

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING PROGRAM FOR TAP DANCERS 2019-2020

3 levels: intermediate, intermediate/advanced and advanced

This nine-month Program is designed for Tap students that aim to acquire all the necessary skills and knowledge in order to dance professionally. The main goal of this Program is to help students to become a professional dancer, choreographer and improviser, including them to dance in a professional company.

Guillem Alonso (creator of this Program and Director of Escola Luthier de Dansa) has been one of the main forerunners of Tap Dance in Barcelona. He has been training professional dancers of various generations in the last twenty five years. For this Program he has chosen teachers, choreographers and educators with years of educational and performing experience.

The coming Professional Tap Training Program will run from October 1st 2019 to June 26th 2020. The classes are from Monday to Friday 4 hours a day in the mornings (int/adv & adv levels) and 3 hours a day in the afternoon (int level). The students will learn technique, repertoire/standards and improvisation as well as gaining an understanding of various styles taught by different teachers. The students will also take complementary classes like Jazz-Dance, Ballet, Music, Body Percussion, Lindy Hop, sound and lights, Acting, Tap History or Anatomy, among others. The Tap teachers of our program are Guillem Alonso, Roser Font, Sharon Lavi, Laia Molins, Maria Bossy, Rubén Pérez, Rubén Sánchez, Estefanía Porqueras, ... International guest teachers will also be invited. Guest teachers in the past Programs: Michelle Dorrance, Nicholas Young, Chris Matallo, Susan Hebach, Josh Hilberman, Mark Mendonca, Mark Yonally, Jessie Sawyers, Heather Cornell, Andrew Nemr, Jason Janas, Carfier Williams, Max Pollak, Avalon Rathgeb, Thomas Wadelton, Sebastian Weber, Laurent Bortolotti, Hillary-Marie, Steven Harper and Kurt & Klaus.

We strive to encourage from day one the experience of dancing in professional shows and companies. For this reason, the advanced students in this Program will be given the opportunity to dance in shows under the auspices of the Program and attend regular Tap jams. After completing the Professional Training Program, the student will receive a Certificate from Escola Luthier that accredits the training hours and acquired knowledge.

CONTENTS AND STUDIED SUBJECTS

The **Intermediate/Advanced and Advanced Program's** alumni will have 20 hours of weekly classes as follow:

- 11,5h Tap
- 1,5h Jazz dance
- 1,5h Ballet
- 2,5h Complementary subjects
- 3h Music
- +individual practice + group rehearsals

The **Intermediate Program's** alumni will have 15 hours of weekly classes as follow:

- 10,5h Tap
- 1,5h Body Percussion
- 1,5h Ballet
- 1,5h Jazz dance
- +individual practice + group rehearsals

Free Spanish and Gospel classes for both programs.

**The Center reserves the right to change the order, level and contents of the Program in accordance with teacher's criteria in benefit of the students.*

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Advanced appliers must have an advanced Tap level and/or a regular Tap dance training record of minimum 6 years.

Intermediate appliers must have a regular Tap dance training record of minimum 3 years aprox. The school will take into consideration the applier's Tap studies as well as any documentation attached (registration form + video).

Students must have their own medical insurance

** First week of classes will serve as an acquaintance period. In case Program teachers realize during this time that the student does not have the required level for class, the Center will assess the student in building an equivalent and alternative level program.*

Last date for registration to the 2019-2020 Program is July 6th 2019. Please, make sure your registration form arrives to the school office on time as we cannot guarantee last minute availability of places.

PRICES 2019-2020

Intermediate/advanced & Advanced level (20h a week during 9 months)

(Yearly tuition: **3.690€** + Registration fee: **59€***)

*Non-refundable under any circumstances

A) If you pay by trimester:

Total **3.749€** (3.690€ + 59€ registration fee). Per trimester: **1.230€** (410€ per month)

-Before July 6th, 2019: **674€** (59€ registration fee + 615€ 1st half of 1st trimester)

-Before September 28th, 2019: **615€** (2nd half of 1st trimester)

-During the first 10 days of December 2019: **1.230€** (2nd trimester)

-During the first 10 days of March 2020: **1.230€** (3rd trimester)

B) If you pay the entire course at once (with 7% discount):

Total **3.490,70€** (3.431,70€ + 59€ registration fee). 7% discount already applied: you save 258,30€.

-1st payment before July 6th, 2019: **674€** (59€ registration fee + 615€ 1st half of 1st trimester)

-2nd payment before September 28th, 2019: **2.816,70€** (rest of the course)

Any regular extra classes out of the Program for 2€/hour (if the student follows the group regularly)

Intermediate level (15h a week during 9 months)

(Yearly tuition: **3.060€** + Registration fee: **59€***)

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A) If you pay by trimester:

Total **3.119€** (3.060€ + 59€ registration fee). Per trimester: **1.020€** (340€ per month)

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-During the first 10 days of December 2019: **1.020€** (2nd trimester)

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B) If you pay the entire course at once (with 7% discount):

Total **2.904,80€** (2.845,80€ + 59€ registration fee). Pay for the entire course and get **7% discount** (-214,20€)

-1st payment before July 6th, 2019: **569€** (59€ inscription + 510€ 1st half of 1st trimester)

-2nd payment before September 28th, 2019: **2.335,80€** (rest of the course)

Notice: No refund will be made once the trimester has been paid, except in special cases of illness or force majeure and only under criteria of school's administration.

Students must attend minimum 80% of the classes in order to obtain the final certificate.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ's)

- Is there any working exchange program for alumni ?

We don't have any working program exchanges. Nevertheless, during the year, the school can come to a one-time agreement with a student to cover specific activities.

- Which is the language used by teachers in class?

All the teachers of the Program can speak Catalan, Spanish and English, depending on nationalities of the students. We also offer free basic Spanish lessons for foreign students during the first 3 months of the Program.

- Does the school offer any housing facilities?

No, we don't offer this service. But we can put students in touch in order to find an apartment together.

We also have local students or teachers who share their flats. In this case, we'll send contact emails privately.

The most common site is idealista.com.

- Is there any document I can obtain in order to get a student Visa? (For non E.U. members)

Yes. Once the student fills out the registration form and sends an academic CV, the school can send a certificate of admission with specific dates, hours and Program price.

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● Welcome meeting: ●
● September 30th at 12pm ●
● With students and teachers ●
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● Final performance: ●
● Saturday, June 27th ●
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PROFESSIONAL TAP TRAINING PROGRAM

Advanced level Int/adv. level (please tick)

REGISTRATION FORM 2019-2020 (October - June)

PRICES

- Registration fee: 59€ *
- Yearly tuition: 3.690€

**Registration won't be refunded under any circumstance*

PAYMENT

A) By trimesters:

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Special offer for Advanced Training Program students: Any regular extra classes out of the Program for 2€/hour (if the student follows the group regularly)

Payment options

- a) In cash at school office
- b) Money transfer to bank account number: **BARCELONA GUITAR GALLERY, S.L.**
IBAN: ES75 0049 3078 3622 1413 0846
BIC/SWIFT: BSCHEMXX
BANCO SANTANDER
Calle Aragó, 223
08007 Barcelona

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REGISTRATION AND RESERVATION

Payment option chosen (please, circle): *Entire course* / *Per trimester*

Name:

Surname:

Date and place of birth:

Address:

Zip code city and country:

E-mail:

Phone:

DNI/Passport number:

For how many years, where and with whom did you study Tap?

Which other dance styles have you studied?

Do you have any Music studies?

Please describe your main goals and interests as a Tap dancer

**Besides answering the above questions, please send by email your academic CV and a 3 minute long performance/rehearsal video to dansa@luthierdansa.com (Eva).
If you have this information available online you are welcomed to send us access links.**

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Student signature:

Barcelona,

2019

GENERAL RULES

- Students should be careful with **school facilities**.
- Students should leave the space **clean and tidy** after its use.
- **Smoking** is not allowed. Students are advised **not to eat** inside the class.
- It's recommended not to wear any jewelery, watches or earrings when in class. It can be dangerous for you and your classmates.
- **In the classroom:** **Don't come inside if the teacher is not there.**
You should wear specific shoes/socks.
You can bring a towell and a bottle of water inside.
The use of electronic devices or mobile phones is forbidden.

The school is not responsible for damage, loss or theft of any personal objects.

The school is not responsible of any injuries that may affect students in our facilities. Students must have their own valid medical insurance.

- Possibility of **retaking lost classes is excluded** in case of reasons beyond our control. Students will only regain classes if the teacher hasn't been able to give them and the school was not able to find a substitute.
- The payment of the Professional Training Program should be made **according to our registration terms, which are stated in this registration form.**
- Student who wants to unsubscribe must communicate this by **WRITTEN notice to the school**. If not, the student will have to pay the regular trimester.
- **Students that are not from the European Union (E.U.) are advised to have their own medical insurance up to date.**
- Right of admission reserved.
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Intermediate level

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