

Simpson Board Choreographers Course for People with Non-Verbal Communication



Are you a disabled person interested in creating dance?

If so, this 2-day course to train enablers/creative assistants for dance makers with non-verbal communication to create their own work is an ideal way of learning a new skill.

You do not need to be a dance expert or have a great degree of mobility to enjoy this unique course

Course date: Thursday 24th October 2013 plus follow up day in February 2014 – (Date TBC)
Location: Merseyside Dance Initiative, 24 Hope St, Liverpool, L1 9BX
Time: 9.30 – 5.00
Price: £25 for both days



What is the Simpson Board?

The Simpson Board is a systematic approach to choreography involving choices of words, pictures, music and straightforward movement instructions to a dancer.



Who is the course for?

The course is an ideal for disabled people interested in creating dance

This course will involve a level of sustained intense mental concentration and may not be suitable for everyone. To discuss your individual requirements and eligibility or discuss more tailored training for you/your organisation please contact Rachel Rogers at MDI who will pass on your questions to Lisa Simpson directly

How will it benefit you?

- You will be able to create your own work by working with the Simpson board, a systematic approach to choreography involving choices of words, pictures, music and your own instructions to a dancer.
- You will work in a team supported by tutors to lead and be led by others
- You will work with other like-minded people in a supportive and creative setting.

Course Tutors

Lisa Simpson: is a Liverpool based choreographer/workshop leader with quadriplegia cerebral palsy and non-verbal communication. A trail-blazer in Inclusive Dance, Lisa Simpson Inclusive Dance Ltd recently won Knowsley Business and Regeneration Employee of the Year.

Helen Gould: will assist Lisa on the course. Helen is Director of La Petite Mort Theatre. Helen's previous posts include Lancaster Development Officer, Ludus Dance Artist and she has also led Integr8 Youth Dance Company.

Do you want to know more about Lisa Simpson Inclusive Dance Ltd and The Simpson Board?

Please visit our website

www.simpsonboard.co.uk

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We have funds for additional support on the course to meet specific individual access needs for more information contact Rachel Rogers at MDI

Parking is available on the corner of Hope St / Myrtle St. Please let us know when booking if you require a parking space.

To Book a Place

Please contact Rachel Rogers at MDI 0151 708 8810 or email Rachel@mdi.org.uk

