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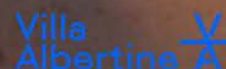
# DANCE CAMERA WEST FILM FESTIVAL

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An exclusive selection of films from the 2022 DCW festival.

**MARCH 31 / APRIL 1 / APRIL 2**

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A still from the film Elsewhere. Directed and Choreographed by Mike Tyus & Madison Olandt, 2021.

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LE LYCÉE FRANÇAIS DE LOS ANGELES  
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## NEW PERSPECTIVE: NORTH AMERICA

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## PROGRAM

### DANCE FOR THE (BIG) SCREEN AN EXCLUSIVE SELECTION OF FILMS FROM THE 2022 DCW FESTIVAL

We present the entirely new discipline of short dance film, combining the best elements of dance, cinematography, and choreography. With refreshing new work from around the world, the artistically-minded 3-day festival promises a balm for the mind.

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## **DIVINE ARABESQUE**

**With special guest John  
Michael Castagna(director)**

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**Runtime: 6m 15s  
Country: United States  
Director: John Michael Castagna  
Producer: Contemporary Ballet Collective  
Filmmaker: Medhi Gribi  
Cast: Rein Short, Ottavio Taddei  
Composer: Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart**

This work was inspired by Mozart's Adagio k361. It is choreographed for 2 dancers Rein Short and Ottavio Taddei.

# NIGHT 2

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## ELSEWHERE

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**Runtime: 17m**

**Country: United States**

**Note: Choreographers: Madison Olandt, Mike Tyus**

**Director: Madison Olandt, Mike Tyus**

**Producer: Whim W'Him**

**Cast: Michael Arellano, Liane Aung, Jane Cracovaner, Ashley Green, Jime Kent, Andrew McShea, Karl Watson**

**Cinematographer: Quinn Wharton**

**Composer: Emmit Fenn**

ELSEWHERE is a place that is neither here nor there, but the place we escape to.



*Elsewhere*

FILMED BY QUINN WHARTON  
DIRECTED BY MIKE TYUS & MADISON OLANDT



NIGHTS

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## SWITCHBACK

**Preceded by a pre-recorded interview  
with choreographer Cathy Marston  
& special guest Lauren Finerman**

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**Runtime: 12m 49s**  
**Country: United States**  
**Director: Lauren Finerman & Cathy Marston**  
**Producer: Ballet Unleashed**  
**Executive Producer: John Dalrymple**  
**Cast: Inara Wheeler, David West, Annabelle Hustace, Marusya  
Madubuko, Tristan Toy, Michaela Marrable**  
**Cinematographer: Ben De Graaf, Jason Han, Jason Joseffer, John Kopeck**  
**Editor: Lauren Finerman**  
**Composer: Iain Farrington**  
**Sound Design: Andrew Lang**  
**Music: Iain Farrington (Piano), Sara Trickey (Violin)**

In response to an emerging landscape for current artists, internationally renowned film director Lauren Finerman and choreographer Cathy Marston's new choreographic work Switchback offers a physical narrative portraying a dancer's quest to chase their dreams. Switchback is a coming-of-age story about a young adult who leaves their home in order to chase their dream. The film follows their story as they set out on a quest to leave what is comfortable and embark on the unknown. Their story is echoed through the stories of other characters on the same journey, taking risks, getting lost and facing challenges to reach their goal. By drawing from her personal experiences and that of collaborating artists, this dance film will feature site specific solos and duets, performed by six dancers from locations all over the world.



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## 20-MIN INTERMISSION

### SLIP

**Runtime: 3m 14s**  
**Country: United States**  
**Choreographers: Kurt Csolak, John Manzari**  
**Director: Kurt Csolak**  
**Cast: Kurt Csolak, John Manzari**  
**Cinematographer: David Spadora, Kurt Csolak**

We've all felt ourselves slipping during the pandemic...a little into madness, away from ourselves, from who we are, and what we do. As performers we especially feel alive when sharing our energies with others. When that's taken away, we can't help but feel our lights dim. How easily we feel our self-worth slip when we're isolated and unable to do whatever we do that makes us feel our fullest selves. This video is about overcoming those feelings together and continuing to do the things that make you happy and who you are. Even if we can't physically be in the same place, we can all meet each other in that shared space. We hope you keep dancing, keep engaging in whatever gives you life, keep smiling, and continue to fight that slip.



# NIGHT 2

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## SLEEPLESS

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**Runtime: 7m 9s**  
**Country: United States**  
**Choreographer: Savannah Dunn**  
**Director: Jaryd Jensen, Savannah Dunn**  
**Producer: Jaryd Jensen, Savannah Dunn**  
**Cast: Savannah Dunn**  
**Sound Design: Aubrey Liston**

After a long day- one of many- sleep does not come easily.  
This long night- one of many- she is stuck inside her mind.



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## CHILD OF THE SCREEN

& director Nathan Hirschaut  
receives the *Outstanding  
Achievement Award*

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**Runtime: 5m 20s**

**Country: United States**

**Director: Nathan Hirschaut**

**Producer: The Cyborg Project**

**Cast: Nathan Hirschaut, Danielle Lee Hogervorst**

Child of the screen is a short dance/theatre film about a boy who is raised and shaped by the screen, media, or however one wishes to view it.

### **About the Director**

Nathan Hirschaut is a performing artist who graduated from The Juilliard School for Dance in 2020. Over the past 15 years, Nathan has studied from the world's best in dance, yoga, and artistic ideology creating the base of his spiritual, unconventionally creative, and wild performance art. His mission is to make and perform in projects that connect people to their Nature and Power, a space beyond the limitations of their minds. Since graduating school, Nathan has been commissioned and independently produced several cross-disciplinary projects, retreats, intensives, workshops, and classes. Nathan's work has been featured in The Washington Times, NPR, and the LA Post as a pioneering artist and thought leader in performance art.



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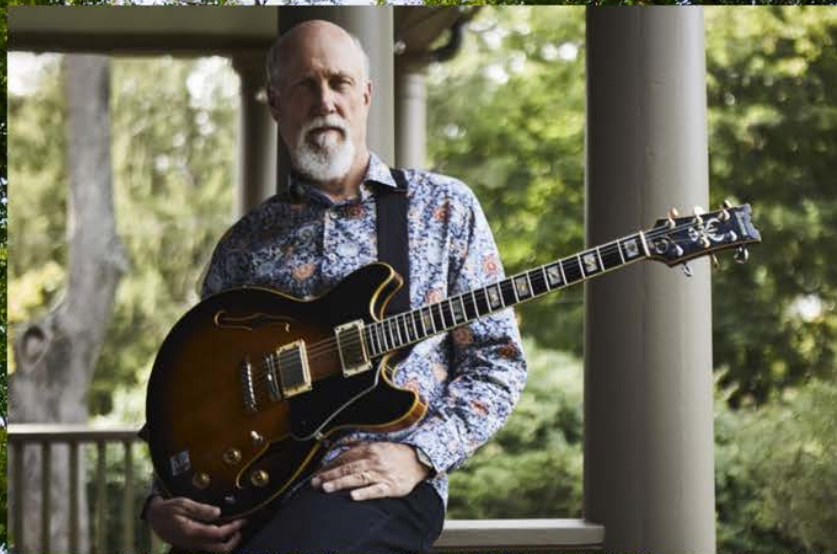


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