



SHOWCASE CONCERT APPLICATION

\$1000 Maggie Allesee New Choreography Award
Hope College, Holland, Michigan
Knickerbocker Theatre
Saturday, October 17, 2009 at 4:00 pm

All applicants must submit a Video/DVD and application by Friday, July 3, 2009.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

School/Company/Studio: _____

Title of Dance: _____

Style of Dance: Ballet Jazz Modern Tap African Other _____

Name of Choreographer: _____

Music Selection: _____ Live CD Tape

Composer: _____

Length of Dance (*no longer than 8 minutes*): _____

Date of performance premiere: _____

Please include the following information with Video/DVD and application:

(Information may be sent via email to: mdcmembership@ymail.com)

- A short biography of the choreographer (50 words or less)
- Description of the company (50-75 words)
- Names in alphabetical order of all dancers and musicians performing

Videos/DVDs will not be returned, unless a self-addressed stamped envelope is enclosed.

Choreographer must be a MDC member, resident of Michigan, 18 years and older.

A \$25.00 Adjudication fee is required. Non-members must send a \$35.00 MDC membership fee with membership application plus the \$25.00 adjudicator fee.

Please make checks out to **MICHIGAN DANCE COUNCIL**.

All materials must be postmarked by **Friday, July 3, 2009**.

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- All dances must have been choreographed between October of 2008 and May 2009.
- Submissions longer than eight (8) minutes will be disqualified.
- Dances will be judged on innovation and excellence in choreography.
- Finalists will be selected based on Video/DVD submission.
- Only high quality videotapes should be submitted.
- Videos/DVDs must be labeled with the company name, director and choreographer on the outside only. **Please do not identify submission on the digital format of the Video/DVD.**
- All choreographers and finalists are expected to attend the Showcase Concert on Saturday, October 17, 2009 at 5:00 pm.
- Tech rehearsal **MUST** be accomplished in 15 minutes per dance. This will be an informal concert and minimal lighting will be available.
- Dancers are responsible for prop placement and removal.
- Please attach names of dancers and other information for the concert program.
- The MDC \$1000 *Maggie Allesee New Choreography Award* will be presented to one finalist at the concert.
- **The Judges decision will be final.**

Mail Video/DVD and application to:

MICHIGAN DANCE COUNCIL
P.O. Box 381103
Clinton Township, Michigan 48038
Attention: MANCA Showcase Concert

For further information regarding the Michigan Dance Council SHOWCASE CONCERT please contact:

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