

DANCE CHICAGO 2011

FIRST NIGHT

Wednesday, Nov. 2, 2011, 8 p.m.

Stage 773

1.

Giordano II

Autumn Eckman, Nan Giordano, Artistic Directors

Sanza

Choreographer: Autumn Eckman

Music: Konono No. 1,

Lighting: Kam Hobbs, Dustin L. Derry

Dancers: Rachel Berube, Lauren Blane, Katie

Rafferty, Anthony Raimondi

www.giordanojazzdance.org

2.

Culture Shock Chicago

Christopher Courtney, Artistic Director

Be (premiered 10/22/11)

Choreographers: Christopher Courtney, Jimmy

Hwong, Sandra Iehl, Jacquy Julio, Rob Lebron,

Eileen Mallary, Christen Mungo

Music: Mix

Lighting Designer: Dustin L. Derry

Costume Designer: Christopher Courtney

Dancers: Michael Boyer, Jon Broadus, Christopher

Courtney, Don Rupert Diamante Funcion, Ajani

Glaspie, Angela Goudschaal, Danielle Hildreth,

Jimmy Hwong, Steven Hullana, Sandra Iehl, Jacquy

Julio, Jason Laboy, Rob Lebron, Eileen Mallary,

Christen Mungo, Jason Navoa, Nikki Simkus,

Victoria Vazquez

Website: www.cultureshockdance.org

Facebook page: Culture Shock Chicago

3.

Choreography by Lizzie MacKenzie

Us (Premiered February 2011)

Music: Olafur Arnalds

Lighting: Joshua Paul Weckesser

Costumes: Yumiko

Dancers: Carrie Nicastro and Ricky Ruiz

4.

Bryant Youth Professionals

Homer Hans Bryant, Artistic Director

Girls Run the World

Choreography: Homer H. Bryant/Leandra Groth

Music: "Run the World (Girls)" by Switch & Beyonce

Lighting: Dustin L. Derry

Costumes: Constance Umbles-Sailers, Costume

Mistress/Art Stone Costumes

Dancers: Megan Chiu, Dominique Hargrove, Zaria

Henderson, Trevon Lawrence, Maiya Redding,

Akilah Sailers, Imani Sailers, & Khajya Thomas

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5.

Ron De Jesus Dance

Ron De Jesus, Artistic Director

Without Sinking (world premiere)

Choreographer: Ron De Jesus

Music: Scanner, Gurdjieff

Costumes: Ron De Jesus

Lighting Designer: Kenneth Bowen

Dancers: Lizzie MacKenzie, Ron De Jesus

6. Jump Rhythm Jazz Project

Billy Siegenfeld, Artistic Director

The Sumptuous Screech of Simplicity

(premiere)

Choreography and vocal arrangements:

Billy Siegenfeld

Lighting: Joshua Paul Weckesser

Percussion arrangement: David Yoken and Billy

Siegenfeld

Music: "It's Your Thing" (music and lyrics: O'Kelly,

Ronald, Rudolph Isley); Recorded percussion:

David Yoken

Billy Siegenfeld "It's Your Thing" (music and

lyrics: O'Kelly, Ronald, Rudolph Isley) Recorded

vocals: Lucky Peterson

Dancers: Jordan Batta, Brandi Coleman, Peter

Hammer, Lizzie Perkins, Kristina Saldarelli, Billy

Siegenfeld

www.jrjp.org

INTERMISSION

7.

Curie Advanced Dance Touring Company / Curie Metropolitan High School for the Performing & Technical Arts

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Choreographer: Melinda Wilson

Lighting Designer: Dustin L. Derry

Dancers: Stanley Glover, Ariel Gomez, Mina

Landon, Emanuel Aviles, Cassandra Vasquez,

Jennifer Aguayo, Karla Castaneda, Akira Love,

Diana Suarez, Paola Canales, Kelin Hernandez &

Lana Garnett.

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8.

Collective Body / DANCELAB

Brian Carey Chung, Artistic Director

Lonely House

Choreographer: Brian Carey Chung

Music: Abbey Lincoln

Lighting Designers: Dustin L. Derry &

Joshua Paul Weckesser

Original Lighting: Burke Brown

Costumes: Karen Young

Dancers: Autumn Eckman and Randy Herrera

www.collectivebodydancelab.org

Facebook page: Collective Body Dance Lab

9.

Ultimatum

Benjamin Marshall, Jr, Artistic Director

Signs

Choreographer: Benjamin Marshall, Jr.

Music: Benjamin Marshall, Jr.

Lighting Designer: Dustin L. Derry

Costumes: Reola R. Avant, Glow N Dark/UV

Activated Make up

Dancers: Benjamin Marshall, Amber Minifree,

Andrianna Johnson, Breanna Dorsey, Bria Kelly,

Nia Wright, Rylee McCormick, Kenyetta Leoley

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Facebook: UltimatumDance

10.

NoMi LaMad Dance, Inc.

Laura Kariotis & Madeline J. Renwick, Artistic

Directors

DEFINED: Triumphant (May 2011)

Choreographers: Laura Kariotis & Madeline J.

Renwick, along with Latin ballroom expert, Alex

Arteaga

Music: Cirque du Soleil

Light Design: Jared Moore

Dancers: Kristina Ancil, Shannon Brodie, Katie

Carey, Paul Christiano, Richard E. Falls, Jr.,

Elizabeth Luse, Phillip Ollenburger, Sarah E. Olson,

Madeline J. Renwick, Sarah Robinson, Selena

Roque

www.nomilamadance.com

www.facebook.com/pages/NoMi-LaMad-Dance-Inc/37951861428

www.twitter.com/#!/NoMiLaMadDance

11.

Trinity Irish Dancers

Artistic Director/Founder: Mark Howard

Associate Artistic Director: Ellen G. Waller

Set List:

Johnny

Treble Jig

Tyler

Celtic Tiger

Music by: Stone

Costumes by: Rie McGarry, Elevation Designs,

Siopa Rince

Lighting Designer: Dustin L. Derry

Dancers: Mairi Doyle, Kendall Gaspari, MacKenzie

Holland*, Cara Horan, Megan Oblein, Kelly Salina,

Tyler Schwartz*, Elyse Smith, Sara Winfrey

*soloist

www.trinityirishdancers.com

12.

Full Effect Dance Theatre

Dane A. Campbell, Artistic Director

Amen (World Premiere)

Choreographer: Dane A. Campbell

Additional Choreography by: Blair Cartlidge,

Michael Gray, and Terrance Richardson

Music: Christopher Bolden

Lighting Designer: Dustin L. Derry

Costume Designer: Blair Cartlidge

Other Production: FEETDCo Fashions

Dancers: Blair Cartlidge, Christopher Bolden,

Micheal Gray, Terrance Richardson, Jason Morris,

Mario Lemon, Dominique Davis, Ethienne Cox,

Kayla Mathis, Ashtar, Jerome Taylor, Aramie

Payton, Nikia Willis, Robyn Durham, Torrin Clifton,

Devonna, Angie

www.feetdco.com

http://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=663063083&ref=ts

The following companies were invited to appear on this show based on their outstanding performance in Dance Slam 2011 on Oct. 15 at Mandel Hall:

4. Bryant Youth Professionals

7. Curie Advanced Dance Touring Company / Curie

Metropolitan High School for the Performing &

Technical Arts

9. Ultimatum