

TOURING
Ballet
NEBRASKA
2011-2012



Momentum

Come see what moves us! This appealing mixed-repertory program offers a diverse collection of short dance works in a variety of styles, making it both an ideal introduction to ballet for first-timers and a fascinating showcase for experienced dancegoers.

Each season's *Momentum* program brings a new blend of programming, ranging from classic works to new creations by both recognized and emerging choreographers. For our 2011-12 season, *Momentum* will be headlined by two featured works:

***DanceSport*:** Created by nationally-renowned choreographer and showman Harrison McElDowney, *DanceSport* is a riotously witty look at the intersection between competitive sports and professional dance, complete with hilarious play-by-play commentary!

***Cleopatra*:** Inspired by Joslyn Art Museum's exquisite collection of ancient art, Erika Overturff's new ballet gives a dramatic glimpse into the life of one of history's most compelling and intriguing personalities: Cleopatra, the last ruler of classical Egypt. Famous both for her beauty and her political adeptness, this central figure in a star-crossed clash of empires makes a fascinating subject for Overturff's interpretive skill.

And more... *Momentum* also will include additional works yet to be selected, expertly combined into a lively and intriguing program that will entertain, enlighten, and fascinate your audience.

For an online version of this guide, including a highlight video and more production photos, visit: balletnebraska.org/tour2011/momentum/

About rates:

Rates for Ballet Nebraska touring productions typically range from approximately \$5,500 to \$12,000, depending on the production you choose, number of performances, optional services selected, dates, distance, etc. These charges are normally structured as a fee plus percentage of admissions.

We are committed to bringing professional dance to as wide an audience as possible. If your group is interested in presenting Ballet Nebraska but is not sure it's within your budget, **please contact us anyway!** We are eager to work with you to find flexible, creative solutions to your programming needs.

Presenter Factsheet

Availability dates:

- March/April 2012
(inquire for specific dates)

Technical requirements summary (see tech rider for complete details):

- Proscenium stage with fly space
- Professional lighting equipment
- Professional sound equipment

Optional extra services available (rates to be negotiated as part of your total presenter investment):

- **School performances** – Partner with educators in your area to bring students to daytime performances specially adapted to school needs and schedules. A school performance is a great way to build families' interest in seeing the full production!
- **Workshops** – Ballet Nebraska's professional artistic staff can conduct workshops tailored to the needs and interests of your constituencies.