



MÖTE MED KOREOGRAF

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The Dancing Public - A workshop in collaboration between Dansalliansen, Dansenshus and Danscentrum Stockholm.

In this workshop I would like to share my interest in dance as a social phenomenon and practice. I have always been fascinated with social dances and how they relate to very basic human needs for movement, enjoyment and ecstasy. But perhaps more importantly, how social dances are often also connected to social and political situations and conditions, making them into dances of resistance, modes of warding off hardship, or even strategies of survival. What I propose for this workshop is to research "dancing manias", a topic I am currently busy exploring in my work, especially in *The Dancing Public*

Mette Ingvarsten is a Danish choreographer and dancers living and working in Brussels. Her work is characterized by hybridity and engages in extending choreographic practices by combining dance and movement with other domains such as visual arts, technology, language and theory. An important strand of her work was developed between 2009 and 2012 with *The Artificial Nature Series*, in which she focused on reconfiguring relations between human and non-human agency through choreography. By contrast her more recent series, *The Red Pieces* (2014-2017) inscribes itself into a history of human performance with a focus on nudity, sexuality and how the body historically has been a site for political struggles. In 2019, she premiered *Moving in Concert*, an abstract group choreography, that focuses on the interlacing between humans, technological tools and natural materials and in 2021 she premiered *The Life Work*, an in situ project with elderly people in the Ruhr region in Germany which addresses migration issues. And a new solo, *The Dancing Public*, inspired by a fascination for dancing manias throughout history.

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Ledare	Mette Ingvarsten
Startdatum	2022-04-23
Slutdatum	2022-04-23
Tider	13.00-15.00
Antal dagar	1 dag
Sista ansökningsdag	2022-04-07
Plats	Klotet Dansens hus
Adress	Wallingatan 21