The Dresden Frankfurt Dance Company is looking for **male, female and nonbinary dancers** for its new ensemble, which will be formed under the artistic direction of Ioannis Mandafounis.

We are seeking dancers with extensive experience in improvisation and with a strong contemporary dance technique. Ballet technique is not required, but if you are a ballet dancer who is also skilled in improvisation, we would still love to hear from you. Dancers with other backgrounds are also encouraged to apply; however, you need to master your dance craft at a very high level.

Stamina and endurance as well as mental and emotional strength are essential, regardless of your dance background, and communication skills are of prime importance.

**In order to apply, please send us the following:**

- A bullet point CV detailing your studies and your dance career (Name of school + location, dates attended, your age while attending). Please keep your CV short and to the point, no more than 2 A4 pages.
- A clear video of yourself dancing, maximum 5 minutes in duration, unedited.
- A clear video of yourself doing dance improvisation, minimum 15 minutes in duration, unedited.
- If you are also a creator/choreographer please list your pieces (title, coproducers, performance/touring dates + video links).
- If you have other relevant knowledge or experience please note it in one word only, for example sing, play instrument, teach.
- No students will be accepted at the audition; we are only seeking professional dancers with a substantial career. There will be a separate call for apprentices in due course.

**Our dancers will be asked to:**

- Perform in the 3 yearly programs.
- Perform a minimum of 48 shows between Dresden and Frankfurt.
- Tour internationally (these shows will be in addition to the 48 shows in Dresden and Frankfurt).
- Perform in a theatrical context and in non-theatrical contexts such as: social contexts, outdoors, in any weather condition, in any geographic setting as well as perform long durational works.
- Participate in the company’s outreach and education program by teaching workshops, masterclasses etc.
- Teach and share their practice and the company’s practice with artists from within the company and from outside of the company.
- Create and collaborate with the other company members and with artists from outside the company.

**Important information**

Contract: We will offer one-year seasonal contracts plus preparation contract. The new ensemble will start rehearsing 17 July 2023. We hope to build long-term working relationships.

**Audition date:**
2, 3 and 4 December 2022

**Audition place:**
Schmidtstraße 12, 60326 Frankfurt am Main, Germany

During the audition, candidates must adhere to Dresden Frankfurt Dance Company’s hygiene regulations.

Please send your application to:
audition@dresdenfrankfurtdancecompany.de

**Deadline:** 11 November 2022