

## MOUVOIR/Stephanie Thiersch

## - Open Call: Auditions

MOUVOIR, under the artistic direction of Stephanie Thiersch, will be holding workshop-auditions for two upcoming productions scheduled for 2026. We expect applicants to have several years of stage experience and a high level of professionalism.

<u>Application deadline: September 12, 2025.</u> Please only apply for ONE audition and send a short bio and a video link with repertoire and a short improvisation to <u>info@mouvoir.de</u>.

## Audition I:"contemporary + urban dance"/2026

Audition Date: October 5, 2025, 12.00-18.00 – Köln

Rehearsal period: Autumn of 2026

Premiere: November 2026 in Düsseldorf

Language competencies: English and/or German for text memorization and

pronunciation

Our forthcoming production explores themes of female-identifying empowerment and bodily autonomy through the language of urban and house dance. We are looking for 1-2 experienced artists who identify with this cause and who demonstrate exceptional rhythmic ability, particularly with regard to complex footwork influenced by house and urban styles. While prior experience in these styles is not required, applicants should be capable of quickly adapting to the technical, rhythmic and stylistic demands inherent in these forms.

The choreographic work will feature an original score and libretto intermixing traditional African instrumentation with electronic music and spoken word.

## Audition II: "contemporary dance & early music"/2026

Audition Date: October 12, 2025, 12.00-18.00 - Köln

Rehearsal period: April and May 2026

Premiere: May 2026

For this production, we are seeking technically proficient and experienced contemporary dancers with strong musicality, vocal ability, and refined improvisation skills for our upcoming production.

We will explore the rich textures of Early Music, interwoven with contemporary dance. The production will feature live musical performance integrated with choreography on stage, creating a shared performance of sound, voice, and movement.

FURTHER INFORMATION ON THE AUDITIONS WILL BE PROVIDED TO INVITED INDIVIDUALS.

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