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HOWARD UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE ARTS
presents
3rd Annual Student Choreography Showcase
EVOKE.

Washington, DC – Howard University's Department of Theatre Arts closes its 2014 Theatre and Dance Season with its 3rd Annual Student Choreography Showcase, EVOKE. EVOKE. will be performed in the Ira Aldridge Theater, Friday – Saturday, November 21 – 22, 2014 at 7:30pm.

Howard University Dancers tell their stories through movement, as the Department of Theatre Arts Dance Area of Concentration presents EVOKE., a showcase for dance works created by emerging student choreographers. Seven budding student choreographers from the Dance Composition class have created developing and innovative dances, intended to probe and illuminate the human experience. “The students will bring their own unique voices to the show,” stated Instructor and Choreographer, Ray Mercer.

EVOKE. is designed to inspire, challenge, and entertain audiences. The concert will showcase thirteen dancers from the Department's Dance Program, among the most highly regarded programs of its kind. The production encompasses a variety of dance styles from performers with a wide range of experience and skill level. Genres featured in the seven dances include ballet, modern, hip hop, and jazz.

The seven original dances include modern works that investigate Egyptian history, love, personal journeys, and internal battles. Choreographers drew inspiration from life experiences, poetry and African ancestry. The Student Choreography Showcase gives students the opportunity to perform on stage and for choreographers to have their work presented.

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Howard University’s Department of Theatre Arts Dance Program offers one of the top-rated HBCU [Historically Black College or University] performance programs in the country. Howard University Department of Theatre Arts offers a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree with a concentration in Dance and has consistently been recognized as producing dancers for the Concert Stage.

EVOKE. will be performed on November 21 – 22, 2014 at 7:30 p.m., in Ira Aldridge Theater. Ticket Prices are $7.00 general admission.

EVOKE. INFORMATION

WHERE: Howard University, Ira Aldridge Theater
DATES: Friday and Saturday, November 21 – 22, 2014 at 7:30pm
STUDENT CHOREOGRAPHERS: Michael Bradford, Trey Capers, Sydnee Carroll, Paris Jones, Charise Pinkston, Reya Roussel, Brieana Seals

HOWARD UNIVERSITY, IRA ALDRIDGE THEATER INFORMATION

PERFORMANCE AND TICKET PRICES: $7.00 General Admission
GROUPS: Discount rates are available for Groups of 10 or more, contact Denise Saunders Thompson at (202) 806-7050.
ACCESSIBILITY: Accessible seating available by reservation
LOCATION: 2455 6th Street, NW (located next door to Cramton Auditorium on Howard University’s campus)
INFORMATION: Tickets (202) 806-7700; Department of Theatre Arts (202) 806-7050; Fax (202) 806-9193
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