



## WELCOME TO 2021 VIRTUAL DUMBO DANCE FESTIVAL

WHITE WAVE Dance is proud to celebrate our 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary season of the DUMBO Dance Festival VITURALLY!

WHITE WAVE scours the globe in search of today's most innovative Dancemakers, emerging and established, and brings them together virtually for one extended weekend, giving extra attention to the new, emerging & experimental. Dance lovers will experience a veritable cornucopia of the best of contemporary dance. 2021 VDDF attracts the very best by providing artists access to our global audiences to experience, first-hand, the incomparable vitality of the NY & around-the-world Dance scene.

2021 VDDF features 60 contemporary dance troupes combining over 350 artists in 10 Programs (incl. Family Day), present solo, chamber, and full-scale works. Dancers from across the United States, and internationally, from Mexico, Hungary, China, and Korea will join the New York's active dance community to offer the full range of new directions in Dance in the 21st century.

### WHITE WAVE Vision & Mission:

Formed in 1988, WHITE WAVE Young Soon Kim Dance Company (WHITE WAVE) strives to inspire audiences through multi-dimensional dance productions reflecting themes and philosophies both modern and timeless. Our mission is to be a potent stimulus for change and expansion of the dance/arts world through the production of dance concerts, classes, residencies, and education. Artistic Director Young Soon Kim's vision is expansive, challenging the threshold of dance, music, theater and visual art, surging forward to create new possibilities. Ms. Kim creates works of vision and movement language in reverence and awe of novelty that challenge and broaden the boundaries of dance. [www.whitewavedance.org](http://www.whitewavedance.org).

### A Brief History of WHITE WAVE Dance:

WHITE WAVE is dedicated to inspiring audiences through multi-dimensional dance productions reflecting themes and philosophies both modern and timeless. We constantly strive to be a potent stimulus for progress and evolution within the dance/arts world, by producing dance concerts, festivals, and educational activities, WHITE WAVE Dance provides both nascent and seasoned choreographers/companies with an encouraging environment where they can create, collaborate, and present new works in the undisputed capital of world dance, New York City.

WHITE WAVE created DUMBO DANCE FESTIVAL in 2001 in response to the Dance community's need for performance opportunities that would not only present, but also produce, the work of rising choreographers at minimal expense for the artist. The festival is now recognized as New York's most prestigious gathering of pioneering choreography, encouraging experimentation, creativity, and originality. In its 20-year history, WHITE WAVE Dance has proudly presented over 2,800 choreographers/dance companies and over 18,500 performers to a total of more than 82,500 audience members.

**Program 7**  
**Sunday, June 13 @ 4PM**

**Welcoming Speech by**

**Artistic Director of WHITE WAVE Dance: Young Soon Kim**

**Former WHITE WAVE Dance Board Chair: Thera Marshall**

***Inner Sense***

**Cross Move Lab**

Choreography by Guanglei Hui  
Danced by Diane Auriol, Mizuho Kappa  
All other credits: Fou Gllery and Dongfan Chen

***Yarn***

**Amos Pinhasi**

Choreographed and danced by Amos Pinhasi  
Music by Pergolesi

**Dance Curator at SummerStage NYC: Danni Gee**

***32/30***

**Tec Dance Company**

Choreography by Jorge Andres Espinosa  
Music: Londinium by Daniel Pemberton  
Danced by Ana Gabriela Flores, Ana Karen Aguilar, Ana Sofía Durán, Angela García, Antonio Flores, Brian Steele, Brisa Torres, Camille Young, Carolina Martínez, Carolina Vásquez, Claudia Garza, Cordelia González, Cristina Cruz, Daniel Velázquez, Danytza Ocampo, Diego Simental, Hanna Alanis, Ian Rodrigo Garza, Ilse Chapa, Ivana Berlanga, José Antonio Rosales, Karla Velázquez, Leonardo González, Mariana Díaz, Marla Chaidez, Melissa Ramírez, Michelle Cruz, Roberta Cadena, Sara Arias, Saul Cabriaes, Sofia Salinas, Valentina Ancona  
Company Director: Marcela Salazar  
Video and editing by Berenice Jaramillo  
Costumes by Angela Gutierrez

***Everybody Lost Somebody***

**Erika Gilmore**

Choreography & Editing by Erika Gilmore  
Music by Bleachers  
Danced by Steps Conservatory Dancers- Aleesha Adams, Sydney Alie, Shalen Baase, Molly Bechtold, Erika Gilmore, Rachel Hunt, Helen Krizman, Kira Leach, Julia Monsey, Annastasia Shumoski

***Of You From Here***

**Dance/Tharin**

Choreography by Catherine Tharin  
Danced by Esme Boyce and Jenny Levy  
Composed by Sam Crawford  
Poet: Karen Enns, A Gull Will Almost Land  
Photographer: Liz Schneider-Cohen  
Dedicated to James Cotter Tharin

**Artistic Director of Spark Movement Collective: Michelle Thompson Ulerich**

***The Separation***

### **Spark Movement Collective**

Choreography by Michelle Thompson Ulerich

Music by Kai Engel

Danced by Caleb Patterson, Mikaela Papasodero, Reginald Webber Jr., Daniel Morimoto, Angelica Mondol Viana, Kristen

Santos, Melissa Galano, Jen Silver

Videographer/Editor: Alexander Sargent

### ***The Stranger***

#### **Guidong Zhou**

Choreography by Guidong Zhou

Music: untitled

Danced by Guidong Zhou

### **Artistic Director of Dancing Wheels Company: Catherine Meredith**

#### ***Pallas Athena***

#### **Dancing Wheels Company**

Choreography by Catherine Meredith

Music by David Bowie

Danced by Matt Bowman, Maggie Doherty, Tanya Ewell, Molly Haslag, Sara Lawrence-Sucato, Matthew Robinson, Emily Schwarting, Mary Verdi-Fletcher, Jake Washabaugh, Caleb Waybright, Meredith Wells

Costumes by Janet Bolick

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### **2021 VIRTUAL DUMBO DANCE FESTIVAL STAFF**

|                              |                                                                                                                                                            |
|------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Artistic Director/Producer   | Young Soon Kim                                                                                                                                             |
| Festival Coordinator         | Yuni Yoonjung Cho                                                                                                                                          |
| Board Development Consultant | Aiyoung Choi                                                                                                                                               |
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| Cinematography & Editing     | Alexander Sargent                                                                                                                                          |

### **VIRTUAL GALA Keynote Speakers**

Gerald Appelstein

Danni Gee

Jennifer Muller

Pascal Rekoert

Thera Marshall

Young Soon Kim

### **WHITE WAVE Trustees**

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