Healthy Dancer Canada

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Healthy Dancer Canada 4th Annual Eastern Conference Program Sunday September 25, 2011 Canada's National Ballet School, Toronto, Ontario

9:30 to 10:00 am **Welcome and Registration**

Morning session: Urban Dancer's Health

10:00 to 10:15 am Ballet meets Hip Hop in Canada's National Ballet School's Flashmob Katharine Harris Communications Manager, Canada's National Ballet School

10:15 to 10:25 am Mini movement session

10:30 to 11:00 *Skills & Soul - Differences in Street Dance music and movement styles, and the Urban Dancer lifestyle* Ofilio Sinbadinho Portillo Artistic Director, Gadfly

11:05 to 11:35Dance Injuries - When and Where to see a Doctor, and what have they got to offer?Dr. David NgB.A.Sc., M.D., CCFP(EM) Emergency Staff Physician University Health Network / Toronto East General Hospital

11:40 to noon **Panel discussion with morning speakers**

Noon to 1:00 pm Free Catered Lunch

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Afternoon Session: Healthy Teaching Practices

1:05 to 1:35 pm HDC Update

1:40 to 2:10 pm *Nurturing Creativity* Angela Caporiccio Dance Director, Iona Catholic Secondary School

2:15 to 2:45 pm *Cultivating Creativity Inside the Box* Richelle Hirlehey Educational Director, Dance Extreme London Ontario Director of Education for Canadian Dance Masters of America Chapter #38

2:50 to 3:20 pm *Keeping the Butterflies at Bay; Performance Anxiety and Ways of Optimizing Performance* Carmen Duncan Royal Academy of Dance Canada, Dip RBS (TC), BA (Hons) Dance Education, CBMN

3:25 to 3:45 pm Panel discussion with afternoon speakers

3:50 to 4:00 **Thank you and evaluations**