



Catapult Dance Choreographic Hub





SOUNDS of SILENCE

Thank you to all the Flipsiders engaged in Sounds of Silence. It was tremendous success.

"So remarkable proud tonight to watch my daughter and all of the other fantastically talented kids. What an amazing show."

"It was superb, amazing, breathtaking and thought provoking. A fabulous night. Thank you."

"The show was great. The message was strong and definitely something to think about."

"Loved the work as always. Such a strong and important message and a great opportunity for these young people to explore this through the project."

A site-specific work in partnership with LAKE MACQUARIE GALLERY, including an Aboriginal senior choreographic- program.

In collaboration with: Cadi McCarthy, Sara Black (choreographer), Natasha Rogers & Johnny Brown (Aboriginal choreographers), Zackari Watt & Gambirra (composers) & Ashley de Prazer (multi-media artist), Flipsiders created a series of dance installations focusing on "cyber-isolation", and being in the digital world.

Digital media gives impressions of closeness, instant friends, whilst promoting shallow connections. Cyber-bullying is placing youth at greater risk and isolation.



Education
Public Schools



Propel Choreographic & Multi-Disciplinary Residency #2

Angelyn Diaz, Natasha Rogers & Alysha Fewster

HYSTERIA



MAY 4th & 5th @ 7pm

Catapult Dance Choreographic Hub - 880 Hunter St, Newcastle West

Tickets: \$10 at the Door



Propel Choreographic & Multi-Disciplinary Residency #3

Catapult dance Choreographic Hub
presents

Twelve Tall Trees

Propel Professional Choreographic & Multi-Disciplinary residency program

Omer Backley-Astrachan & Zackari Watt

Newcastle Art Gallery
Hunter Red Launch @ 6pm
Friday 25th May 2018
catapultdance.com.au

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TWELVE TALL TREES
NEWCASTLE ART GALLERY @ 6pm
HUNTER RED - LAUNCH



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IDAN COHEN (ISRAEL)

CATAPULT DANCE is thrilled to present 3 Pieced Swan Op.1 by Israeli opera director and choreographer Idan Cohen, performed by Australian based Israeli dancer and choreographer Omer Backley-Astrachan.

Originally created as a full-length work for three female dancers, Idan Cohen's award-winning Swan Lake is reimagined as a solo piece for a male dancer under the title '3 Pieced Swan Op.1'

Fueled by P.A Tchaikovsky's monumental Swan Lake, Cohen centers the dancer in a turmoil of identity. Through sinuous and demanding physical expressions, Cohen conceived a dichotomic hybrid of man and swan. Premiered in New York in 2009, 3 Pieced Swan Op.1, was performed in Israel, USA, Poland, Brazil and

Korea.

IDAN COHEN is an opera director and choreographer. He holds a BA in Choreography from the [Jerusalem Academy of Music and Dance](#) and an MA in Dance-Choreography. He was born and raised in Israel, Kibbutz Mizra. The socialist community of the Kibbutz had a deep effect on his artistic life and work.

Cohen trained as a classical piano player and was awarded scholarship programs and grants for international master workshops from the age of 8. He went on to receive a scholarship to study theater and fine arts at the Bar Ilan University in Israel's Negev desert and graduated with honors.

Cohen danced for 7 seasons with the world-renowned [Kibbutz Contemporary Dance Company](#) (Founded by Ronit Arnon, Artistic Director Rami Beer). Since 2005, he's been creating, performing and teaching successful contemporary dance works. He is an international award-winning director and dance artist.

Idan is represented by [Momentum Artists](#) based in NYC, and is a member of the [Israeli Choreographers Association](#) and [The Dance Centre](#) based in Vancouver, Canada.



THE FLIPSIDE PROJECT -

FOUND - NEWCASTLE ART GALLERY

Friday 6th July @ 6pm

Free Event

SENIOR INTENSIVE -

July 2nd - 6th

ABORIGINAL SENIOR ABORIGINAL ENSEMBLE

June 18th & 19th , 25th & 26th



DANCE & THE CHILD INTERNATIONAL - WORLD DANCE ALLIANCE
ADELAIDE - JULY 8TH - 13TH



12 Senior Flipsider will be heading to Adelaide in July to perform at the
Dance & the Child International

This week long conference, includes workshops and performances where the Flipsiders will take classes
and network with young people from across the globe. This will be a fun week of meeting new people
get to catch up with our friends: QL2 (Canberra) and Stompin (Tasmania)

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THAT PLACE IN BETWEEN

CIVIC THEATRE, NEWCASTLE

DIRECTED BY CADI McCARTHY

Performers/Collaborators: Omer Backley-Astrachan, Craig Bary, Angelyn Diaz, Allie Graham, Nicholas Jachn

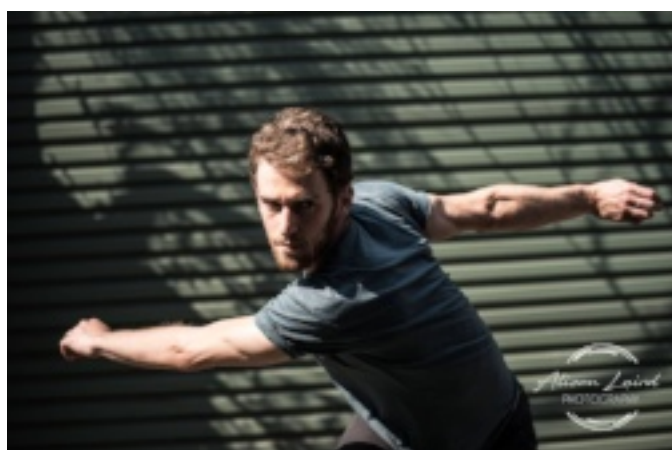
Skip Wilcox, Zackari Watt, Ashley de Prazer, Janne Blayden

OCTOBER 12TH & 13TH

PROFESSIONAL DANCE THEATRE BY OUR OWN CATAPULT FOUNDER AND DIRECTOR:

PLEASE SHOW YOUR SUPPORT

<http://civictheatrenewcastle.com.au/Whats-On/All-Shows?Title=that%20place>



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