

TRANS GRES SIONS

MIXING IT UP

10-12 MAY

3 DAYS OF DANCE
PERFORMANCES
TALKS & EVENTS



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BUT NOT AS YOU KNOW IT...

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**WEEKEND
PASS
£12**



10 MAY £3

SMUDGE

66-68 Humber Street Hull HU1 1TU 7pm

The weekend kicks off with a specially commissioned performance - *Smudge* created by Yael Flexer and Nick Sandiland working alongside Hull based professional and community dancers. Using charcoal and real-time projected visuals it examines movement as trace, a constant act of mark making and erasure. The work hints at our relationship to place, migration and home - the paths we take, the spaces we fill and the absences we leave behind.

After the show join the artists, make your own traces and stay for the DJ Night.



11 MAY

ONE LAST DANCE Free

An Chéad Damhsa - Drop-In Performance

INSTANT DISSIDENCE

**66-68 Humber Street Hull HU1 1TU
12pm-2.15pm**

This is a perambulating dance between Guildford (Rita's home as an Erasmus student) and Cloughjordan (the rural Irish village where she moved post-Brexit). On her journey Rita walked, danced and stayed with other EU citizens including some from Hull. In this drop-in event she shares the stories of her collaborators and the dances they created.

One Last Dance - An Chéad Damhsa - The Films

**Thieving Harry's 73 Humber Street
HU1 1UD 9.00pm**

Catch the films made at each stage of the journey.

11 MAY Free

BIRDS

Okarukas Dance Theatre

**George Street Car Park Hull
HU1 3BW 11.30am**

Bird's is inspired by the Aristophanes' play, a comedy, where all the world's birds create a new city in the sky. Lithuania's dance theatre company Okarukas bring their unique style of contemporary dance enriched by butoh in order to create an exciting site specific work in Hull.



11 MAY Free

WORKSHOP TALKS

**66-68 Humber Street Hull HU1 1TU
4pm-5.30pm**

Talking and exploring ideas with artists who all feature in this year's Transgressions Festival. How do the different cultures from our heritage, where we live and where we study influence our artistic and personal development...

11 MAY Free

KAYA Ceyda Tanc Dance

**Trinity Market Hull HU1 1RH
12.30pm & 2.30pm**

Kaya explores the human experiences of displacement, drawing on the strength and resilience of those searching for a new community. Brighton based choreographer Ceyda Tanc creates dynamic dance fusing her Turkish heritage with modern British culture and challenging gender stereotypes using the virtuoso movement of male Turkish dances for her all female company.



11 MAY Free

GOOF-OFF

Živilė Virkutytė

**Hull New Theatre Lounge Bar Kingston
Square Hull HU1 3HF 10.30am & 1.30pm**

The first stage of *Goof-Off* is a film collaboration between Živilė Virkutytė and Ieva Šakalytė developed during a residency at Machol Shale, Dance House in Jerusalem. A work in progress it explores inner and outer boundaries, and the role and importance of status. Watch the film alongside Živilė moving live in the space.



11 MAY £7

**Concession
Tickets £3**

**I WISH TO BE THE
BLOSSOM A FERN**

Aura Dance Theatre

**Ferens Studio - Ferens Art Gallery
Queen Victoria Square Carr Lane
Hull HU1 3RA 7.30pm**

A rare chance to see this flagship Lithuanian company led by Birutė Letukaitė. Don't miss their debut UK performance. A unique dance piece exploring the close dynamic between humans and nature. Throughout our quest to reconnect with the natural world, do we need to get back to our roots?



12 MAY £15

WORKSHOP

Butoh Workshop with Sakurako

**State of the Arts Academy Studio 42-43
High Street Hull HU1 1PT 10.30am-2pm**

Sakurako, Director of Okarukas Dance Theatre, studied Butoh intensively with various masters in Japan. This workshop will explore the main elements of Butoh and is suitable for anyone interested in exploring Butoh, including actors, dancers and live/performance artists.



12 MAY £7

**Family Price
(2 adults and baby)**

**LUMI - IN THE HEART
OF LIGHT**

For babies aged 0-12 months and their families. By choreographer Dalija Acin Thelander and Šeiko dance company dancers.

For more information about this event please see www.hulldance.com

The audience is invited to wander and explore luminous objects, to move with the dancers and to give free rein to their curiosity. Stay for a long time or a short time. Pop in pop out.

This is an international collaboration between Lithuanian Seiko Dance Company and Swedish based choreographer Dalija Acin Thelander.

12 MAY £5

**Concession
Tickets £2.50**

ROSETTA

**GrimVisions in collaboration
with Živilė Virkutytė.**

**66-68 Humber Street Hull HU1 1TU
2.30pm**

Hull Dance Choreographic Prize winners from 2017 Ed and Živilė return after an international tour to present their work *Rosetta*.

An exploration of digital technology and experimental movement, the performance explores the conflict between mind and body as we journey through the fundamental aspects of communication.



HULDANCE

Is the leading voice for professional dancers based in the UK's City of Culture. Hull Dance works alongside artists to develop their own voice and in order to make dance more open and accessible to audiences.

Transgressions, developed in partnership with the Lithuanian Cultural Institute, asks the questions; how do people with dual-cultural heritage or, who are newly arrived in a country, use dance to find their identity as individuals and artists?

We want people to watch dance, talk dance, love dance.

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