



MEDIA ALERT

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September 9, 2019: DANCEWAVE PRESENTS 9th ANNUAL NATIONAL COLLEGE DANCE FAIR Co-Presented by Dance Magazine A Catalyst for \$4.5 Million in College Scholarships Awarded to Hundreds of Young Dancers to Date

WHAT

Manhattan, NY – Dancewave, a Brooklyn-based nonprofit organization, presents the 9th Annual Dancewave Through College & Beyond (DTCB), co-presented by Dance Magazine. The nationwide event will be held at **Hunter College on October 5-6, 2019**, anticipating close to 1000 attendees overall. At DTCB's unique college scholarship audition, graduating high school seniors are able to be seen and scouted by a panel of up to 30 top-tier college dance program representatives at once, maximizing families' time and resources at the event. A prime destination for aspiring dance majors, DTCB offers several hundred high school students and parents access to a nationwide dance college fair with over 40 colleges and universities present, plus informative workshops and panels discussing career options, injury prevention, admissions and financial aid. Brand new this year, Dancewave offers a professional dance master class on Sunday taught by **Douglas Gillespie**. On Saturday evening, guests will enjoy vibrant live stage performances by college programs and special guests at the DTCB 2019 Showcase.

Visit <u>dancewave.org/DTCB</u> for more information, eligibility and registration.

Colleges & Universities Attending

Boston Conservatory at Berklee; CalArts Dance; Columbia College Chicago; Cornish College of the Arts; Drexel University; Eugene Lang College of Liberal Arts at The New School; Hunter College; Marymount Manhattan College; NYU Tisch Institute of the Performing Arts; The Ohio State University; Point Park University; Rutgers University; Mason Gross School of the Arts; SUNY Purchase College; Temple University; The Juilliard School; University of the Arts; University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; University of Michigan; University of Roehampton, London; University of Southern California - Glorya Kaufman School of Dance; University of Wisconsin-Madison; **and many more!**

When

October 5, 2019 DTCB College Fair, Panels & Workshops: 10:00am – 5:30pm DTCB Showcase: 7:00 – 8:30pm (Doors open at 6:30pm)

October 6, 2019 DTCB Audition, Master Class, and more: 9:00am – 4:00pm

Where

DTCB College Fair & Auditions: Hunter College West Building (Directions) 695 Park Ave New York, NY 10065

DTCB Showcase: Talent Unlimited High School Auditorium (Directions) 300 E 68th St New York, NY 10065

About Dancewave

Dancewave provides access to a community dance experience that encourages individuality and whole-person development throughout NYC and beyond. Dancewave's unique Culture Model creates an inclusive environment for all ages, abilities, sexual orientations, racial and socio-economic backgrounds. Our innovative programming, which now serves over 6,000 youth and adult dancers across New York City's five boroughs, uses dance as a vehicle for transformation.

For more information, visit <u>dancewave.org/dtcb</u> or email <u>press@dancewave.org</u>.

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