



PROFESSIONAL INTENSIVE
DECEMBER 2021



Intensive Information

Location: Daimler Powerhouse, Coventry, CV1 4DQ

Timings: 10AM – 4PM (Space open from 9:30AM)

Expenses Fee: All successful artists will receive a £15 per day to help cover travel and food expenses. Grand Total: **£30**

Receipts must be kept and the total expense invoiced for after the intensive is completed.

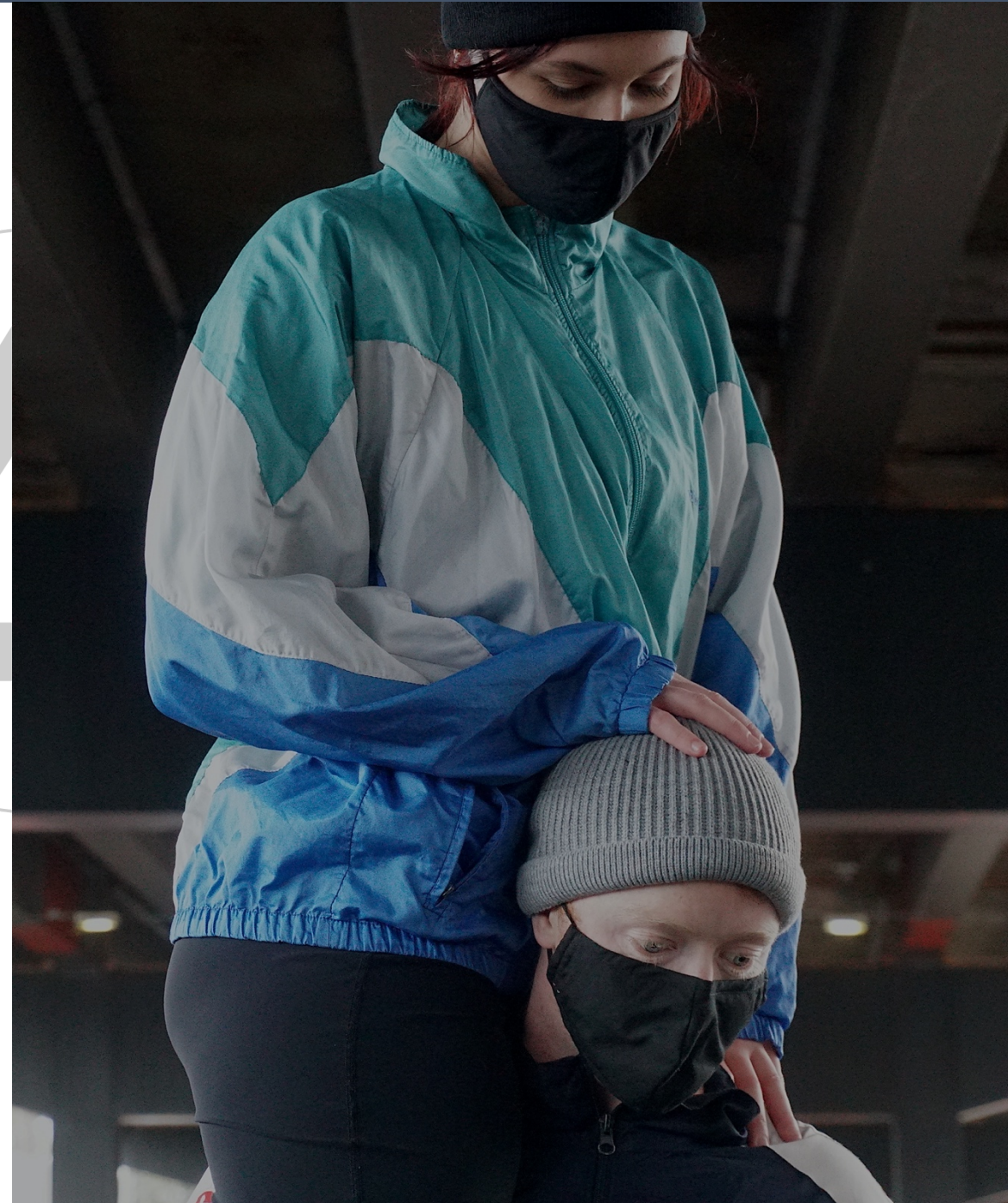
Day 1 – Motionhouse / Partnering Work

Day 2 – Ascension Dance / Set Work

There are 10 places available.

Application deadline: 6PM / Friday 26th November 2021

Successful applicants will be notified by :
Wednesday 1st December 2021



Ascension Dance Company - About us

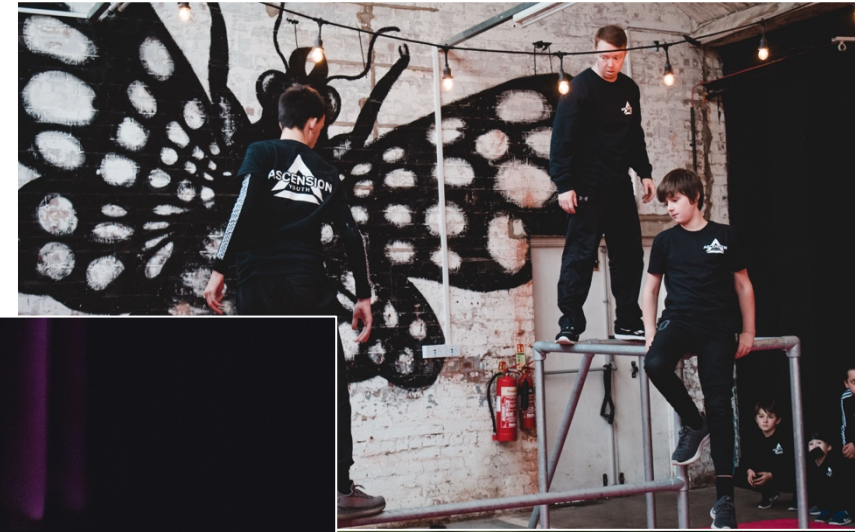
Ascension Dance Company, founded in 2017 by company directors Ashley Jordan and Ben Morley, was created to produce high quality contemporary dance work with a keen focus of working in unusual space, with set and fusing a contemporary movement style with movement from physical dance forms and movement style such as parkour and breakdance. Since, we have worked with over 3000 young people nationwide and partnered with companies such as the BBC and the Royal Shakespeare Company.

What are we looking for?

This opportunity is to support professional dance/ movement artists working in the Midlands to meet new people and train together. We will accept applications from outside of the Midlands but will prioritise those living and/or working in Midland's based locations.

We are happy to receive application for artists who can only attend one of the following workshop days but please be aware we will give priority to artists who are available and would like to attend both days.

We are unfortunately unable to support accommodation costs in a case that an applicant is successful but lives outside the West Midlands.



Workshop information

Day 1 – Motionhouse Workshop

On day 1, Motionhouse will lead a workshop based around lifting and contact work. Please be aware this means that we will be working closely together and in contact with other dancers in the space. We will be making sure to take all the relevant precautions in term of COVID-19 to make sure we are all working safely. If you feel uncomfortable with this, please do not apply.

We recommend bring a change of clothes and wearing long sleeve items which might help with lifting and partnering. We will be working without shoes.

Day 2 – Ascension Dance Workshop

Day 2 will be led by the Ascension Dance team. We will be working on a scaffold set, learning movement from parkour and understanding the Ascension style of movement. The second half of the day will be spent collecting all the information we had gathered over the previous 2 days to create some choreography using the set.

Please make sure to bring suitable trainers for working on scaffolding. Long sleeve items might help when rolling on and over set.



We are committed to being as inclusive and accessible as possible.

We welcome applications from all genders, socio-economic backgrounds, sexualities, those who have experienced racism and those who identify with having a disability.

Please advise us if you have any access requirements as part of your application and we will do our best to meet them. If you have any questions about the role please email info@ascensiondance.co.uk.

Ascension Dance Company is committed to processing information in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR). The personal data collected via your application will be held securely and will only be used for the legitimate interest of this recruitment process.

As an alternative for writing a 1/2-page supporting statement, we would be happy to receive:

- 1-minute video
- 1-minute voice note

Use the questions on the following page to help you to frame your application submission.

Large print or alternative colour documents are available on request.



To apply please send your CV and a supporting statement to info@ascensiondance.co.uk

Your supporting statement should be no more than 1/2 a page of A4 and should include:

Why you want to be part of this professional intensive?

How this might help you in your dance career? (New experiences, networking etc)

Tell us a bit about your dance experience and relevance to this way of working.

We are open to hearing about your experiences and how they will add value to your application.

More information about Ascension Dance can be found via our website and on our various social media platforms.

Website: www.ascensiondance.co.uk

Facebook: [@ascensiondanceuk](https://www.facebook.com/ascensiondanceuk)

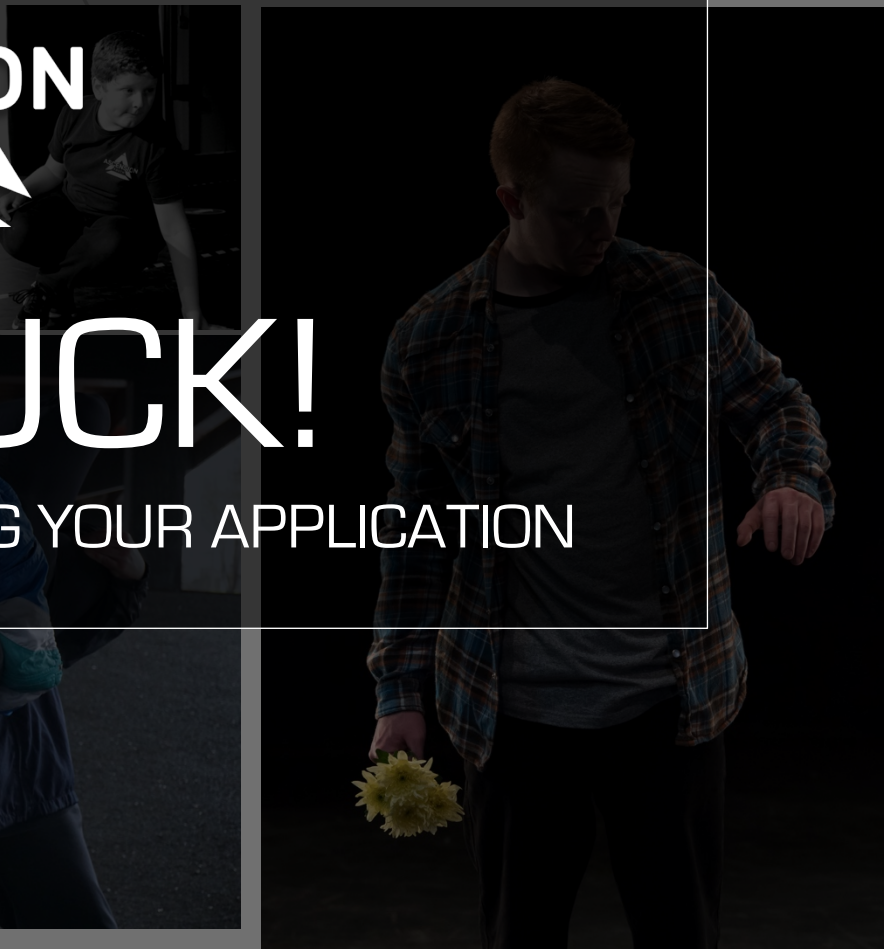
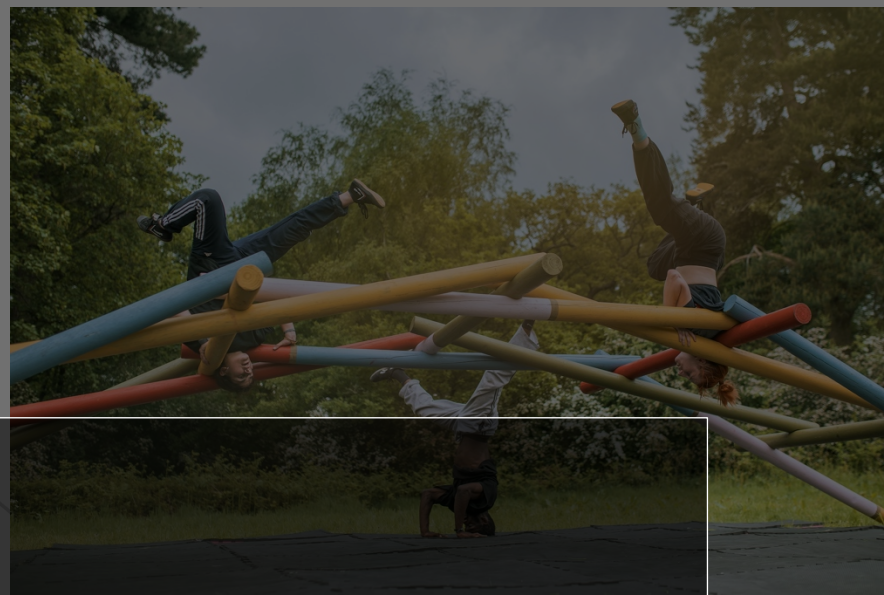
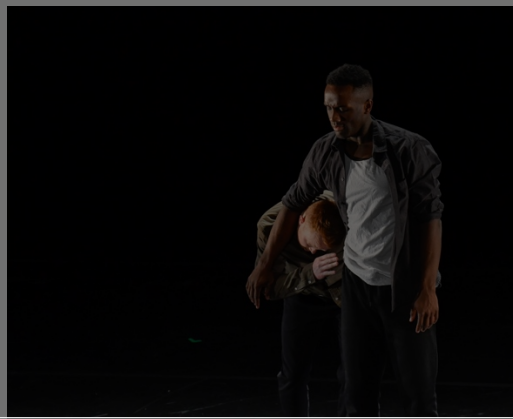
Instagram: [@ascensiondanceuk](https://www.instagram.com/ascensiondanceuk)

Twitter: [@Ascension_DC](https://twitter.com/Ascension_DC)

Ensure your application is with us by **5PM Friday 26th November**

Successful candidates will be contacted by **9pm Wednesday 1st December 2021.**





GOOD LUCK!

WE LOOK FORWARD TO RECEIVING YOUR APPLICATION