

The Dancing Brain

'Dance Movement Therapy and Its Contributions to Neurocognitive Health'

October 2nd - 3rd, 2021

The Dutch Association for Dance Therapy is happy to present you the program of their international symposium: 'The Dancing Brain'. A symposium in association with the Dutch Dance Days festival. During the first weekend of October, the city of Maastricht will be all about Dance (Therapy). All activities down below will take place at Kumulus Maastricht¹.

This event is a source of knowledge about Dance Therapy in relation to Neurocognitive Health. The program is filled with interactive workshops and interesting presentations, by both national and international dance therapists, neuropsychologists and professors.



Click here for more information, content and updates about the symposium: <https://nvdat.vaktherapie.nl/the-dancing-brain>

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Program:

Saturday October 2nd, 2021

10.00 am – **Keynote**

1.00 pm **Dr. Beatrice Allegranti**, UKCP Reg. Dance Movement Psychotherapist MA, PhD, Choreographer, Filmmaker
'Moving Kinship with the More-than-Human. Working with the entanglements of choreography, affect and the brain.'

Workshop 1

Astrid Struijk & Katharina Conradi
'Total body integration through Bartenieff Fundamentals as a tool in recovery from motor impairments caused by Acquired Brain Injury.'

Workshop 2

Dr. Beatrice Allegranti
Moving Kinship Workshop
'Introduction of the *Moving Kinship* methodology through embodied practices including Dance Movement Psychotherapy, trauma-focused psychotherapy and neuroscience.'

2.15 pm – **Keynote**

5.00 pm **Univ.-Prof. Dr. med. Hedda Lausberg**; Neurologist, Specialist in Psychosomatic Medicine and Psychotherapy, Psychiatrist
'Presenting BAST System, a diagnostic tool for the analysis of movement behaviour.'

Workshop 3

Dr. Rebecca Barnstaple
'Movement Lab: A guided exploration of emerging research in neuroscience and dance.'

Workshop 4

Regina Magnus & Inge Oosterveld
'Movement profile and dance therapeutic interventions with clients suffering from Korsakov Syndrome.'

Sunday October 3rd, 2021

10.00 am – **Keynote**

1.00 pm **Prof. dr. Susan van Hooren**, Neuropsychologist, Endowed professor in Arts therapies and full Professor in Clinical psychology
'The neuropsychology of expressive body movement: Moving to a stronger evidence base for dance movement theory with neuroscience?'

Workshop 5

Regina Magnus & Marie Louise Gilcher
'How the perception and experience of 'space' differs in clients with Dementia, Korsakov Syndrome and Acquired Brain Injury.'

Workshop 6

Prof. Dr. Hedda Lausberg
'The BAST© Diagnostics comprise a movement diagnostic test, rating scales for the assessment of body movement and a questionnaire for the self-assessment of one's movement behaviour.'

¹ Kumulus Maastricht: Sint Maartenspoort 2 - 6221BA Maastricht