# RHYS DENNIS RESUME

# CHOREOGRAPHER/ MOVEMENT DIRECTOR/ PERFORMER

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# THEATRE CHOREOGRAPHY/ MOVEMENT DIRECTION

- 2023: After Life by Jack Thorne Courtyard Theatre
- 2023: Playfight Orison productions (Pleasance theatre & Seven Dials Playhouse)
- 2023: Eve & Cain Gateway Arts (Queens Theatre)
- 2023: Out of Many Part II BA3's (The Place)
- 2022: Black Is... FUBUNATION (Sadlers Wells theatre)
- 2022: Into Orbit Dance East Kickstarter Cohort (UK festival tour)
- 2022: Out of Many BA3's (Laban)
- 2021: Royal Philharmonic Orchestra FUBUNATION (Site specific, Wembley)
- 2021: ...in silent company Conny Janssen Dance Company (Netherlands tour)
- 2020: Brent 2020 Opening Ceremony, associate choreographer (Wembley stadium)

## **COMMERCIAL CHOREOGRAPHY**

- 2023: Mike Sebastian and friends live gig at EartH Hackney
- 2023: Outernet Global, Vince Fraser exhibition
- 2021: WeTransfer, WePresent, Julian Knxx Black Corporeal
- 2021: 180 FACT: Julian Knxx cool burn
- 2021: Clean Bandit 24 Hours 2021
- 2020 & 2019: V&A Museum, Friday Lates FUBUNATION
- 2015: Clean Bandit Stronger
- 2012: Clean Bandit A&E

#### **COMMERCIAL PERFORMANCE WORK**

- 2023: Remy Marten x Usher Ad
- 2022: Playboi Carti, Wireless festival
- 2022: Nanushka Sun Series Campaign
- 2021: Beyonce, Black Is King/ Brown Skin Girl
- 2021: FKA Twigs, Don't Judge me
- 2020: Brave New World, Pilot episode (HBO Series)
- 2019: Birkenstock x Universal works ad
- 2019: Hermes Spring/Summer Event

#### THEATRE PERFORMANCE WORK

- 2021- 2023: FUBUNATION Ruins (UK, Europe & west Africa)
- 2022: Seke Chimutengwende It begins in darkness (UK tour)
- 2021: Leila McMillan Curl of hair (Birmingham International Dance Festival)
- 2020: Jeanefer Jean Charles Black Victorians (UK tour)
- 2019: James Cousins Epilogues (UK tour)
- 2018-2019: Heather Walrond The Rising (UK & Europe tour)
- 2018: Restoke Man Up (Stoke-on-trent)

#### **ACADEMIC BOOKINGS**

- 2023: Choreographer & guest teacher (BA3). London Contemporary Dance School
- 2020 -2023: Teacher, Centre for Advance Training, The Place
- 2023: Guest teacher (BA2 & BA3). Federal University of Bahia
- 2022: Choreographer (BA3) Laban
- 2020: Guest lecturer (BA1/BA2) London Contemporary Dance School
- 2019-2023 Guest lecturer, Mentor, Artist-in-residence & Choreographer (BA3). IRIE! Dance Theatre
- 2017: Guest teacher (BA3). Campinas state university

#### SELECTED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

2023: Careers talk Master Class, The Place (

2023: Génération A - Le Lab: Selected for a choreographers exchange program in Senegal by Théâtre Paris Villette

2023: Artist-in-Residency, Casa SoMovimento (Salvador, Brazil)

2023: Board member at IRIE! Dance Theatre for professional company Connecting Vibes

2022: Career panelist, University of East London

2021: BBC SOUNDS 'safe space' podcast, FUBUNATION

2021: Aerowaves Top Twenty artists, FUBUNATION

2021-2022: Develop your creative practice fund (Arts Council England)

2021: Arts & Culture panelist, Kiln theatre (Mayor of London, GLA)

2021: Director, teacher, producer for Dance With The Nation dance festival (London)

## **GUEST TEACHER WORKSHOPS**

2023: Trip Space, Professional class (London)

2023: Festival Internacional de Dança de Araraguara (Sao Paulo, Brazil)

2023: Le Château, Generation A-Lab (Saint Louis, Senegal)

2023: Casa SoMovimento, Pro class (Salvador)

2023: Dance bace, Charlotte Mclean company class (Scotland)

2022: Dance4/ Fabric, Pro class & Centre of Advance Training (Nottingham)

2022: Southbank centre, General public SXWKS (London)

2022: Advantages of Age, Over 60's (London)

2021: 4fürTANZ Platform, Pro class (Leipzig, Germany)

## **RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT/ STUDIO COLLABORATIONS**

2020: Jean Abreu Dance

2020: Theo TJ Lowe

2020: Flexer & Sandiland

2018: Humanhood

#### **EDUCATION**

2014-17: London Contemporary Dance School

2013-14: Northern School of Contemporary Dance

2012-13: Lewisham College