

Norte Maar's Dance at Socrates 2016
Program* Saturday, August 20 at 4pm

Nora Gibson Contemporary Ballet

Title: Duet

Choreographer: Nora Gibson

Music/Sound: Michael Reiley McDermott

Dancers: Nora Gibson, Sean Boyt Thomas

Christopher Rudd / RudduR Dance

Doubt of the Devout - Work In Progress

Choreography: Christopher Rudd

Music: Ólafur Arnalds

Dancers:

Movement I:

Connie Sousek, Jesse Obremski

Movement II:

Ashley Carter, Maggie Foster, Paul Giarratano, Yukari Osaka, Eric Parra

Doubt of the Devout will premiere on November 12th at MMAC at the [Dance Gallery Festival](#) where Christopher Rudd was chosen as one of their 10th anniversary [Level Up](#) choreographers.

Young Choreographer: Oscar Estep (11 yrs old, student of Ellen Robbins)

Title: Out of Time

Choreographed and performed by Oscar Estep

Music: Scott Joplin

Ephrat Asherie

Title: *Riff this, Riff that* (excerpt)

Choreographer: Ephrat "Bounce" Asherie in collaboration with the dancers.

Music/Sound: Lester Young, Ehud Asherie, Planet Djembe and Dizzy Gillespie

Dancers: Valerie "Ms. Vee" Ho, Linda Madueme, Omari Mizrahi, Sidney Vault and Ephrat "Bounce" Asherie

Costume design: Adrienne Carlile

Collaborators: This piece was originally presented with a live band including Ehud Asherie on keys, Bruce Harris on trumpet, Chris Haney on bass and Brandon Lewis on drums.

Riff this, Riff that was commissioned by the Lower Manhattan Cultural Council and developed as part of LMCC's Extended Life Dance Development program made possible in part by The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. It premiered at the River To River Festival 2016 and will be presented in Tarrega, Spain in September.

Young Choreographer: Gia Taylor (12 yrs old, student of Ellen Robbins)

Title: Noise

Choreographed and performed by Gia Taylor

Sound/text: written and performed by Gia Taylor

Aaron McGloin Dance

AVANT GARDEN (Excerpt 2)

Choreography: Aaron McGloin, Alex Giroux and dancers

Music: Forest Swords, Animal Collective, Sufjan Stevens/yMusic

Dancers: Mike Abbatiello, Mat Elder, Kathryn "Nusa" Logan, Nik Owens, AJ Pflumm

Special thanks to Norte Maar for the opportunity to make new dance in a wonderful atmosphere, David Howell for his help and hospitality during this crazy week, and Mother Nature for keeping the elements moderately tolerable and mostly dry!

*We invite audience onto the stage for a dance party following each performance.
Children welcome.