

DANCE COMPANY

DIRECTED BY RENEE BROZIC BARGER

Now in its 5th Season, AC's outstanding Student Dance Company will perform the stellar choreography of well-known guest artists and faculty. A euphoric celebration inside DANCE ... and imagination!

A tremendous experience for STUDENT DANCERS @HCC!

A U D I T I O N S :

AUDITION APPOINTMENT INFO BELOW!

AUDITION DATES & TIMES:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16 5 – 8:30 pm

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17 5 – 8:30 pm

ALL AUDITIONS TAKE PLACE IN HCC'S DANCE STUDIO, HVPA 115

REGISTRATION & SELF WARM-UP: 5 – 6pm

AUDITIONS START PROMPTLY at 6pm!

(Recommended: Arrive no later than 6:30pm to Register & Warm-Up)!

CALLBACKS: WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 8:30-10:30pm

Callbacks are Invitation Only!!!

**AUDITION APPOINTMENTS ARE ENCOURAGED:
VIA E-MAIL ONLY!**

E-Mail your FULL NAME, PHONE #, DATE YOU'RE ABLE TO ATTEND:

STUDENTARTS@HOWARDCC.EDU - Confirmation will be sent within 24 hrs!

DROP-BY's WELCOME, WE'LL TRY TO FIT YOU IN! ARRIVE EARLY! (See Below)!

AUDITION DETAILS:

- ★ **CONCERT THEME:** Currently under consideration, however many dance styles will be included.
- ★ **THE COMPANY:** AC's Dance Co. will consist of approx. 12 dancers this season, ages 16 and up.
- ★ **OPEN AUDITIONS:**
 - All current HCC students are eligible to audition.
 - Auditioners need not be a Dance Major; however, students must be enrolled in at least one dance class at HCC during 2011's Spring Semester (to ensure flexibility and stamina).
- ★ **AUDITION CRITERIA – to help you prepare:**
 - Auditions will consist of a few phrases of movement (contemporary/ modern).
 - FOR BEST CONSIDERATION:
 1. Bring a short (no more than 1 page) resume, listing experience/training, please include a photo!
 2. Arrive dressed in your professional best. No jewelry. Bring all dance shoes.
 3. Arrive prepared, ready to Register & Warm-Up **no later than 5:30pm.**
- ★ **REHEARSAL INFO:**
 - The Dance Company's Rehearsal Schedule TBD, BASED ON DANCER AVAILABILITY.

NEED MORE DETAILS? WE GOT 'EM!!!

★ **RECOMMENDED = A Reminder... or for Folks NEW TO THE PROCESS:**

DURING THE AUDITION:

- **HONOR AUDITION START-TIMES!** We have a lot to cover and it IS a step-by-step process (not a "stop by" in the middle/ when it's convenient). Arrive prior to the start-times slated. Those arriving late may not be given the opportunity to audition.
- **REMEMBER:** Your Audition begins the moment you make contact (prior to) and/or walk through the door.
- **LISTENING SKILLS & ABILITY TO TAKE DIRECTION/ ADJUSTMENTS:** Ability/ willingness to do so causes notice & is ALWAYS impressive!
- **STUDENT ARTS COLLECTIVE AUDITION PROTOCOL:**
We go to crazy lengths to make sure folks feel welcome & comfortable during auditions; HOWEVER, we strongly advise leaving unnecessary nervousness at the door... and enjoy the process!
- **IT IS THE PERFORMER'S JOB TO BE AWARE OF THE FOLLOWING... (IN ORDER OF IMPORTANCE):**
 - a. **Your Dance Partner/s:** We're looking for honest connections (with dance partners AND staff). Dancers will be given time to rehearse/ work through choreography with partners. While you rehearse, please encourage discussion WITH your partner/s while you work it out (specific goals, adding interesting layers, details, objectives, etc.)! The more time spent working it out, the more your (& your partner's) work will be noticed!
 - b. **The Folks Running the Audition:** From the person signing you in, to the Stage Manager and the Director... know that your professionalism and politeness goes a long way.

MORE FYI's - for the PERFORMER:

1. **Call-Backs:** Invitation only.
2. **CAST LIST:** Posted on our **website only** on approximately 11/20. www.howardcc.edu/studentarts
3. **Have Questions? EMAIL** (no calls, please): STUDENTARTS@HOWARDCC.EDU

PERFORMANCE DETAILS:

- ★ **Venue:** HCC's Smith Theatre.
- ★ **Director:** Renee Brozic Barger.
- ★ **4 PERFORMANCES: MARCH, 2011**
 - Thursday, MARCH 3 at 8pm
 - Friday, MARCH 4 at 8pm
 - Saturday, MARCH 5 at 8pm
 - Sunday, MARCH 6 at 3pm.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: STUDENTARTS@HOWARDCC.EDU

TECHNICAL OPPORTUNITIES:

Join our DANCE COMPANY's Technical Production Team!

We're recruiting folks *with & without experience (volunteers, possible college credit, stipends)* in the following areas:

Design Assistants

Rehearsal Directors

Production Assistants

Wardrobe

Hair/Make-up

E-Mail your interest to: studentarts@howardcc.edu

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