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Department of Theatre & Dance
Presents

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2019
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2019-2020 Season!

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Welcome to Afterimages 2019!

As the members of the 2019 Afterimages Directing Team, we are excited to present nine new dances created by UW-Stevens Point emerging student choreographers.

Each year Afterimages is an exciting and unique experience in the Department of Theatre and Dance, allowing students to experiment with their artistry in a safe and collaborative space. The production includes as many first-year, sophomore, junior, and senior dance program students as possible.

Starting in September, 17 student choreographers creating 17 unique works explored their individual styles, choreographic voices, and artistic approaches independent of external criteria. The dances are inspired by the life experiences, philosophies and ideals of each choreographer.

In October, all of the pieces were presented to our faculty and student adjudication panel. The next day, the panel shared their comments, questions, and critiques with the choreographers in our Feed Forward session. This process significantly influences the choreographers and invites them to further clarify their intentions. Following Feed Forward, 6 of the 17 works were selected to be performed the next week in Afterimages Unplugged, a matinee presented in the Noel Fine Arts Center Dance Studio 130.

Afterimages is a shared artistic endeavor that allows for collaboration and contribution from all aspects of our department and focuses on student involvement. The directing team, stage management, choreographers, cast, designers, and crew are all UWSP Theatre and Dance students. The concert is an important opportunity for dancers to explore their full physical expression, and for our student designers to contribute their growing knowledge in costuming, lighting, sound, and scenic design. We sincerely thank the everyone involved for their essential and unique contributions.

We give special thanks to senior dance major Allie Glaser, Afterimages 2019 student adjudicator, for her insightful comments, and to Stage Manager Jamie Fota and Assistant Stage Managers Tyler Dollevoet and Sam Gottfried for their
beautiful attention to detail. We thank the Department of Theatre and Dance faculty and staff: Joan Karlen, Gary Olsen, Jeannie Hill, Cecelia Hill, Kristina Sneshkoff, Sarah E. Ross, and Ann Warren. Without their guidance and investment in student development, Afterimages 2019, and our entire department, would not be the same. Lastly, we thank Michael Estanich, the Afterimages 2019 faculty advisor, for his mentorship, support, and advice throughout the entire process and over many years.

Thank you for supporting UWSP’s Department of Theatre and Dance, the arts, and the joyous performance you are about to see. We hope you enjoy.

The Afterimages 2019 Directing Team,
Megan Carver, Sean Frenzel, Alex Trofka, and Karlee Weiler
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Stage Manager................................................................. Jamie Fota

Assistant Stage Managers.............................. Tyler Dollevoet, Sam Gottfried

Technical Director.......................................................... Ann Warren*

Assistant Scenic/Props Designer................................. Caroline Kauth

Costume/Hair & Makeup Designers......................... Serena Abel, Carolyn Doerr, Anne Dwyer, Emmaline Fitzgerald, Hannah Klingbeil, Amber Micoliczyk, Madeline Waala, Ashley Westerlund, Catherine Yamat

Lighting Designers..................................................... Florence Anderson, Gina Bevilacqua, Edgar Berumen, Garrick Hartley, Evan Johnson, Corey Lahr, Ben Niemczyk, Gary G. Olsen*, Theresa Yonash

Lighting Assistants.......................................................... Edgar Berumen, Mikayla Hoehne

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**when you get where you’re going**

Choreographer............................................................Megan Carver

Dancers.................................................................Megan Carver, Olivia Key

Stage Manager..........................................................Tyler Dollevoet

Costume Designer..................................................Emmaline Fitzgerald

Lighting Designer......................................................Evan Johnson

Music..........................................................“Find My Way Back Home” by Priscilla Ahn, “Beautiful World” by B-E-L-L-S

Program Note: “Someday when you get where you’re going, you will look around and you will know that it was you and the people who love you who put your there.” —Taylor Swift

**Zone**

Choreographer............................................................Sara Johnson

Dancers.................................................................McKenzie Alosi, Natalie Batzko, Madalin Berube, Aaron Deets, Sara Johnson, Alissa Kreuger, Natasha Reorowicz

Stage Manager..........................................................Tyler Dollevoet

Costume Designer..................................................Cat Yamat

Lighting Designer......................................................Gary Olsen

Music..........................................................NASA Recording of the Sun, EDM FX samples, “SCI-FI Computer Screen #2,” “Fine Objects” by Eskamon

Program Note: Zone explores fear, risk, and comfort zones through the lens of alien like creatures who land on a new planet.
**OsMotion**

**Choreographer**.................................................................Joshua Brumm

**Dancers**.................................................................Joshua Brumm, Anastasia Demco, Rylyn Donahue, Maya Rose Dorangrichia, Celeste DuPuis, Megan Jansen, Signe Knutson, Alysa Williams

**Stage Manager**...............................................................Tyler Dollevoet

**Costume Designer**..........................................................Ashley Westerlund

**Lighting Designer**..........................................................Edgar Berumen

**Music**..........................“Thunder Storm Sounds” by Sounds of Nature

**Program Note:** OsMotion is a movement exploration of the similarities between human behavior and characteristics of water.

**Antithesis**

**Choreographer**.................................................................Elena Hausmann

**Dancers**.................................................................McKenzie Alosi, Rachel Blount, Jordan Busse, Anastasia Demco, Bruno Salgado, Alex Trofka, Karlee Weiler

**Stage Manager**...............................................................Sam Gottfried

**Costume Designer**..........................................................Carolyn Doerr

**Lighting Designer**..........................................................Corey Lahr

**Music**...........“Miserere mei, Deus” composed/arranged by Allegri and performed by the Tenebrae Choir, “The So-Called Laws of Nature” Part II and Part III by David Lang performed by So Percussion

**Program Note:** Casting a lamp unto darkness illuminates the contrary path.
**Once Upon a Time**

Choreographer..............................................................................................................Kyra Johnson

Dancers............................................................................................................................Madalin Berube, Joshua Brumm, Sean Frenzel, Izzi Schneider

Stage Manager..................................................................................................................Jamie Fota

Costume Designer.............................................................................................................Madeline Waala

Lighting Designer...............................................................................................................Gina Bevilacqua

Music.................................................................................................................................“Visualizer” by Labrinth

Program Note: Nostalgia brings people together, socially. Embedded nostalgia affects the present. Crippling nostalgia judges the future.

**INTERMISSION**

**The River Sticks**

Choreographer..................................................................................................................Sean Frenzel

Dancers.................................................................................................................................Joshua Brumm, Kirsten Edens, Sean Frenzel, Júlia Garcia, Sara Johnson, Signe Knutson, Izzi Schneider

Stage Manager....................................................................................................................Jamie Fota

Costume Designer.............................................................................................................Hannah Klingbeil

Lighting Designer...............................................................................................................Garrick Hartley

Music.................................................................................................................................“The River” by King Gizzard and the Lizard Wizard

Program Note: A pact between lovers leaves them scared and alone on The River Styx. Their only salvation is Charon – the ferryman of souls – who levies them a gold coin, lest he abandon the newly dead to be corrupted by the murky depths and become one of the vengeful spirits residing there.
**Nokomis: Unquilled Messages**

**Choreographer**..............................Madalin Berube

**Dancers**..............................Madalin Berube, Morgan Chojnacki, Elena Hausmann, Mandy Matthews, Alysa Williams

**Stage Manager**.................................Sam Gottfried

**Costume Designer**............................Serena Abel

**Lighting Designer**.........................Theresa Yonash


**Program Note:** Connecting those who have passed over to the spirit world to the two-leggeds below. Homage to Nokomis (Grandmother): featuring her words, poetry, and memories.

**s p a c e**

**Choreographer**..............................Karlee Weiler

**Dancers**..............................McKenzie Alosi, Breanna Brzezinski, Anastasia Demco, Rachel Karcher, Natalie Madson, Alyssa Puccio, Karlee Weiler, Morgan Wigman

**Stage Manager**.................................Sam Gottfried

**Costume Designer**............................Anne Dwyer

**Lighting Designer**...........................Ben Niemczyk

**Music**........................“Skeletons by Drehz,” “Prism” by Nathan Lanier, “Prison of Decision” by Drehz

**Program Note:** 0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, ... An exploration of the Golden Spiral, based on the Fibonacci number sequence, through time, space, accumulation, and movement.
Perception

Choreographer ............................................................. Rachel Karcher

Rehearsal Assistant .................................................... Jessica Pyle

Dancers ................................................................. Megan Carver, Anna Gordon, Katie McAdam

Stage Manager ............................................................ Jamie Fota

Costume Designer ..................................................... Amber Micoliczyk

Lighting Designer ....................................................... Florence Anderson

Music ................................................................. “Heim (Four Tet Remix)” by Four Tet and Pole

Program Note: “It’s not what you look at that matters, it’s what you see.”—Henry David Thoreau
Meet the Company

Abel, Serena *(Costume Designer)* Senior BFA Design and Technology major from Oconomowoc, WI.

Alosi, McKenzie *(Dancer)* Senior BA Dance and BA Drama major from Green Bay, WI. Recipient of the Kathryn Bukolt Memorial Dance Scholarship.

Anderson, Florence *(Lighting Designer)* Freshman BA Drama major from Shell Lake, WI.

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Berube, Madalin *(Dancer/Choreographer)* Senior BA Dance and BA Studio Arts major from Pelican Rapids, MN.

Berumen, Edgar *(Lighting Designer)* Freshman Design and Technology major from Green Bay, WI. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Scholarship in Design and Technology.

Bevilacqua, Gina *(Lighting Designer)* Junior BA Drama major from Franklin, WI.

Blount, Rachel *(Dancer)* Junior BFA Musical Theatre major and Dance minor from Albuquerque, NM. Recipient of the Pointer Payback Scholarship.

Brumm, Joshua *(Dancer/Choreographer)* Senior BA Dance major and Communications minor from Genoa City, WI. Recipient of the Kathryn Bukolt Memorial Dance Scholarship.

Brzezinski, Breanna *(Dancer)* Senior BA Dance and BS Psychology major from Evansville, WI. Recipient of the Kathryn Bukolt Memorial Dance Scholarship.

Busse, Jordan *(Dancer)* Sophomore BA Dance major from Green Bay, WI.

Carver, Megan *(Director/Dancer/Choreographer)* Senior BA Dance and BS Business Administration major from Victoria, MN. Recipient of the Anne Gilfry Schierl Fine Arts Award in Dance.

Chojnacki, Morgan *(Dancer)* Senior BA Dance major from Stevens Point, WI.
Meet the Company

Deets, Aaron (Dancer) Junior BFA Musical Theatre major and Dance minor from Maple Grove, MN.

Demco, Anastasia (Dancer) Senior BA Dance and BS Pre-Physical Therapy major from Walworth, WI.

Doerr, Carolyn (Costume Designer) Junior BFA Design and Technology major from Eagle River, WI. Recipient of the Anne Gilfry Schierl Fine Arts Award for Design/Technology.

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Dorangrichia, Maya Rose (Dancer) Freshman BA Dance major from South Milwaukee, WI. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Scholarship in Dance.

DuPuis, Celeste (Dancer) Senior BA Dance major from Mosinee, WI.

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Edens, Kirsten (Dancer) Junior BS Business Administration major and Dance and Communications minor from Waukesha, WI. Recipient of the Pointer Payback Scholarship.

Fota, Jamie (Stage Manager) Senior BA Drama and BA Media Studies major and Creative Writing minor from Wisconsin Rapids, WI.

Fitzgerald, Emmaline (Costume Designer) Sophomore BFA Design and Technology major from Madison, WI.

Frenzel, Sean (Director/Dancer/Choreographer) Senior BA Dance and Arts Management major and Communication minor from Arlington Heights, IL. Recipient of the Kathryn Bukolt Memorial Dance Scholarship.

Garcia, Júlia (Dancer) Sophomore BFA Musical Theatre major from Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
Meet the Company

Gordon, Anna *(Dancer)* Freshman BA Dance and Arts Management major from Savage, MN. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Scholarship in Dance.

Gottfried, Sam *(Assistant Stage Manager)* Freshman BFA Design and Technology major from Green Bay, WI.

Gross, Graeme *(Sound Designer/Engineer)* Freshman BFA Design and Technology major from Waterford, WI. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Scholarship in Design and Technology.

Hartley, Garrick *(Lighting Designer)* Freshman BFA Design and Technology major from Sauk City, WI.

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Johnson, Kyra *(Choreographer)* Senior BA Dance and BS Psychology major from Sun Prairie, WI.

Johnson, Sara *(Dancer/Choreographer)* Senior BA Dance major from Norwood, MN. Recipient of the Kathryn Bukolt Memorial Dance Scholarship.

Karcher, Rachel *(Dancer and Choreographer)* Senior BA Dance and Arts Management major and Business minor from Stevens Point, WI.

Kauth, Caroline *(Assistant Scenic/Props Designer)* Freshman BFA Design and Technology major from Clintonville, WI.
Meet the Company

**Key, Olivia** (*Dancer*) Sophomore BA Dance and BS Special Education major from West Salem, WI.

**Klingbeil, Hannah** (*Costume Designer*) Junior BFA Design and Technology and BA Philosophy major from Reedsburg, WI.

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**Madson, Natalie** (*Dancer*) Junior BS Elementary Education major and Dance minor from Sheboygan, WI.

**Matthews, Mandy** (*Dancer*) Freshman BA Dance major from Junction City, WI. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Scholarship in Dance.

**McAdam, Katie** (*Dancer*) Senior BA Dance and BS Psychology major from Singapore, Singapore.

**Micoliczyk, Amber** (*Costume Designer*) Junior BFA Design and Technology major and Arts Management minor from from Grafton, WI.

**Moyers, Abigail** (*Wardrobe Supervisor*) Sophomore BFA Musical Theatre major from Plainfield, IN.

**Niemczyk, Ben** (*Lighting Designer*) Freshman BFA Design and Technology major from Hartland, WI.

**Puccio, Alyssa** (*Dancer*) Sophomore BA Dance and BS Health Promotion and Wellness major from Cottage Grove, WI.

**Pyle, Jessica** (*Rehearsal Assistant*) Sophomore BA Dance and BS Elementary Education major from Appleton, WI.

**Reorowicz, Natasha** (*Dancer*) Freshman BA Dance major from Wausau, WI.

**Salgado, Bruno** (*Dancer*) Sophomore BA Dance major and Business minor from Wheeling, IL. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Scholarship in Dance.
Meet the Company

Schneider, Isabel *(Dancer)* Freshman BA Dance major and Spanish minor from Waukesha, WI. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Scholarship in Dance.

Trofka, Alex *(Director/Dancer)* Junior BA Dance major from Berlin, WI. Recipient of the Theatre Arts Scholarship in Dance.

Waala, Madeline *(Costume Designer)* Senior BA Drama and Communication-Media Studies major from West Bend, WI. Recipient of the Leland Burroughs Scholarship.

Weiler, Karlee *(Director/Dancer/Choreographer)* Junior BA Dance major from Wisconsin Rapids, WI. Recipient of the Kathryn Bukolt Memorial Dance Scholarship.

Westerlund, Ashley *(Costume Designer)* Senior BFA Design and Technology major and History minor from Lake Geneva, WI.

Wigman, Morgan *(Dancer)* Freshman BA Dance and BS Elementary Education major from Green Bay, WI.
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