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STEPHANIE C. DAVIS DANCE RESIDENCY 2024



PROGRAM -90 minutes with intermission

Title: Legacy Island

Choreography: Norbert De La Cruz III

Music: Music by various artists, arranged by Norbert De La Cruz III. R-Gent by Sun Electric, Epilogue by Dario Marianelli, Babylon by Thomas Azier, Hold On Tight by Thomas Azier, Time by Peter Gregson

Lighting Design: David Goodman-Edberg

Costume Design: Christa Koerner

Voice Over: Tara Charvat, Alex Hlavaty

Dancers: Tara Charvat, Meagan Cubides, Lillie Hamilton, Alex Hlavaty, Olivia Sarvello, Nirvan Singh, Brandon Talbott, Bella Varon

Title: See Me

Music: Inhale, Spirit Cluster and Exhale - Scanner

Choreographer: Christian Denice

Assistant to the Choreographer: Stavros Alexandros Ikbal

Lighting Design: Kerro Knox III

Costumes: Tina Tomicic

Dancers: Tara Charvat, Meagan Cubides, Lillie Hamilton, Alex Hlavaty, Nirvan Singh, Bella Varon

Title: Surge

Choreography: Stephanie Pizzo

Music: Original composition by Aaron Siegel

Lighting Design: Claire Chrzan

Costumes: Cristen Richards, reconstructed by Tina Tomicic

Dancers: Tara Charvat, Meagan Cubides, Lillie Hamilton, Alex Hlavaty, LejlaRaven Martin, Olivia Sarvello, Nirvan Singh, Brandon Talbott, Bella Varon

-15 Minute Intermission-

Title: Hyper

Choreography: Micaela Taylor

Music: Cheshmeh Palang by Omid Walizadeh, Haiti by Pan Sonic, Angels by Johnny Dexter Gross, School Bell Ringing by Omid Walizadeh arranged by Micaela Taylor

Lighting Design: David Goodman-Edberg

Costume Design: Christa Koerner

Dancers: Tara Charvat, Meagan Cubides, Lillie Hamilton, Alex Hlavaty, Nirvan Singh, Bella Varon

Title: State of Mind

Choreography: Stephanie Pizzo

Music: Extraterrestrial Noise Experiment and Slow Burn by Drone Chamber, Recondition III by Ali Phi, and Slowly by AGF

Costume Design: Christa Koerner in collaboration with Stephanie Pizzo

Lighting Design: Kerro Knox III in collaboration with Stephanie Pizzo

Eisenhower Dance Detroit: Tara Charvat, Meagan Cubides, Lillie Hamilton, Alex Hlavaty, LejlaRaven Martin, Olivia Sarvella, Nirvan Singh, Brandon Talbott, Bella Varon

Union College: Melanie De La Cruz, Ava DuBoff, Hailey Dunn, Livi Gwinnett, Grace Newcombe, Abby Wilder

Understudy: Emily Tobar

The performance is the culmination of the company's four-day Stephanie C. Davis Dance Residency in the Capital Region.

This performance is presented in cooperation with Union College and made possible by a gift from Gus and Sue Davis, class of '59 in memory of their daughter Stephanie.

THE STEPHANIE C. DAVIS DANCE RESIDENCY



The Stephanie C. Davis Dance Residency at Union College is made possible by a gift from Sue and Gus Davis '59, an active alumnus from Hamden, Conn., who is a retired clinical professor of pathology, Yale University. The residency was created in memory of their daughter, Stephanie C. Davis, a modern dancer and environmental activist with a lifelong love of the performing arts. It has become a highlight of the Union Dance Program.

From her first ballet lesson at age 7, Stephanie was always passionate about dance. She continued with ballet and modern dance throughout University City High School in Missouri and in London during her parents' sabbatical year abroad. She spent one year at Washington University in St. Louis as a liberal arts major with a dance minor before auditioning for and being accepted into the NYU Tisch School of the Arts Dance Program. She graduated with a bachelor's of fine arts degree.

A knee injury prevented Stephanie from pursuing a career in dance. She obtained a master's degree in public administration, with a concentration in the arts, from NYU and went on to a successful career as a medical waste recycling consultant and educator. Her love of dance and music continued throughout her lifetime.



Stephanie, 18, is pictured at Washington University in St. Louis during a dance break.

"Dancing had been Stephie's passion, and Union College, where we met, has always been a special place for us. The idea of a dance residency was enthusiastically received as an educational experience for students and an artistic experience for the entire Union community. We remember Stephanie by transmitting our love for her and her love of dance to new generations of Union students. She would have been thrilled."

The Davises

Gus (Union College Class of 1959) and Sue (Russell Sage College Class of 1960)

COMING UP AT THE EGG

- OCT 20 Family Circle #2 with Veena and Devesh Chandra (FREE)
OCT 22 The Lone Bellow
OCT 24 Cavetown // Frankie Cosmos
OCT 27 Craig Ferguson
NOV 6 Cold Case Live
NOV 9 David Cross
NOV 13 Haley Heynderickx // Kalia Vandever
NOV 16 Bill Frisell Trio ft. Luke Bergman & Rudy Royston
NOV 17 Family Circle #3 with Veena and Devesh Chandra (FREE)
NOV 17 Abdullah Ibrahim Trio // Sandhi Trio
NOV 23 Brian Regan
NOV 29 The Jinx & DeLa Holiday Show
DEC 8 Family Circle #4 with Veena and Devesh Chandra (FREE)
DEC 16 Samara Joy: A Joyful Holiday
JAN 24 Yonder Mountain String Band
MARCH 8 Preservation Hall Jazz Band
MARCH 30 Laurie Berkner
APRIL 8 The Music of Hans Zimmer

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