

OPEN CALL

We have the pleasure to announce an open call for applications for:

SOME OTHER PARADISES

Workshop with Kevin Jean (France)

part of Without Distance Educational Platform in the frame of 10th Antistatic International Festival for Contemporary Dance and Performance, (12 – 20 May 2017), Sofia/Bulgaria

13-15 May, Sofia/ Bulgaria

During the 3-days workshop, the participants will plunge into daily experimentation and research connected to Kevin Jean's performance *Des Paradis*, part of the 10th Antistatic Festival.

We will start with somatic techniques to develop our own perception and ability to connect to our self. It will be all about: finding place, autonomy, cohabitation and cooperation, the capacity to unite, to find common and to struggle together with conviction to create, with renewed sweetness, our paradises, our dreams and hopes. We will create our islands, without waiting, and it will be possible to make germinate our utopias - individual and collective ones.

The goal of this workshop will be centered around the notion of discovery, contact, sensitivity, free play and adaptation, weight and body to body.

Kevin Jean is a choreographer and performer from France. He has worked with Stéphanie Aubin, Odile Duboc, Myriam Gourfink, Phillipe Grandrieux, Yann Marussich, Julie Nioche, Pascal Rambert and Alban Richard. He has authored choreographic pieces and performances on the construction of environments, the consequences they has on us, our behaviors and social interactions. How they shape us, distort us, how we can accept them, play with them, discover and transform ourselves. In 2015, he created *Des Paradis* as well as the amateur version *Des Autres Paradis*. In 2016 he created *Les Promesses du Magma* in collaboration with Casey, a French rap artist, in the frame of Avignon festival.

This workshop is aimed for professional artists in dance, theatre and performance from South-East Europe. The workshop will be in English.

For approved international applicants we offer free accommodation for the days of the seminar as well as reduced tickets for the artistic programme of Antistatic International Festival for Contemporary Dance and Performance. The workshop is free of charge for international participants.

To apply, please, send us your artistic CV at: dramaturgies.new@gmail.com.

Deadline: 2nd of May, 2017

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