VOLUNTEERS

Dance/NYC’s events and programs thrive because of the enthusiastic volunteers who share the organization’s commitment for promoting the knowledge, appreciation, practice, and performance of dance in the New York City metropolitan area. Dance/NYC welcomes volunteers as integral members of its team and seeks to create meaningful opportunities that match their interests and skill sets. By growing a network of volunteers, we aim to build current and future leaders and strengthen their collective voice for dance.

Get Involved

For more information about volunteer opportunities or to join our volunteer list serve, please contact us at volunteer@dance.nyc.

Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer-From-Home Opportunity: Dance/NYC is seeking volunteers!

Committed to inclusion and access, Dance/NYC embodies this commitment across all research, technology and convening held by the organization. On May 21, the #ArtistsAreNecessaryWorkers campaign was launched, including a series of livestreamed videos to address the demands, acknowledgement, representation and integration of dance and arts workers into the decision-making that will envision our future post-pandemic.

Closed Captioning Volunteer Editor: Dance/NYC seeks volunteers to help edit and update closed captioning on the videos from their ongoing #ArtistsAreNecessaryWorkers series.

Preferred Skills:

- Excellent editing, proofreading, and English language skills.
- Ability to work independently.
- Interest in dance, the arts, and/or accessibility advocacy preferred.
- Access to a computer with reliable high speed internet.
- Familiarity with YouTube, basic video editing, and closed captioning a plus.

Volunteers must have at least partial availability on Tuesday-Thursday between the hours of 10-5 for the month of July.

To apply, register with your interest in this opportunity:

https://dancenyc.z2systems.com/np/clients/dancenyc/survey.jsp?surveyId=19&

Accessibility

Both disabled and nondisabled volunteers are encouraged to participate. Dance/NYC is committed to making its programs accessible to disabled people by hosting opportunities and training in accessible spaces with advance notice.

Accommodation requests and inquiries can be made by contacting Dance/NYC at 212.966.4452 (voice only) or by email at volunteer@dance.nyc.

Recruitment

Dance/NYC values justice, equity, inclusion, and diversity at all levels of its organization, including its Board, committees, task forces, and staff. Diversity in this context refers to groups and individuals identified by, for instance, race, color, sex, gender, sexual orientation, age, disability, status, religion, national origin, marital or partnership status, ancestry, political belief or activity, or status as a veteran. To foster the values of justice, equity, inclusion, and diversity, Dance/NYC seeks participation on its Board, committees, task forces, and staff from individuals who share and hold these values and reflect the diversity of the metropolitan New York City area, with a focus on
majority African, Latina/o/x, Asian, Arab, and Native American (ALAANA) participation and disability and immigrant representation. (According to Census data, the New York City population is approximately 77% ALAANA, 10% disabled, and 37% foreign-born. Source: US Census Bureau American FactFinder 2011–2015 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates.) For a full overview of Dance/NYC’s values on justice, equity, and inclusion and the agendas that inform this work, please refer to Dance.NYC/equity/values.