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Dancewave presents....

DANCING THROUGH COLLEGE AND BEYOND

Sunday, October 20, 2013 9:15am - 3:00pm
Marymount Manhattan College
221 East 71st Street, NY, NY 10021

A free event for High School Juniors & Seniors.

Featuring: Guest Speakers Wendy Perron (Dance Magazine Editor)
and Lane Harwell (Dance/NYC Executive Director)
with

over 30 nationwide college dance programs such as Julliard, New York University, Ohio State University, New World School of the Arts, Rutgers University and more!

New York, NY - The fourth annual *Dancing Through College and Beyond* (DTCB) is a nationwide symposium, produced by Dancewave, held at and hosted by Marymount Manhattan College, 221 East 71st Street (between 2nd & 3rd Ave) New York City on Sunday, October 20, 2013 9:15am-3pm. The goal of this free, full-day event is to help high school students explore college dance opportunities and assist them in negotiating the college admissions process.

Providing a much needed service to the dance industry, *Dancing Through College and Beyond* is a truly unique, comprehensive conference where talented young dancers can access a bounty of college choices, information and advice. Respected dance professionals, faculty, and choreographers guide over 300 of America's young dancers to the next level of greatness, strengthening the connection between the leaders of this current dance generation and the next.

The event also seeks to educate high school parents, admissions counselors, and dance teachers about the opportunities available to high school students interested in pursuing dance in college and beyond. Programming includes discussion panels with leading college department chairs and education specialists; movement classes taught by renowned college dance faculty; and a college fair where students meet over 25 college dance departments from all over the United States. Participating colleges discuss their departments interaction with the greater dance

community; alumni achievements; and assistance with transition to the job market.



DTCB INCLUDES:

- * One-on-one conversations with college dance reps
- * Movement class for students taught by renowned college dance faculty
- * Panel discussions on applying, auditioning, and financial aid
- * Networking with current college students and alumni

Pre-Registration Required

This special event is FREE but requires pre-registration for students, parents and teachers beginning on September 9, 2013.

Last Years Participating Colleges

Adelphi University, Ailey/Fordham, AMDA College and Conservatory of the Performing Arts, Connecticut College, CALARTS, Ohio State University, Belhaven University, The College at Brockport (SUNY), Drexel University, Montclair State University, Kent State University, The Julliard School, Lehman College, Marymount Manhattan College, Hunter College, Cornish College for the Arts, New World School of the Arts, The Hartt School, Eugene Lang College, The New School for Liberal Arts, Rider University Department of Theater and Dance, Rutgers University, Sarah Lawrence College, Slippery Rock University, Temple University, New York University (Tisch School of the Arts), UCLA, State University at Buffalo, University of Michigan, and Pace University.

Additional information or questions - Contact us

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About Dancewave

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