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DEADLINE EXTENDED: Calling Choreographers for FIRST LOOK

Company: Brooklyn Ballet
Location: Brooklyn, NY
Compensation: Small Choreographer Honorarium

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Applications are now open for the 2018 *First Look* program, taking place July 20-21 at The Mark O'Donnell Theater at The Actors Fund Arts Center in Brooklyn, NY.

First Look is an annual curated festival of work by emerging and established dance artists presented by Brooklyn Ballet. Selected artists present work up to 10 minutes long with full stage lighting, a technical rehearsal, technical staff and marketing support. First Look aims to give Brooklyn audiences a "first look" at a dance work - either a new piece, an updated work, or a work not yet seen in Brooklyn.

We welcome applications from emerging and established choreographers exploring new work. Works of any genre will be considered, and works in progress are welcome. Performances will take place at The Mark O'Donnell Theater at The Actors Fund Arts Center in Downtown Brooklyn. Preference will be given to work showcasing creative investigation and inquiry. We look for choreographers who display thoughtfulness and curiosity about their craft.

Benefits to the Artists:

- Fully produced dance work with stage lighting and technical staff.
- Access to \$5/hour rehearsal space at Brooklyn Ballet studio (pending availability).
- Marketing support.
- Small choreographer honorarium.

Application Requirements:

- \$10 Application Fee.
- The work presented must be 10 minutes or less.
- It must be a new work, a work created within the last two years, or a significantly updated work.
- The work must not have been presented in Brooklyn within the past month.
- The work sample may be different than the piece you wish to present, but choreographic reels, or edited footage will not be accepted.
- Only 1 piece per choreographer will be accepted, but you may submit up to 2 applications (\$10 per application).

Note: FIRST LOOK is a choreographic showcase. Choreographers provide their own dancers for the festival.

Application deadline is May 23, 2018 at 11:59pm.

Apply at: <http://brooklynballet.org/firstlook>

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