

Participate in Dance Creation in Progress: The House

“The work of art shows people new directions and thinks of the future. The house thinks of the present.”

Adolf Loos

February 25, 2008, Ottawa ON – In their daily work routines, Le Groupe Dance Lab’s interpreters will do just about anything it takes to ensure that visiting choreographers feel right at home during their creative processes. Now, the tables are turned and The Dance Lab’s studio becomes an open house for its dancers own choreographic constructions. This spring, dancers Nathan Yaffe, Josh Martin, Alanna Kraaijeveld and Marie Claire Forté will renovate *The House* and create four new dance works in four weeks under the same roof. With each artist exploring different themes including constraint, exposure, video, and voyeurism, *The House* is potentially the most eccentric family reunion imaginable!

THE HOUSE - Featuring new work by The Dance Lab’s own:

Marie Claire Forté -Dancing and creating at Le Groupe Dance Lab since January 2004, Marie Claire focuses on minutiae, space and solitude in her artistic expression.

Nathan Yaffe - Nathan has worked in New York City with artists such as Kate Hilliard, Corrine Donly, Ofelia Loret de Mola, and Kate Hutter. He joined Le Groupe Dance Lab in 2007.

Josh Martin - With his eclectic dance background, Josh has performed in theatres, in clubs, on stages, in streets, with recording artist tours, on film and in television.

Alanna Kraaijeveld- This is Alanna's fourth season at Le Groupe Dance Lab. She has an interest in multidisciplinary work and has helped develop and participated in video projects for numerous dance artists.

Le Groupe Dance Lab’s Studio A

March 14 and 15 at 7pm

Tickets: \$20 / \$15 for Students and Seniors

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