

OUR NEW YORK CITY DANCE

April, 2-3, 2016

Us Making Dances, Dances Making Us with Julie Mayo

Company: Brooklyn Studios for Dance Venue: Brooklyn Studios for Dance

Location: Brooklyn, NY

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\$30 for one day - \$55 for both days.

Class Description: Working with an emergent premise approach to making we will find ways to begin and follow what interests us from there. Experimenting with refining our perceptions to what is in front of us—with great allowance towards igniting our imaginations—we will pay attention to the physical and psychosocial experiences/events emerging from our making to discover how and where to go next. We will make room for both listening to the work emerging and actively imposing questions and experiments towards the creation of 'worlds' that, on their own terms, are specific to individual kinds of physicality and unique ways of thinking. Participants can focus primarily on solo or group material and through the integration of various modes of working, we will find forms for them. We will make time for working, showing and sharing. Both days encouraged, but one day okay too.

Bio: Julie Mayo is a choreographer creating movement and sound-based works. She has recently been commissioned to create an evening length work for Gibney Dance for their Fall 2016 season and was a 2014-2015 New York Live Arts' Fresh Tracks Performance and Residency recipient. Other commissions and awards include Wilson College, Broward College, University of Wisconsin/Madison, University of Virginia and creative residencies at the UCross Foundation and Djerassi. Mayo has been a guest artist in many academic dance programs and has taught at community venues ClassClassClass, Gibney Dance, and BkSD. In New York, her work has been presented at New York Live Arts, JACK, Movement Research at the Judson Church, Dixon Place, and Green Space, and nationally at experimental venues Highways Performance Space (Los Angeles), NOHspace (San Francisco), Links Hall (Chicago) and space (Philadelphia), as well as many venues in her hometown of Richmond, Virginia. She lives in Brooklyn. juliemayo.com

Brooklyn Studios for Dance 210 Lafayette Avenue Brooklyn, NY, 11238 Schedule April 2, 2016: 2:00pm April 3, 2016: 2:00pm

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