

Nora Sarah Stephens

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Education and Training

- 2007-08 **Hollins University / American Dance Festival**, Roanoke, VA
MFA in Dance; Donna Faye Burchfield, Director
- 2005 **OM Yoga**, New York, NY
Prenatal Yoga Teacher Training Certification with Janice Clarfield
- 2004 **Atmananda Yoga and Holistic Spa**, New York, NY
200-hour Yoga Teacher Certification
- 2003 **The New School for Dance Development**, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
6-week Intensive Choreography Course
- 1996-2000 **University of Wisconsin-Madison**, Madison, WI
BS (Honors) Dance with Certificate in InterArts & Technology
Jin-Wen Yu, Li Chiao-Ping (modern), Doug Rosenberg (video)
- 1999-2001 **American Dance Festival**, Durham, NC
Staff Assistant Scholarship Student
- 2001 **Bates Dance Festival**, Lewiston, ME
Merit Scholarship Student

Professional Dance Work

Nora Stephens / noraneddance
Director/Choreographer/Performer

Self-Produced Performances

- 2005 **The University Settlement**, New York, NY
Evening length self-produced show (70min); 4 dancers, 2 composers
- 2002 **Williamsburg Art neXus**, Brooklyn, NY
Evening length self-produced show with Rebecca Davis (80min); 5 dancers

Festivals and Produced Performances

- 2009 **Saprophyt Gallery**, Vienna, Austria
Land In Sight (15 min); solo in collaboration with Barbara Kapusta
- Performatica**, Puebla, México
Seedbank (20 min); duet in collaboration with Kate Corby
- Movement Research Spring Festival**-As the World Turns, internet performance
Yes Love (15 min); duet
- 2008 **The American Dance Festival**, Durham, NC
In bird (12 min); solo (MFA Thesis Concert)
- The WUK**, Vienna, Austria
Excerpt from a new study (10 min); solo

- Movement Research at the Judson Church**, New York, NY
The Blue sky and All of Us. (15 min); trio
- 2007 **Los Talleres**, Danzas por la Libre, México City, México
Insatiable Dogs (18 min); duet
- 2006 **The 92nd St. Y**, Fridays at 12noon Series, New York, NY
To Move in Bright Colors at this Time (15 min); trio
- 2005 **Mt. Tremper Arts**, Mt. Tremper, NY
To Move in Bright Colors at this Time (15 min); trio
- White Wave Dance Festival**, Brooklyn, NY
To Move in Bright Colors at this Time (15 min.); trio
- 2004 **Chashama**, New York, NY
'Till You Drop (15min); 4 dancers
- University of Wisconsin-Madison**, Madison, WI
Guest Artist, Evening length show (60 min); 5 dancers
- The American Can Factory**, Brooklyn, NY
Minimum Speed of an Explosion (10 min); solo
- Dixon Place**, Body Blend Series, New York, NY
Six Love Song Weeks (10 min); trio
- Mulberry St. Theater**, Newsteps Series, New York, NY
Six Love Song Weeks (10 min); trio
- 2003 **One Arm Red**, Brooklyn, NY
Six Love Song Weeks (10 min); trio
- Arts & Society**, Boston University, Boston, MA & Martha's Vineyard, MA
The Trees (15 min); solo
- Mulberry St. Theater**, Newsteps, New York, NY
First and You (6 min); duet
- DancenOw Festival**, Joyce Soho, New York, NY
First and You (6 min); duet
- The Construction Company**, New York, NY
Evening length show in collaboration with Paula Matthusen (55 min); 4 dancers
- 2002 **Present Company Theater**, Fresh Faces Festival, New York, NY
Out of Pink (7 minutes); solo
- New York University**, New York, NY
Fuel (11 min); solo in collaboration with NYU PhD candidate Paula Matthusen
- 2001 **The Brooklyn Museum**, Brooklyn, NY
After that. Before all This (7 min); solo
- The Dance Complex**, Emerging Choreographers Concert, Boston, MA
Ending Tendencies (8 min); solo
- MOBIUS**, Boston, MA
Escapes (10 min); 4 dancers

Video Work

- 2008 **Garrison Art Gallery**, Garrison, NY
Boustophone (13min); installation in collaboration with Diana Carulli
- AUNTS** at BS248, Brooklyn, NY
A video without a name (10min); 2 single channel video installation
- 2006 **The Brooklyn Public Library**, Brooklyn, NY
Tracing the Labyrinth, installation in collaboration with Diana Carulli
- 2003 **848 Community Space**, San Francisco, CA
While I Wait, (45 min); video for choreographer Kate Corby's live dance
- 2000 **American Dance Festival**, International Festival of Film & Video Dance, Durham, NC
BEATS (5 min); 6 dancers, single channel video
- Quinto Festival Internacional de Video Danza**, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Long and Heavy Weight (11 min); solo, single channel video

Teaching Experience

- 2007-2008 **American Dance Festival**, Durham, NC
Vinyasa Yoga Classes
- Hollins University**, Roanoke, VA
Substitute Teacher for Movement Studio II & III
- 2004-2006 **Atmananda Yoga, Charlie Pineapple Studio & Private Classes**, New York, NY
Vinyasa Yoga Classes
- PS 64**, New York, NY
Creative Dance and Hip Hop for 10-12 year olds
- 2000 & 2003 **Brookline Adult Education & The Educational Alliance**, Boston, MA, & NY, NY
Creative Dance and Hip Hop for Kids

Non-profit Administration Experience

- 1999-present **Nora Stephens / noranewdance**
Director/Choreographer/Performer
- 2002-2005 **University for Peace**, New York, NY
Assistant to the Director of the New York Office
- 2000 **The Worlds Fair**, Boston, MA
Administrative Assistant
- 1998 **The American Dance Festival**, Durham, NC
Archives Intern

Awards & Scholarships

- 2007 Graduate Fellowship from Hollins University
- 2001 Merit Scholarship to attend Bates Dance Festival
- 1998-2001 American Dance Festival Staff Assistant Scholarships
- 1999-2000 2 Senior Honors Research Fellowships from the UW-Madison
- 2000 UW-Madison University Bookstore Award for Academic Excellence
- 1998 UW-Madison Dance Department Lydia Z. Schaeffer Award