

HEARTS OF MEN SHOWCASE

PRESENTED BY EARL MOSLEY'S DIVERSITY OF DANCE AND AILEY EXTENSION



SATURDAY, AUGUST 30TH
6:00 PM

AILEY CITIGROUP THEATER

Reflections on Hearts of Men 2025

Videographer and Video Editor: Payge Lecakes

Music: "Follow Me (Club Mix)" - Aly-Us

Interviewees: Victory Davis, Ming Infante, Taj Libran-Newman,
Freddie Moore, Robert Redick, Victor Rodack,
Xander Sanchez, Kadin Williams

Azúcar

Choreographer: Ehizoje Azeke

Rehearsal Assistant: Gianna Theadore (A.I.M by Kyle Abraham)

Music: "Azúcar" - Los Hacheros

Dancer: George Bone, Chris Cates, Deven Crawford,
Victory Davis, Zion Hines, José Lapaz-Rodriguez, Taj Libran-Newman,
Kwesi Opare, Xander Sanchez, Charles Siguenza, Caleb Wein

MB (Moor Beginnings)

Choreographer: Winston Dynamite

Brown / TheDynamitExperience

Music: "If Ye Love Me" - London Voices,

"A New Generation" - Max Richter, "Lady Jade" - Tony Williams

Dancers: Cemiyon Barber, Christopher Taylor

MB is an original abbreviation of Moor Beginnings; this anthology of expression was our attempt to highlight what our history must have felt like. This journey demonstrates through discovery the harmony that must inevitably exist between them for the survival of the whole yet to come.

Coworkers

Choreographer: Claudio Caverni

Music: "Before" - LVDF

Dancers: Jonathan Colafrancesco, Eddy Perez-Trimíño

Trio.exe (Excerpt)

Choreographer: Justin Bowen

Music: "'Point & Click" - AQUASINE, MEMODEMO

Dancers: HodgePodge, Kwesi Opare, Justin Bowen

"Thank you for downloading 'Trio!' This is an open beta build for our multiplayer game and is best experienced with 3 players. We hope you have as much fun playing as we did making it! Enjoy!"

Keeper

Choreographer: Isaiah K. Harvey

Music: "If It's Magic" - Stevie Wonder

Dancer: Malachi Kingston

A meditation on love, wonder, and the quiet responsibility of safeguarding beauty before it disappears.

This Thing Called Love

Choreographer: Patrick Coker

Music: "We Find Love" - Daniel Caesar

Dancers: Michael Alford II, Bryson Brunson, Darius Corbett,
Graham Daw, Caelen Gibbs, Ming Infante, Isryel Jules,

Jayden Martin, Bryce Percell, Victor Rodack,
Jonah Thomas, Kadin Williams, Chuck-Hou Yee

— INTERMISSION —

Prodigal

Choreographer: Freddie Moore

Music: "How Did You Find Me", "Your Majesty" - Dante Bowe

Dancers: Victory Davis, Zion Hines, Xander Sanchez,
Darius Corbett, Graham Daw, Ming Infante, Jayden Martin,

Victor Rodack, Jonah Thomas, Kadin Williams

Fractured Serenity

Choreographer: Jeremy Pichardo

Music: "Sever" - Son Lux (feat. Holland Andrews)

Dancers: George Bone, Chris Cates, Deven Crawford,
Caelen Gibbs, Isryel Jules, Malachi Kingston,

José Lapaz-Rodriguez, Taj Libran-Newman, Kwesi Opare,
Caleb Wein, Aiden Williams, Chuck-Hou Yee

GRATITUDE: A Work In Progress

Choreographer: Abdul Latif / T.A.L.K.

The Abdul Latif Kaleidoscape

Music: Adam Taylor, Edmund Butt

Music Arrangement: Abdul Latif

Projection Design: Cynthia Elliott, Abdul Latif

Performance Garments: Carlton Jones Collection

Dancers: Micah Bullard (Dance Theater of Harlem),
Sean Miller (Dance Theater of Harlem)

Grace is a gift that can never be given enough.

Before You Go

Choreographer: Robert Redick /

Redick Dance Collaborative

Music: "For All We Know" - Donny Hathaway

Dancers: Khalid Dunton, Omari Simmons

Dedicated to the memory of Dana "Lioness" (1997-2025)

Clapback

Choreographer: Daniel Padierna /

Padierna Dance Project

Music: "Soulfood (2023)" - Jlin

Dancers: Justin Bowen, Ruddy A. Frias, Sammy Fossum,
Isaiah K. Harvey, Malachi Kingston, Daniel Padierna,

Jeremy Pichardo, Abdul K. Sanz

"Clapback," set to Jlin's driving track "Soulfood," features eight male dancers in a kinetic response of rhythm and precision. Channeling the spirit of a 'clapback,' the work strikes back with unapologetic energy, unison, and the pulse of clapping hands.

Never Dreamed

Choreographer: Fredrick Earl Mosley

Videographer: Rohan Spong

Music: "Never Dreamed You'd Leave In Summer" -

Little Annie and Baby Dee

Dancer: Dudley Williams

This film features archived footage of a solo set on the late Dudley Williams, an Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater star from 1964-2005. "Never Dreamed" was the last dance he and Fredrick Earl Mosley made together.

Mandiani/Balanta

Choreographer: Roderick Jackson

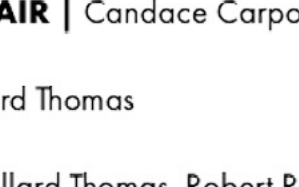
Live Percussionists: Roderick Jackson,
Kwesi Opare, Michael Mustafa

Dancers: Michael Alford II, George Bone, Chris Cates,
Darius Corbett, Deven Crawford, Victory Davis, Graham Daw,

Caelen Gibbs, Zion Hines, Ming Infante, Isryel Jules,
José Lapaz-Rodriguez, Jayden Martin, Taj Libran-Newman,

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