

Adjudicated Concert and Informal Concert Guidelines

The 2018 KSU Dance Festival will feature two adjudicated performances on Saturday, February 10th and Sunday, February 11th at 6:00 p.m. and one informal student concert during the day on Sunday.

The adjudicated concerts will be reviewed by a panel of national adjudicators, who will select one work for festival recognition based on artistic and technical merit. Written feedback from the national adjudicators will be provided to each performance group following the festival.

Adjudicated Concert Guidelines:

- 1) All performers must be current high school-age students.
- 2) All performers must be registered for the KSU Dance Festival by January 8, 2018.
- 3) There is a limit of 25 performers per organization.
- 4) All performers must be available for one technical rehearsal. Tech rehearsals will be scheduled in advance on the evenings of February 5 - 9. Each group will be assigned a 20 minute tech rehearsal time slot.
- 5) Each dance must be a minimum of 5 minutes, and no more than 10 minutes in length.
- 6) Only one work can be submitted from each organization (i.e. high school or studio). \$100 submission fee payable at registration.
- 7) Choreography may be by a faculty member, guest artist, student, or a re-staging of classic repertory.
- 8) There can be no hanging or rigging of scenic elements. Any scenery or props must be set and struck by the company performers within 1 minute of the start and end of the work.

Informal Concert Guidelines:

- 1) All performers must be current high school-age students.
- 2) All performers must be registered for the KSU Dance Festival by January 8, 2018.
- 3) Each organization may submit one work for presentation on the Informal Concert at no additional cost.
- 4) Informal Concert works **MUST** be choreographed by students.
- 5) Informal Concert works must be 3-5 minutes in length.
- 6) No hanging or rigging of scenery is permitted for the Informal Concert; any scenery or props must be carried in and out of the studio by the performers.
- 7) The Informal Concert will take place at the Stillwell Theater. There will be no theatrical lighting or curtains. There will be no spacing or technical rehearsal prior to the informal concert.

Important Dates:

Festival Registration December 1 – 15, 2017
KSU Dance Festival: February 10 and 11, 2018