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We have completed our Field-Wide Calls for 2025. It has been a pleasure being in community with you all and we hope that you have a wonderful rest of the year. We will see you next year for the return of the Field-Wide Call. In the mean time, stay tuned for more advocacy-related news and updates by [signing up for Dance/NYC's newsletter](#).

Our 2025 Field-Wide Calls were held on:

- Wednesday, December 3, 2025: [What's Driving Unionization in Dance?](#)
- August 27, 2025: Supporting Immigrant Communities with New Sanctuary Coalition
- June 4, 2025: What's Next for Our New York City Dance
- February 12, 2025: Worker Organizing and Unions in the Arts

More about the Field-Wide Call:

Field-Wide Calls are a space for the dance community to gather, share resources, and collectively act on pressing issues for the future of dance in the metropolitan NYC area. Together, we can build the knowledge and skills we need to navigate our livelihoods and empower our communities through advocacy and engagement. Calls will cover topics such as: dance worker resources, advocacy updates, equity in dance, and action-oriented data.

Calls occur on select Wednesdays from 12:00-1:00 p.m. ET. Any member of the community is welcome to attend.

Accessibility: CART captioning will be provided. ASL interpretation and additional accessibility services are available upon request with registration up to 24 hours in advance of the meeting, or by emailing research@dance.nyc. Dance/NYC will try to accommodate requests made after this deadline, but cannot guarantee the availability of access providers less than 24 hours prior to the event. Calls will be primarily discussion and presentation based with sporadic use of videos and/or slides. Attendees will interact via the chat functions or via video and audio presence on Zoom.

Below you can find recordings of past calls and resources that we've gathered.

Past Field-Wide Call Recordings

- Testimony Workshop: [Cultural Institutions and Disability Access](#)
- [Reopening Dance in NYC](#)
- [Vaccines for Dancers Town Hall](#)
- [De-escalation Training for Dance Studios](#)

Additional Resources

- Visit the [Dance/NYC Advocacy page](#) to take action for arts and artists.
- Visit the [Advocacy Resources page](#) to learn more about how you can get involved.
- Visit the [Reopening Dance in NYC Digital Toolkit](#) for resources and information on safe reopening practices.
- Visit our [Racial Justice Resources](#).