#### **COISCÉIM DANCE THEATRE**

Founded in 1995, CoisCéim's style of performance is contemporary and vibrant, with a knowing regard for the everyday. Artistic Director David Bolger embraces a selection of dance styles to articulate stories and emotions that are relevant to the landscapes in which we live. The scale of the company's work ranges from duets in a hotel bedroom, *Chamber Made*, to the large scale spectacle *A Dash of Colour* (which was seen by millions on television and involved over 75,000 people for the opening ceremony of the Special Olympics, 2003). Touring, both nationally and internationally is a key part of CoisCéim. The company is a founder member of Dance Travels, a new network to develop audiences in Ireland and beyond. The company also conducts an original and comprehensive artform awareness and participation programme through CoisCéim BROADREACH.

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Ali Curran (chair) I Elma Cusack I Pádraig Heneghan I Garry Hynes Brigid McManus I Cian O'Brien

#### EXECUTIVE

Artistic Director David Bolger I Executive Producer Bridget Webster Broadreach Director Philippa Donnellan I Company Manager Sarah Latty

#### DANCE ANGELS

CoisCéim would like to thank all our Dance Angels: Miranda Arkwright, Gwen Bolger, Mary Boushel, John Comiskey, Paul and Elma Cusack, Margret Finlay, Julian Erskine, Neil Leyden, Martin J Munroe, Cian O'Brien, Madeleine Nesbitt, Gene Rooney, Brigid McManus, Morleigh Steinberg, Jenny Traynor, Tumblehome, Michael & Liz Welsh and all those who wish to remain anonymous. WITH YOUR WINGS WE CAN FLY! Become an Angel today. Call Sarah on 01 878 0558 or email her at info@coisceim.com.

#### **GIFT OF DANCE**

Give the gift of dance - CoisCéim vouchers are available in amounts from €15 for dance classes and more.

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# THE CHOREOGRAPHY PROJECT INTO THE DEEP

### Informal Showings DUBLIN CENTRAL MISSION 5 March 2016 2.30 & 4.00pm





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### THE CHOREOGRAPHY PROJECT INTO THE DEEP

CHOREOGRAPHER PERFORMERS Maria Nilsson Waller Abigail Sines Aenqus O'Hanrahan Aileen Tiernev Bevin Dooley Carly Keegan Carmel Ennis Stella Godmet Ciarán Grav **Claire Rouquette** Gosia Wojciulewicz Hiroyuki Kawamichi Isabel Macedo Lea Weber Maria Bonals **Orlaith Kingston** Ruth Lehane Sarah Kavanagh Sarah-Jane Murphy Sorcha Woods

Music composed by Maria Nilsson Waller

A BIG THANK YOU to Graham Caswell and Dublin Central Mission, CoisCéim Intern Julia Hazel and general assistant Dylan Hyland

#### **CHOREOGRAPHER'S NOTE**

First of all a huge thank you to all the dancers and everyone at CoisCéim - you have been a very generous and an absolutely lovely group to work with.

We started work on INTO THE DEEP six weeks ago. Together we explored the theme of the sea and ocean with everyone contributing their personal reflections of this vast, mysterious, and beautiful domain. Much of the movement material created draws from this treasure trove of inspiring images, stories and impressions which connected us with the big blue. The choreography you will see has largely been generated by the performers through personal investigation and responding to different tasks. We dreamt and fantasised about this other world which is so close to us yet beyond our reach - a world so full of wonder, yet one which appears to reflect our own inner storms and turmoil, and often mirrors our complex changing lives and journeys into the deep unknown. Enjoy.

- Maria Nilsson Waller, March 2016

#### THE CHOREOGRAPHY PROJECT

Now a regular feature of BROADREACH – CoisCéim's participation and engagement programme, it offers people the opportunity to work with professional choreographers in the exploration of contemporary dance theatre. Hugely diverse, each project provides a unique experience of the choreographic process and the varied practices of collaboration. The projects also offer a lively environment for people to meet others with similar interests and to share their passion for creating dance theatre.

### BROADREACH

Established in 2006, BROADREACH is the participation and engagement programme of CoisCéim Dance Theatre. Its activities are pioneering, targeting all sections of the population in an exciting and innovative manner to create a genuine curiosity in dance. Every year BROADREACH gives opportunity for many people to take part in dance classes, workshops, residencies and performance projects.

#### **DANCE WITH US**

CLASSES FOR ADULTS

New Term starts 22 March 2016

- Contemporary Beginners and Intermediate
- NEW! Ballet Fitness for all levels
- Ballet for Beginners and Intermediate

Drop-IN €15 | €10 students | Term fee x 8 classes €110.00

#### AFTERNOON CLASSES FOR PEOPLE AGED 50+

New Term starts 23 March 2016 at the Carmelite Community Centre, Aungier St, Dublin 2 Wednesdays | 2.15pm - 3.45pm | Drop-in €5

#### **CREATIVE STEPS** Young People's Dance Theatre

Dance +Film Project starts 26 June 2016

- Collaborate with other young people in dance and film
- Create choreography for the camera develop film making skills

Project Fee €85



# COMING SOON...

#### INVITATION TO A JOURNEY

A Creative Co-Production between CoisCéim Dance Theatre, Crash Ensemble and Fishamble: The New Play Company. Premiere Summer 2016.

#### **THESE ROOMS**

A creative collaboration between ANU and CoisCéim Dance Theatre. Part of the Arts Council's programme as part of Ireland 2016. Premiere Autumn 2016.

#### THE WOLF AND PETER

By David Bolger. A dance work for everyone aged 6+. ★★★★★ The Irish Times ★★★★ examiner.com Winter 2016.