

Class + Teacher Bios

Name	Class	Description	Teacher bio
Elena Sereiviene	How to make my life more like Dance Camp?	Join us for an informal discussion to explore how you can simplify your life to make space for things that truly matter. We will discuss minimalism and non-consumerism as well as practical strategies that will help you reduce stress, lower your environmental impact and save money.	Elena Sereiviene is a passionate environmental educator, who lives a zero-waste and minimalist lifestyle. Her life philosophy is based on love and respect for nature. She enjoys helping others make simple changes that enrich their lives. Elena is also an ecstatic dance facilitator at Dance Freedom.
Gabrielli LaChiara	Channeled Knowing	Join a journey into the mystical, energetic realms of our Divine Beings with a channeling from Kwan Yin. Explore how to cleanse, and restore our energies amid these turbulent times in our country. Personal questions are welcome and add a powerful dimension to the healing.	Gabrielli LaChiara has been facilitating intuitive healing for almost 30 years with individuals, groups, families, and educational settings. She inspires to awaken and heal the healers. She's developed a healing modality called Infinity Healing. Gabrielli is known to bring a spark of life, magic and joy to everything she does.
Ron Halbright	Racism affects friendships: we can do better	Our friendships are influenced and challenged by the institutional race oppression around and within us. Some try to live outside its oppressive influences. Too many maintain its destructive patterns. Most avoid understanding or opposing it. Let's work together to learn about and clean up its influence on our relationships.	Curtis and Ron led workshops on racism at camp in 2017/2018/2019 and a forum 2019. Ron has worked on racism and justice in Switzerland for more than 20 years. Curtis has experienced racism all his life and has worked with oppressive institutions since 1970 and in peacable schools and DNE.
Funmi Chesney	Congolese Dance 101	Go deeper into your core and connect with your body with the healing movements of Congolese Dance. It's called the "medicine dance" for a reason. Congolese dance offers therapeutic properties, it opens your heart, body and soul. Congolese dance is the root of many dances we see today.	Funmilayo Chesney is a veteran Quadruple Threat performing artist who is a dancer, choreographer and Artistic Director of Fusha Dance Company located in New York City; a drummer who teaches ongoing classes in NYC; a singer in the process of releasing her first Album and an actress.
Tara Murphy	Beginning West African Dance	With great recorded African music, contemporary and traditional. This dance will get your blood pumping and your heart soaring....feel the rhythms and shake what you got! Participants will learn basic styles of West African dance and a traditional dance from Mali or Guinea. The class emphasizes joy and healing.	Tara has studied with many African master dancers for 25 years, in both West Africa and America. Tara recognizes the practice of African dance and drumming as a tremendous force for healing, meditation, empowerment and community. It is her greatest honor to share the inspiration of these ancient traditions.
Chaya Aronson	Improvisational Bellydance	Through the use of movement and sound cues, we will learn and practice the art of improvisational bellydance. By the end of the class, even if you have had no prior bellydance experience, all of us will be dancing together as a unified whole, with grace and joy.	Chaya Leia Aronson, RN BSN is a bodyworker, health and sexuality coach, dancer and mother. Her passion is to support pelvic and abdominal health and healing, through bodywork, dance and empowerment to express ourselves authentically.
Alice Heller	Nia- a multi-sensory journey	Nia : a structured somatic technique integrating dance, martial arts & healing arts. Calling on sensation to guide your movements & providing a physical emotional spiritual & grounding experience to foster a community mindset while celebrating our bodies' way. Its creative structure allows all levels of movers to participate.	Alice Heller a Nia Brown Belt, has danced since childhood and has been a student in all forms of dance: from jazz, creative movement, African dance & Nia. Besides Nia, she teaches music and movement to young children & regular African dance classes to teens and adults. www.alicehellerdance.com
Ariela Grodner	Thai Massage	Enjoy a wonderful Thai Massage with the partner you show up with in the comfort of your home. Allow Ariela to guide you through one move to another and enjoy the unique quality of Thai Massage. learn skills to take care of your loved ones that will last with you.	Ariela Grodner has been teaching Yoga for 30 years and Thai Massage for 18. She has currently developed online courses to continue sharing her love of ancient medicine. Ariela has written 9 books on the subject and has devoted her life to sharing skills needed in difficult times.
Ariela Grodner	Yoga and Self Care	In this class we will learn how to quiet the mind, regulate the breath and practice joint mobilization with self massage. We will scan the body and work according to our individual needs. This class will remind us that all is ok and we have the power to heal ourselves.	Ariela Grodner has been teaching Yoga for 30 years and Thai Massage for 18. She has currently developed online courses to continue sharing her love of ancient medicine. Ariela has written 9 books on the subject and has devoted her life to sharing skills needed in difficult times.
Chandra Cantor	Mindful Flow Yoga	Chandra will offer a time to slow down, get in your body, and move in ways that work for you. Class will start and end gently, with some nice flowing movements in the middle. Come with the body you have and any props you can gather from around the house.	Chandra has had a lifelong involvement in Dance, Yoga and the Movement Arts. She has been a full time Yoga teacher for over 23 years and currently teaches in the Northampton and Boston areas as well as leading Retreats internationally. Her focus is on teaching embodiment, mindfulness and self-love.
Daniel Orlansky	Yoga of Energy Flow: Cultivating Radiance	Drawing from Kundalini Yoga, Meridian Yoga, and Kali Ray TriYoga, Yoga of Energy Flow is a unique yoga method. We will work with pranayama, vinyasa, asana, and Qi Gong, to experience simple but powerful ways to increase and balance the flow of pranic energy through our body, mind, and spirit.	Daniel Orlansky, a yoga teacher since 1992, is certified in Jnana Yoga, Kali Ray TriYoga and Kundalini Yoga, and is the originator of Meridian Yoga. A graduate of the Boston Shiatsu School, Daniel teaches at the Kripalu Center, the Omega Institute, and in Europe, and directs yoga teacher trainings worldwide.
Patrick Crowley	Gentle Yoga	Gentle Yoga is a practice in nourishment - integrating yoga, somatics, principles of Body-Mind Centering®, qigong, and subtle movement. Enter a 'healing hut' of sensation, breath, release to the earth, natural alignment, embodied philosophy and paradigm shifting, nourishing the tissues and systems of the body with eternal, spacious consciousness.	Patrick Crowley has been a yogi since 1982. Having trained in Hatha, Kundalini, and Iyengar yoga, his most influential teachers include Nirinjin Kaur Khalsa and Angela Farmer. Patrick brings philosophical and somatic perspectives based in the Yoga Sūtras of Patañjali, Body-Mind Centering® and Taoism.
Aaron Brandes	CI: out of the screen and into our environment	BRANDO holds a M.ed and loves the art of crafting thoughtful class curriculum. He teaches dance internationally and created an annual artist residency for the focused research of CI. In the lineage of Ida Rolf, Brando is a certified Structural Integration practitioner and trained with the renowned anatomist Tom Myers.	BRANDO holds a M.ed and loves the art of crafting thoughtful class curriculum. He teaches dance internationally and created an annual artist residency for the focused research of CI. In the lineage of Ida Rolf, Brando is a certified Structural Integration practitioner and trained with the renowned anatomist Tom Myers.
Aaron Brandes	See and Be Seen	Through facilitating within the zoom format, I have noticed the deeply felt collective craving to continue to see and be seen. With this in mind, I have designed a three-phase score that embraces a presence of witnessing and moving akin to the deeply felt states within Authentic Movement.	BRANDO holds a M.ed and loves the art of crafting thoughtful class curriculum. He teaches dance internationally and created an annual artist residency for the focused research of CI. In the lineage of Ida Rolf, Brando is a certified Structural Integration practitioner and trained with the renowned anatomist Tom Myers.
Moti Zemelman	ABCD(Another BadAss Corona Dance) Virtual CI	In this atmosphere of radical changes we can either dwell on fear/isolation or double down on love/resilience/gratitude & connection! Let's choose the latter! Come dance to release/regulate & experience-joy-together! Since many will be solo we'll focus on C.I.-skills for dancing with the floor, furniture and virtual dancers as our partners.	Moti began practicing CI 32 years ago. For 25 years he has taught internationally. Desiring to integrate communication/intimacy skills in life and teaching he has studied NVC, Tantra, Butoh, BDSM, Byron Katie and most recently Betty Martin's "Wheel of Consent." Moti also directs Touch&Play festival at Earthdance and hosts www.contactimprov.com
Michele Feldheim	moving from our cells and fluids- an explorat	in this class we will learn how to access cellular and fluid movement and then combining them to help create effortless and enjoyable movement that is both intuitive and structured. Open to all levels, come and learn how to free up your muscles and move intuitively from a fluid body.	Michele Feldheim's passion is working with somatics is in teaching people how to connect body and mind, mind to body, discovering in what way are they synced up and how are they working together. Getting more familiar with these two essential aspects of being alive is what facilitates personal growth.
Margaux Skalecki	TRINITY Dance Tantric Shamanic Rhythm Ride	TRINITY: The Dance-Tantric-Shamanic Rhythm Ride, embodies the ancient practices which have guided humans for centuries into the medicine of deeper knowledge of inspiration, healing, transformation, and crucial information from the seen and unseen worlds. We are being called to travel on these ancient paths.	Margaux A. Skalecki BFA Dance Boston Conservatory. MA Expressive Therapy-Healing & Performance Education is an Accredited "Sweat Your Prayers", WAVES & HEARTBEAT 5 Rhythm's Ecstatic Meditative Movement Practice (R) teacher. She is your spirited DJ and weaving waves of music and offering the Maps to Ecstasy since 1997.
Paula Josa-Jones	Authentic Movement: Finding the Body's Voice	Authentic Movement is a meditative, intuitive, improvisational movement practice involving a mover and a witness. It is a practice of listening, attunement; slowing and opening to a deeper sensing of body and psyche. Authentic Movement provides a safe, nourishing and non-judgmental setting for conscious movement exploration.	PAULA JOSA-JONES MA, CMA, RSMET, SEP is a dance artist, equestrian, author, movement educator, and therapist. She has taught in the dance programs at Tufts University, Boston University and at universities, colleges and dance festivals nationally and internationally. She has taught Authentic Movement for the past 25 years.
Caroline Churba	Follow the Music	We shall work thru rhythmic dances, in pairs and solo. Music from North of Brazil and West and South Africa. Then expansion, creative dances, most of South American music. Flow world, trance music to voice and sounds of nature.	Passionate community builder through music and dance. Have been building community in South America, Africa, and adore the DNE mission and vision, so in tune with what is needed now. Have been involved in Biodanza since 1982 and I am still passionate about sharing the dance of life!
Maira Martinez	Dancing,nurturing life, abiding in love!	You feel like dancing, celebrating, being together in spite of social distancing? Together, let's be existentially creative, make the impossible possible, defy loneliness/separation, touch with our eyes, offer our smiles as gentle haven. Join me for a beautiful and tender feast... not perfect but true, kind and deeply loving! Maira	Naturally gifted teacher and life coach, Maira has a unique way of weaving poetry, science and movement into inspiring classes, leading us into profound playful experiences of connexion. Director of Montreal and South-West of Quebec Biodanza School, she teaches classes, workshops and trainings in Canada, France, Switzerland, Norway and USA.
Robyn Vogel	Come Back To Love Intimate Puja	Intimate Puja created by Robyn Vogel, of Come Back to Love®, is a place to bring mindfulness to connections, move your body, release stress, learn the ancient practice of Tantra from an embodied and spiritual perspective, be playful with soulful, spiritual, loving humans. Bring cushions to sit on.	Robyn Vogel is an international workshop leader, intuitive spiritual coach, and intimacy expert. She is the Founder of Come Back To Love®, a global revolution that helps people experience true transformation and happiness. www.comebacktolove.com
Amy Verebay	Unity Breath Circle	Using breath, movement, sound, and the power of loving presence, Unity Breath takes participants on a deep journey of insight, self love and compassion. We breathe sitting up. No previous experience is necessary.	Amy Dawn found breathwork in 2001, which profoundly changed her outlook and relationship to life. It has been within the DNE community where her love for the practice began and developed, and she is grateful to all of the breathwork facilitators who have been in this community then and now.
Brynn Bishop	Deepening Connections	We will begin with heart-opening Tantric practices to open your central channel to the flow of Earth and Cosmic energies, nourishing and awakening each of your chakras. From this heart-space, you will have the opportunity to drop into authentic connection with each other through 1:1 connection exercises.	Brynn Bishop is a Certified Tantra Educator, Intimacy Coach and Attachment Re-Patterning Specialist. Her mission is to empower people to create authentic, loving, pleasurable relationships with themselves and others. Brynn helps individuals rewire their nervous systems towards greater connection, liberation and pleasure, & couples enhance their emotional and erotic intimacy.
Moti Zemelman	Touch in the Time of Corona	I invite you to experience sensual Zoom duets! Intimacy and connection is palpable through screens! Using "Pinning" techniques, Breakout rooms, household utensils and more we'll explore sensual consensual connections that are virtually real!	Moti began practicing CI 32 years ago. For 25 years he has taught internationally. Desiring to integrate communication/intimacy skills in life and teaching he has studied NVC, Tantra, Butoh, BDSM, Byron Katie and most recently Betty Martin's "Wheel of Consent." Moti also directs Touch&Play festival at Earthdance and hosts www.contactimprov.com
Rachel Phillips	ART: Personal Cartography	With pencil in hand sense into a shared environment through drawing games and playful prompts. Pick up something like a leaf or flower. Exercises use deceptively simple tools to explore gesture, point of view and build up to creating personal maps and legends. All ages and skill levels are welcome.	Rachel L. Phillips MFA is a nature loving artist, designer, sous chef. Observing nature is a life long practice often happening often in unconventional locations and times. Her published works include: Drawing Illuminated Beyond Basic, 2020 and Plant Eaters Delight, 2018.