore new directions in movement the book is for serious dance students and professionals who are interested in both the practical and theoretical aspects of the art dancers who are just starting to choreograph and teachers who are seeking fresh ideas and new approaches to use with young choreographers a teacher's addendum offers suggestions on how to use the material in the classroom it is a guide a text and an extensive resource of every choreographic concept central to the art form

The Intimate Act Of Choreography

1982-11-15

representing the first comprehensive analysis of gaga and ohad naharin's aesthetic approach this book follows the sensual and mental emphases of the movement research practiced by dancers of the batSheva dance company considering the body as a means of expression embodied philosophy in dance deciphers forms of meaning in dance as a medium for perception and realization within the body in doing so the book addresses embodied philosophies of mind hermeneutics pragmatism and social theories in order to illuminate the perceptual experience of dancing it also reveals the interconnections between physical and mental processes of reasoning and explores the nature of physical intelligence

Embodied Philosophy in Dance

2016-09-18

this book explores the interplay between performing arts intangible cultural heritage and digital environments through a compendium of essays on emerging practices and case studies as well as critical historical and theoretical perspectives it features essays that engage with varied forms of intangible cultural heritage from music and storytelling to dance theatre and martial arts cases of digital technology interventions are provided from different geographical and cultural settings from europe to asia and the americas together the collection reflects on the implications that digital interventions have on intangible cultural heritage engagements its curation and transmission in diverse localities the volume is a valuable resource for discovering the multiple ways in which cultural heritage is mediated through digital technologies and engages with audiences artists users and researchers

Digital Echoes

2018-05-07

from christopher columbus to first anthropologist friar bernardino de sahagún fifteenth and sixteenth century explorers conquistadors clerics scientists and travelers wrote about the indian dances they encountered throughout the new world this was especially true of spanish missionaries who intensively studied and documented native dances in an attempt to identify and eradicate the idolatrous behaviors of the aztec the largest indigenous empire in mesoamerica at the time of its european discovery dancing the new world traces the transformation of the aztec empire into a spanish colony through written and visual representations of dance in colonial discourse the vast constellation of chronicles histories letters and travel books by europeans in and about the new world scoliari analyzes how the chroniclers used the indian dancing body to represent their own experiences of wonder and terror in the new world as well as to justify lament and or deny their role in its political spiritual and physical conquest he also reveals that spaniards and aztecs shared an understanding that dance played an important role in the formation maintenance and representation of imperial power and describes how spaniards compelled indians to perform dances that dramatized their own conquest thereby transforming them into colonial subjects scoliari's pathfinding analysis of the vast colonial dance archive conclusively demonstrates that dance played a crucial role in one of the defining moments in modern history the european colonization of the americas

Dancing the New World

2013-05-01

in sharing the dance cynthia novack considers the development of contact improvisation within its web of historical social and cultural contexts this book examines the ways contact improvisers and their surrounding communities encode sexuality spontaneity and gender roles as well as concepts of the self and society in their dancing while focusing on the changing practice of

contact improvisation through two decades of social transformation novack's work incorporates the history of rock dancing and disco the modern and experimental dance movements of merce cunningham anna halprin and judson church among others and a variety of other physical activities such as martial arts aerobics and wrestling

Sharing the Dance

1990-08-15

if the saying to be the best you must learn from the best holds true then this book is gold for all aspiring dancers dance composition basics second edition doesn't just feature the works and brilliance of dance and choreographic legends alonzo king and dwight rhoden it is completely based on the choreographic operations and forms in three of their original works chants and dreamer by king and verge by rhoden all compositional exercises in the book are based on those three works and the book itself is expertly crafted by pamela anderson sofras who has 34 years of experience teaching dance at the university level dance composition basics designed for beginning dance composition courses introduces dancers to choreography through a series of problem solving activities the activities are starting points for novice dancers to embark on their own attempts at choreography useful tools the book offers several useful tools for instructors 27 lesson plans that draw from and highlight selected portions of original compositions by king and rhoden 33 reproducible assessment and self evaluation forms an instructor guide that includes a sample course syllabus plus written exams for each chapter powerpoint presentations to guide students through each lesson a web resource featuring online videos that are closely tied to the lesson plans and provide a richer learning experience for students students can access this resource inside or outside of class highly valuable video resource the videos give students access to alonzo king and dwight rhoden highly successful and respected choreographers who share their processes and techniques many video clips show the choreographers working on the same movement concepts featured in the corresponding lesson students will see the choreographers in action with professional dancers as they develop the movement material for each dance because students get to see the choreographers and dancers struggling with the same creative concepts they have been assigned these clips add tremendous value to dance composition book and resource organization the text is split into five chapters each of which features several lessons based on that chapter's choreographic concept each lesson contains the following an introductory statement and a vocabulary list a warm up to prepare the body and focus the mind structured improvisations that help dancers understand the movement concepts of the lesson problem solving activities that allow dancers to apply the concepts presented in the improvisations discussion questions to engage dancers and promote understanding assessment rubrics to guide evaluation of each dancer's learning at the end of the book a glossary provides definitions for the vocabulary terms introduced in the chapters the main menu of the web resource corresponds with the five chapters in the book to guide students use of the videos icons have been placed throughout the book referring readers to additional information in the web resource reviewing the videos will provide further insight into the choreographic assignment the web resource also contains all the discussion questions assessments and evaluations found in the book instructors can distribute these to students electronically or print them out instructors can also adapt the forms to meet their specific needs the learning process dance composition takes students through a systematic learning process reading about a concept discussing the concept seeing the concept played out on video with professional choreographers and dancers and exploring the concept through their own movement ideas through this process which includes structured improvisations students discover a movement vocabulary and original dance phrases they then more fully develop their movement ideas with specific movement assignments and are given feedback by their peers and the instructor invaluable resource dance composition basics second edition is an invaluable resource for dancers of all styles from ballet to modern jazz as it introduces them to some of the compositional structures used by professional choreographers through the carefully designed lessons in the book and the expert examples on the video clips students can use this resource to take their first confident and exhilarating steps into the craft of choreography

Dance Composition Basics

2019-02-06

poised at the intersection of asian american studies and dance studies choreographing asian america is the first book length examination of the role of orientalist discourse in shaping asian americanist entanglements with u s modern dance history moving beyond the acknowledgement that modern dance has its roots in orientalist appropriation yutian wong considers the effect that invisible orientalism has on the reception of work by asian american choreographers and the conceptualization of asian american performance as a category drawing on ethnographic and choreographic research methods the author follows the work of club o noodles a vietnamese american performance ensemble to understand how asian american artists respond to competing narratives of representation aesthetics and social activism that often frame the production of asian american performance

Choreographing Asian America

2010-10-01

this book explores the co creative practice of contemporary dancers solely from the point of view of the dancer it reveals multiple dancing perspectives drawn from interviews current writing and evocative accounts from inside the choreographic process illuminating the myriad ways that dancers contribute to the production of dance culture

Multiplicity, Embodiment and the Contemporary Dancer

2015-01-01

dance and the arts in mexico 1920 1950 tells the story of the arts explosion that launched at the end of the mexican revolution when composers choreographers and muralists had produced state sponsored works in wide public spaces the book assesses how the cosmic generation in mexico connected the nation body and the dancer s body in artistic movements between 1920 and 1950 it first discusses the role of dance in particular the convergences of composers and visual artists in dance productions and the allegorical relationship between the dancer s body and the nation body in state sponsored performances the arts were of critical import in times of political and social transition and the dynamic between the dancer s body and the national body shifted as the government stance had also shifted second this book examines more deeply the involvement of us artists and patrons in this mexican arts movement during the period given the power imbalance between north and south these exchanges were vexed still the results for both parties were invaluable ultimately this book argues in favor of the benefits that artists on both sides of the border received from these exchanges

Dance and the Arts in Mexico, 1920-1950

2018-07-18

winner of the cord outstanding publication award 2012 in postwar america any assertion of difference from the mainstream anticommunist culture carried professional and personal risks for this reason modern dance artists left much of what they thought unsaid instead they expressed themselves in movement how to do things with dance positions modern dance as a vital critical discourse and suggests that dances of the late 1940s and the 1950s can be seen as compelling agents of social change concentrating on choreographers whose artistic work conceived dance in terms of action rebekah j kowal shows how specific choreographic projects demonstrated increasing awareness of the stage as a penetrable space one on which socially suspect or marginalized modes of being could be performed with relative impunity and exerted in the real world artists covered include martha graham josé limón anna sokolow katherine dunham pearl primus merce cunningham paul taylor donald mckayle talley beatty and anna halprin ebook edition note all images have been redacted

How To Do Things with Dance

2010-10-01

a conceptual framework for understanding the development of improvised dance in late 20th century america

I Want to Be Ready

2010-05-04

experiencing dance from student to dance artist second edition takes off where its previous edition a best selling high school text for students enrolled in dance classes left off geared to students in dance ii iii and iv classes this text places teachers in the role of facilitator and opens up a world of creativity and analytical thinking as students explore the art of dance through experiencing dance students will be able to do the following encounter dance through creating performing responding to analyzing connecting with and understanding dance through its 45 plus lessons experience dance as performers choreographers and audience members learn about dance in historical and cultural contexts in community settings and as career options go through a complete and flexible high school curriculum that can be presented in one or more years of instruction meet state and national standards in dance education and learn from a pedagogically sound scope and sequence that allow them to address 21st century learning goals use spotlight and did you know special elements that will enhance the learning experience and connect studio learning to the real world of dance experiencing dance will help students engage in movement experiences as they learn and apply dance concepts through written oral and media assignments these assignments help them gain a perspective of dance as an art form and provide the content for students to develop interactive dance portfolios the text contains 15 chapters in five units each chapter offers at least three lessons each containing the following material move it introduces students through a movement experience to a lesson concept vocabulary provides definitions of key terms curtain up offers background information to help students understand lesson topics and concepts take the stage presents dance related assignments for students to produce and share take a bow engages students in response evaluation and revision activities to process their work and concepts presented in the chapter each lesson includes spotlight and did you know special elements that help students extend their learning and deepen their understanding of historical and cultural facts and prominent dancers dance companies and professionals in careers related to dance each chapter includes a chapter review quiz quizzes incorporate true or false short answer and matching answer questions finally each chapter ends with a capstone assignment students will delve into major topics such as these identifying your movement potential as a dancer understanding dance science and its application through studying basic anatomy and injury prevention in relation to dance training developing proper warm ups and cool downs and integrating fitness principles and nutrition information into healthy dancing practices expressing through various dance styles and forms the roles of the dancer the historical and cultural heritage of the dance and the dance s connections to community and society developing and performing dance studies and choreography in a variety of styles and forms and then producing the dance using production elements for a variety of settings preparing for a future as a dancer choreographer or a career that is otherwise connected to dance advocating for dance in your community and beyond the text is bolstered by web resources for both students and teachers these resources enhance the students learning experience while enabling teachers to prepare for conduct and manage their classes the student web resource contains these features journaling prompts extended learning activities search suggestions for further research worksheets and assignments to either print out or complete online via editable word files interactive chapter review quizzes these are completed online and students get immediate feedback video clips vocabulary terms with and without definitions to aid in self quizzing and review the teacher web resource contains everything that is on the student web resource plus the following a printable full color poster for the classroom powerpoint presentations for each chapter answer keys for worksheets and quizzes a full electronic version of the student textbook in addition experiencing dance is available in both print and interactive ibook versions the ibook version has embedded chapter opening and instructional video clips as well as interactive quizzes in which students

immediately receive feedback on their answers this updated text with its solid instruction and comprehensive lessons new resources and extended learning experiences will help students at levels ii iii and iv increase their understanding of expertise in and enjoyment of dance

Experiencing Dance

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