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BIO

I am a dance artist working and living in Amsterdam. Since graduating from the Amsterdam School of the Arts I have been working with various choreographers such as Guy Nader & Maria Campos (ES), Michael Wälti (CH) and ICK Amsterdam (NL). Since 2017 I work with the dance company Slanjayvah Danza on a regular basis. Next to my work as a dancer I also create dance performances with the collective CHRONOS. We are active in the Netherlands and abroad since 2015 and have been touring our pieces extensively. I also teach contemporary dance classes and movement workshops to many students from various backgrounds.

Education

- 2012 - 2016** Bachelors of fine arts, 'Modern Theatre Dance' at the Amsterdamse Hogeschool voor de Kunsten (AHK), Amsterdam
- 2009 - 2012** Zürich-Tanz-Theater-Schule (ZTTS), contemporary dance education, Zürich

Work experience

2020

February 'Time takes the time time takes', Choreo.: Guy Nader & Maria Campos

2019

July - October '6 feet, 3 shoes' Choreo.: Jen Wren, Slanjayvah Danza, Edinburgh Fringe Festival 2019 and Autuizufmn tour

January - July 'The sea is where you think it is' own work with [Chronos](#), Performed at ODAM, Delft Fringe Festival and Over het IJ Festival.

2018

October 'Time takes the time time takes' by Guy Nader & Maria Campos

March - May 'The Three Graces' own work with [Chronos](#), touring in Amsterdam, Delft and Mannheim (DE), part of the Julidans Festival

Feb - March 'Draw Back Ward' own work with [Chronos](#), part of Over Het IJ Festival

2017

October - November	'6 feet, 3 shoes' (work in progress) Choreo.: Jen Wren, Slanjayvah Danza, Leeds UK
February - April	'Lose Your Head' Choreo.: Michael Wälti, Dampfzentrale Bern
January	'The Question of the broken Triangle' Choreo.: Niels Wijer

Teaching

From 2012 – 2016 I have been teaching the Brazilian partner dance Zouk. Together with my dance partner I built up the school Zouk Amsterdam and have been teaching students with various backgrounds, ages and abilities. Next to that I have taught workshops and movement classes in Amsterdam and Switzerland and since January 2020 I teach a weekly class at the Amsterdam Dance Centre. In my classes I focus on body awareness, alignment and a sense of ownership of the movements you learn.

Other related skills

Flamenco, Scottish Step (percussive dance), playing the guitar, singing, experience with story-telling and text delivery.

Languages

Swiss-German, German, English, Dutch, Spanish, Arabic (learning)