

AUDITION IT-DANSA Frequently Asked Questions

Question	Answer	More information
What is IT Dansa?	<p>IT Dansa is a young dance company formed by eighteen dancers/ grant holders selected by a public audition as part of the postgraduate dance course of the Institut del Teatre.</p> <p>The aim of the course is to attain technical and artistic excellence in the dance field. It will lead, with the collaboration of guest choreographers, to the production of high-standard shows to be presented as a young dance company on the theatre circuit.</p>	<p>www.institutdelteatre.cat</p> <p><u>General Rules of the postgraduate course</u></p>
How can I be part of IT Dansa?	<p>IT Dansa doesn't accept internship students. Once a year, IT Dansa makes an audition to fill several positions from September. The public announcement is during March and the audition normally takes place on May. The information is published on the website of Institut del Teatre and sent by mail to dance schools and dancers who have shown interest in participating in the audition during the year.</p>	Public announcement
What will the audition consist of?	<p>The audition will consist of eliminary tests of classical ballet, contemporary dance, repertoire and performance (in this order), and an interview with the finalist candidates. All the admitted candidates will receive an email with detailed information before the audition.</p>	Planning
Will I have to prepare a choreography?	<p>No, you don't need to prepare choreography. You will only have to follow the directions of the assessment committee.</p>	
How long will the audition take?	<p>Should you pass the tests, breaks included, the audition may last the whole day (from 10:00 to 20:00)</p>	
In case that audition will last two days, can I come to the audition the second day?	<p>No. These are eliminary tests. Should the audition last two days the candidates that have passed the tests on Saturday will do the rest of the tests on Sunday.</p>	
Which is the language of the audition?	<p>Spanish and English. We also speak French.</p>	

What qualification must I have?	All candidates must have a solid basis of classical ballet and knowledge of contemporary dance. A professional qualification in dance , equivalent to the qualification of the Professional Dance Conservatory of the Institut del Teatre, is required .	Audition advertisement <u>General Rules of the postgraduate course</u>
I am in the last year of my studies. Can I do the audition?	Yes, provided that you certify it by means of an official letter of the institution where you are studying.	
What is the minimum and maximum age to do the audition?	17 years minimum and 23 years maximum when submitting the application.	<u>General Rules of the postgraduate course</u>
Is the audition for male and female dancers?	Yes, this audition is for male and female dancers .	
I cannot come the day of the audition. Can I come another day?	No. The audition will take place only the day or days of the public announcement.	
Can I have a private audition?	No.	BOPB Announcement
What do I have to do to apply?	You have to fill out the application form available on our website, and send it together with the requested documents : a certifying document of the required qualification, photocopy of your ID or passport, and an academic and professional CV.	<u>General Rules of the postgraduate course</u>
Where do I have to submit the application?	To the Registry of the Institut del Teatre (Plaça Margarida Xirgu, s/n, 08004 Barcelona). You can also send it by post or by email to the following address: it.dansa@institutdelteatre.cat	<u>General Rules of the postgraduate course</u>
What is the deadline to submit the application?	Applications must be submitted before the deadline of the public announcement at 14:00. NO APPLICATION WILL BE CONSIDERED AFTER THE DEADLINE	BOPB Announcement
Do I have to pay to submit the application?	No. Both the application and the audition are free of charge.	
I have not submitted the application. Can I come and do the audition?	No. In order to do the audition you must submit the application together with the requested documents by the deadline.	BOPB Announcement

Can I do the audition if I do not have express evidence of having been admitted?	No. In order to do the audition you must have express evidence of having been admitted (you will be get a confirmation in your email address).	
Do I need to wear dance shoes or special clothing?	Yes. Only ballet shoes , not pointe shoes. The candidates will have access to the dressing rooms to change clothes.	
Can I come to the audition with a companion?	No. The day of the audition only the admitted candidates, together with the assessment committee and the organization team, will have access to the facilities of the Institut del Teatre.	
Where is located the Institut del Teatre?	The address is: Plaza Margarida Xirgu, s/n - 08004 Barcelona	Map
Will I receive a salary and have a contract if I am selected to enter the company?	No. The selected candidates are grant holders . Once they have enrolled the official dancers will get a grant during the time they remain in the company. Given the educational and professional improvement nature of the course the fact that the students are grant holders does not imply employment relationship. Graduate students that do a placement will get no grant, only the proportional part in case of substitution of an official dancer.	General Rules of the postgraduate course