

BARCELONA

D@NCE INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION

25° Edition

2011

During the Easter
Holiday Time

from 21th to 25th April

where YOU are the
PROTAGONIST!

FOR
FOLK & HIP HOP & TAP SCHOOLS/COMPANIES
BALLET & MODERN & CONTEMPORARY & JAZZ



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Dear Directors & Principals,



**P F E S T I V A L
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The Directors are pleased to introduce this upcoming event: Barcelona Dance Award, the biggest "WorldDanceEvent" in Europe.

We are pleased to invite you and your dance students to participate in the 25^o Edition of Barcelona Dance Award. The Festival/Competition will be held from 21th to 25th April 2011 (during the Easter Holiday Time) in Barcelona. The main focus will be DANCE - Classical, Modern, Contemporary, Jazz, Hip Hop, Funky, Folk and all the various interpretations of Theatre Dance Laboratories.

After the great success of the Barcelona Dance Award 2010 festival edition, we are honoured to welcome you in Spain.

Theatre space will be given to Schools and Dance Departements where students and artists will present one or more pieces of a performance or review which will compete for prizes in the various categories of the Barcelona Dance Award 2011. Each group will have a detailed program with all the activities: the days in dance competition and the days free from theatrical commitments.

Enclosed you will find the program and participation FEE as well as descriptions of the prestigious theatres in which the dance evenings will be held and the Hotels where participants will be lodged.

We are certain of providing an unforgettable experience in the magic of Barcelona, one of the cultural capitals of the new «Millennium», and we are at your disposal for additional general and specific informations on the norms and modalities which guide the more technical aspect of the festival: length of pieces and their artistic features, etc...

1500 dancers, 63 Groups from all over the world took part at Barcelona Dance Award 2010 (22 countries from 5 continents) during four evening shows in Barcelona were performed 218 «pieces» in 24 hours of Dance Show.

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**Emotional moments during
the Awarding Ceremony**



2011 CATEGORIES:

MODERN UNDER
HIP HOP UNDER
BALLET UNDER
PEDAGOGY
CHARACTERISTIC
MUSICAL
DANCE CUSTOMS
FOLK CUSTOMS
DANCE THEATER
REPERTORY
JAZZ / LYRICAL
TAP DANCE
MODERN OVER
HIP HOP OVER
CONTEMPORARY
BALLET OVER
FOLK DANCE
ETHNIC DANCE
CHOREOGRAPHY

Special Prizes

BEST DANCE SCHOOL
UNICEF
ARTISTIC DIRECTORS
SPECIAL MENTION JURY
GRAND PRIX EUROPE
GRAND PRIX 2011



WHY PARTICIPATE?

Our organisation, with offices in Italy and Spain, has worked to prepare the Barcelona Dance Award 2011 dedicated to dance in all its expressions, reserved for Schools of Dance, and Institutes. Everyone can participate in this event, our office in Spain has organised your stay with an attractive program so that, you can dance in the Capital of the "Millenium" European Culture and beyond performing in various theatres, you have the opportunity to visit the splendour of Barcelona.

Naturally, a theatrical adventure of this size will require some small challenges: it will be necessary to abandon our habits for several days, speak other languages, compete with the best schools and learn to manage our own images and preparation according to standards which are different from those at home.

WHAT IS THE BARCELONA DANCE AWARD 2011?

The event in which you will participate is the Barcelona Dance Award 2011, a competition that has established itself as the largest and most important amateur dancing event in Europe, divided into different categories (classical dance, modern/contemporary, dance-theatre, etc...) which awards the best groups, talents, choreographers and teachers. The commission of international experts, critics and representatives from the prestigious Dance Companies will judge the School and Dance participants.

Such an initiative will encourage cultural growth through dance as a universal language and will especially serve to stimulate friendship, solidarity, respect and mutual understanding. Our organisation plans these theatrical events guaranteeing top service, professional management, and proven experience. It will be our responsibility to work with you from the moment you confirm your participation. The theatre program, lodging, information on the excursions have all been meticulously organised and the needs which could arise will be satisfied by our staff during your stay.

All the candidates' performance time will be accurately measured, observing the following limit time: 15 minutes duration in total divided in 2/3 performances. Candidates must provide the music of their performances recorded on high-quality audio CD together with their application form. You must write on the cover of each CD, the name of the candidate, his category and the name of the piece. All CD will be checked for quality by our technician. Observation: Candidates must have 3 copies for each CD.

The Jury of the Competition will be composed by international personalities and is the only responsible for awarding. Competitors have no rights of claiming. If you have any particular "Theatrical requirement" or for further info, please don't hesitate to e-mail us.

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In the pictures some Dance Winners from UNITED KINGDOM, USA, MEXICO, ISRAEL, HOLLAND, SINGAPORE and SPAIN.



FESTIVAL SCHEDULE 2011

Technical changes are possible

APRIL 21 Thursday	Expected arrival in Spain, settlement in Hotel (after 01.00 pm). Theatrical activities for the dance groups.
APRIL 22 Friday	08:00 AM Breakfast in Hotel. Theatrical activities or free day - according with the group's theatrical program. The program will be definitive after the registration.
APRIL 23 Saturday	08:00 AM Breakfast in Hotel. Theatrical activities or free day - according with the group's theatrical program. The program will be definitive after the registration.
APRIL 24 Sunday	08:00 AM Breakfast in Hotel. Theatrical activities for the dance groups. Awarding Ceremony.
APRIL 25 Monday	8:00 AM Breakfast in Hotel. Departure.

PARTICIPATION FEE FOR EACH PARTICIPANT

€ 499

Lodging in three stars hotels in Spain Catalunya.
Formula Bed&Brunch
The deadline is 28 /Feb./2011
Minimum participants 14 people (dancers and non)

SPECIAL OFFER FOR ADDITIONAL DAYS

We are able to plan additional days BEFORE April 21 on the same hotel and rooms at your disposal during the festival at the charge of 44 euro per day per person.

Additional charges for single room: 44 Euro per day.
Additional charges must be payed together the PARTICIPATION FEE.

The participation fee includes:

- Accomodation for four nights in three stars Hotel
- Breakfast every morning
- Assistance of festival managers in the Theatres
- Transport organisation during the festival from the hotel to the theatre, following the theatrical commitments
- Transport organisation from BARCELONA or GERONA international Airport to Hotel locations



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For further informations, theatrical info, posters and references from your country former participants please ask to our OFFICE ADDRESS

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Name of participating group

Street..... Zip City Country

Telephone..... e.mail

The School will be composed in the Festival with the following number of persons (dancers and non)

Director of the participating School:

Name Last name Address

Telephone Fax Mobile e.mail

Payments and registration in the Barcelona Dance Award 2011:

The payment of the total cost of participation FEE (plus the additional charges if requested) will have to be received by 28th February 2011, in order to confirm your reservation.

All the accomodation services will be provided by Award Europe srl.

We will let you know our exact Bank Data for the FEE of participation by International Bank Swift Payment.

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