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Guelph Dance Festival Fifteen Years!

Guelph, ON (May 28, 2013) – In two days, **Guelph Dance Festival** soars into its **fifteenth year!** For **four amazing days**, we are proud to bring you the most innovative, daring and beautiful contemporary dance, at venues all over the historic city of Guelph.

This year, our artists represent dance scenes as diverse and widespread as **Dallas, Quebec City, Calgary, Montreal, Toronto, Vancouver**, and of course our own **Guelph**. Experience the political, the subversive, the insightful, and the inspiring as fearless choreographers plumb the innermost sphere of the psyche and the outermost limits of physicality.

Dare to be transported by **605 Collective, Dark Circles Contemporary Dance, Mayday**, and **Alan Lake** at our On the Stage performances. Fly high In the Park with **Compagnie Danse Nyata Nyata, 605 Collective, Parts+Labour_Danse**, and **Ritmo Flamenco**. Go deep In the Studio with **Tracey Norman** and **Pamela Tzeng**. Dare to explore with Local Initiatives artists **Lynette Segal** and **IMAGEO artworks**. Support the next generation of contemporary dancers at **Youth Moves**. Dare to jump in at our first-ever **Dance Market** and with our **Workshop** artists Zab Maboungou and Ritmo Flamenco. But don't dare miss any of it!

Many of this year's artists have shared their stories on our blog. For more insight into their process and inspiration, check it out: **guelphdance.blogspot.ca**

Local Initiatives is pay-what-you-can, venues are small, come early to avoid disappointment. Tickets for ticketed events are going fast, so don't forget to reserve a seat for our On the Stage A and B, and Youth Moves. Tickets for In the Studio also

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More high resolution photos available on request.

For more information and exciting details on our upcoming Festival, please visit our website: **guelphdance.ca**

About Guelph Dance

Established in 1998, Guelph Dance—formerly the *Guelph Contemporary Dance Festival*—is a nationally recognized leader in contemporary dance, offering a platform for professional, new-generation, and youth dance artists to share their vision, push creative boundaries, and engage community audiences.

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