

# Push Dance Company presents all kinds of styles

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The Bay Area dance community is a vibrant one, and a good representation of the talent can be seen with new and recent works presented by Push Dance Company.

The festival has two programs of works in various disciplines of dance, including modern, ballet, hip-hop, ethnic and multidisciplinary. Among the locals performing are Martha L. Zepeda and Nina Haft, Lindsey Renee Derry and the contemporary Bharatanatyam company Nava Dance Theater. Also on the schedule is New York-based Thomas/Ortiz Dance.

This is also the 10th anniversary of Push Dance, and on Program A will be the premiere of company artistic director and founder **Raissa Simpson**'s "Disequilibria," commissioned by the African American Art & Culture Complex and UC Davis' **Institute for Exploration** in Dance, Theatre, and Performance. There will also be a new work by resident choreographer **Katerina Wong** for Program B.

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