

JACOB'S PILLOW DANCE

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MISSION

To support dance creation, presentation, education, and preservation; and to engage and deepen public appreciation and support for dance.

HUMANITIES EXPERTISE

For more than twenty years, the audience engagement programming at Jacob's Pillow has consistently made the case for dance within the context of related art forms and entirely different disciplines. The numerous Community Programs are designed to educate and engage dance audiences of all ages. All of the Pillow's efforts combine to help build the widest possible audience for dance from around the world in a full spectrum of genres and disciplines.

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HUMANITIES RESOURCES & PROJECTS

PROGRAMS & EVENTS

- o <u>Jacob's Pillow Curriculum in Motion</u>: A nationallyrecognized arts-integrated curricular approach connecting Berkshire County K-12 students, classroom teachers, and administrators to the intellectual, inspirational, and physical world of dance.
- <u>The School at Jacob's Pillow</u>, one of the most prestigious professional dance training centers in the U.S., offers professional advancement and premier dance training in Ballet, Gaga, Contemporary, Musical Theatre Dance, Choreography, & Photography.
- Each year, thousands of people from across the U.S. and around the globe visit the Berkshires of Western Massachusetts to experience the <u>Festival</u> with more than 50 dance companies and 200 free performances, talks, and events.

RESOURCES

- o <u>Jacob's Pillow Archives</u>: Users can search and browse all archival records through this online database, as well as view select digital content included printed performance programs and photographs.
- o <u>Jacob's Pillow Dance Interactive</u>: An ever-growing collection of dance videos filmed at Jacob's Pillow from the 1930s to today.
- Themes and Essays section of Dance Interactive: Multimedia essays offering pathways to hundreds of rare videos, photos, programs, and more. Current themes are Dance of the African Diaspora, Tap, and Women in Dance. Specially-commissioned program essays also place dance within a broader context, while exhibits are conceived to highlight connections with other artistic disciplines.
- <u>PillowTV</u>: Features video of Jacob's Pillow Dance artists, Post-Show Talks, PillowTalks, narrated tours, behind-thescenes highlights, and curated playlists of all things Jacob's Pillow Dance.