AUDITION* for NEDERLANDS DANS THEATER 2

Sunday, January 12th, 2020

* by pre-selection only

Online application form: www.ndt.nl/auditions
Application deadline: November 18th 2019

IMPORTANT DATES:

21 September 2019: application for pre-selection open (online form on ndt.nl/auditions)

18 November 2019: application for pre-selection <u>closed</u> [deadline] 5 December 2019: notice of result of pre-selection via email

12 January 2020: audition at NDT STUDIOS in The Hague, The Netherlands

(by invitation only, after positive result of pre-selection)

This audition remains reserved for dancers between the age of <u>17 and 22</u>*, who have finished a complete classical ballet training (or are in the graduation year) and are interested in joining the *Nederlands Dans Theater 2* company for the season **2020-2021.**

*Dancers who will turn 23 years old in 2020 will not be allowed to join the audition.

Application will be possible as of SEPTEMBER 21st 2019 until NOVEMBER 18th 2019 via an online application form: www.ndt.nl/auditions.

PRE-SELECTION:

The artistic staff of NDT shall make a **pre-selection** based on the information and **video** that you have sent via the online application form.

We shall notify you by email about the pre-selection results on **December 5th 2019**. Only selected applicants will be asked to join the annual NDT 2 Audition 2020 on January 12th 2020 in The Hague, The Netherlands.

AUDITION PROCEDURE NDT 2 – ANNUAL AUDITION 2020

For further questions or more detailed information: auditions@ndt.nl

Step 1: Online audition/application

- You can send in your application starting September 21st 2019 10.00 AM (Amsterdam local time)
- Go to the Audition page on our website: www.ndt.nl/auditions
- Fill out the application form on our website completely, including personal information, education/training, work experience and contact information

Your online audition form must include the following elements:

Audition video

- Ballet class barre & center and a contemporary solo (DO NOT use pointe work)
- Maximum duration 10 minutes (approx. 4 min. barre, 4 min. center, 2 min. solo)
- Music (<u>original sound</u>) must be audible throughout the film, movement and music should be combined
- You must be clearly and completely visible, without any other dancers in the video
- Use YouTube or Vimeo to upload your video
- Add the link of your video to the assigned box in the audition form, only add <u>one</u> link
- The video must be available at least until January 12th 2020!

Headshot

- A clear headshot, a recent and recognizable picture of your face in <u>close-up</u> (girls preferably with hair up or to the back)
- Maximum size of photo should be 2 x 3 inch or 5x7 cm.
- High resolution quality

<u>Please note</u>: applications which do not meet the above mentioned description <u>will not be accepted</u>.

Confirmation

After you submit the audition form, you shall receive an automatic reply with a confirmation of receipt and a copy of the form. If you do not receive a confirmation within 2 working days, please contact us as soon as possible (auditions@ndt.nl). Please note: confirmation of receipt does not automatically mean that you will be invited for the annual audition.

Step 2: Selection

You will be notified by email about the results of the pre-selection on **December 5th 2019**.

Step 3: Audition day information

Selected candidates will be provided with more detailed information such as route description to our theater as well as information about hotels or other accommodation on **December 16**th **2018.**

Important deadlines

September 21 st 2019	Start online registration
November 18 th 2019	Deadline submission audition material / online registration form
December 5 th 2019	Notification to all applicants by email with result of pre- selection

TERMS & CONDITIONS NDT 2 ANNUAL AUDITION 2020

- The NDT 2 annual audition remains reserved for dancers between the age of **17 22** years old. Dancers who will turn 23 years old in 2020 will not be allowed to join the audition.
- All dancers who apply must have completed a professional classical ballet training at a ballet academy or conservatory [or in the graduation year].
- Only dancers that have been selected in the <u>pre-selection</u> by NDT artistic staff will be asked to enter the audition on January 12th 2020.
- It will not be possible to apply for private auditions prior to the actual audition day.
- It will not be possible to request to take classes with the NDT 2 company in the weeks prior to the annual audition. All requests to do so will be denied.
- NDT will not reimburse any kind of travel costs or other incurred costs in regard to the annual audition day.
- NDT artistic staff maintains the right to make a 1st selection of dancers after ballet class.
- NDT does not charge an admission fee for the audition.