

**TEMPLE UNIVERSITY'S DEPARTMENT OF DANCE PRESENTS *BEVELLED*,
APRIL 2-3**

Temple University's Esther Boyer College of Music and Dance presents *Bevelled: Anything but a right angle*, featuring the choreography of Temple MFA candidates George Alley, Martha Callaghan and Dinesha DeMesa, on Friday and Saturday, April 2 and 3.

Performances will begin at 8 p.m. at Temple's Conwell Dance Theater, fifth floor of Conwell Hall, Broad St. and Montgomery Ave., on Temple's Main Campus.

Admission is \$10 for the general public, \$8 for students and seniors, and free for Temple students with a GAF card. For ticket information, call the Temple Arts Box Office weekdays between noon and 4 p.m. at 215-204-1122.

Bevelled is a collection of works influenced by personal experiences and philosophy, social issues and stereotypes, as well as gender and sexual orientation. The artistry of Alley, Callaghan and DeMesa incorporates postmodern dance, pop culture, queer culture and ethnic influences, performed with live music, video and imagery.

The concert program includes:

Mainstream Representation--Callaghan combines video imagery and live dance in this postmodern piece to examine the mainstream representation of women and one woman's transformation toward self-realization and self-acceptance.

Soiree--According to choreographer Alley, this postmodern dance was inspired by "the villainous actions portrayed by actresses Joan Collins and Susan Lucci." Re-choreographed since its premiere in 2002, the performance features music composed and performed by Philadelphia-based musician and artist Billy Blaise Dufala.

Women of the Sunrise--Choreographed by DeMesa, this ethnically influenced performance explores the journey through the many stages of womanhood, beginning with the carefree state of a young girl to the stigmatism and roles placed upon women as they mature.

For more information on the April 2-3 performances, call the Boyer College general information line, 215-204-8307.

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