# Graduate School Showcase 2025

## Monday 7 - Thursday 24 July

Welcome to the Graduate School Showcase 2025, a festival of performances created, choreographed and presented by our postgraduate dance students.

Doors open at 12:00pm each day, and 10:00am on Friday 18 July, with a curated programme of performances, site-specific events, screenings and sharings.

Every day will be different. What's certain is that you'll encounter surprising, challenging and ground-breaking new work from students our MA / MFA courses in Choreography, Creative Practice (Dance Professional and Transdisciplinary pathways), Dance Leadership and Community Practice, Dance Performance and Dance Science.

You might get to see work on the main stage of Laban Theatre, or in the more intimate space of the Studio Theatre. Dance in unexpected places that takes you on a journey, or research laboratory sharings in our Dance Science studio. Maybe you'll get to participate in a performance that brings the audience into the experience, or enjoy watching more contemplative pieces unfold outside or at studio spaces in nearby Laurie Grove.

What is guaranteed is that you'll encounter thought-provoking new choreography and movement developed by our postgraduate dance community during their time studying at Trinity Laban.

Come and join us. Bring your curiosity and an open mind.

Members of the audience are reminded that smoking, the use of mobile phones and the use of photographic or video equipment is not permitted in the auditorium.

Principal

Prof. Anthony Bowne

Artistic Director,

Dr Aleksander Szram

Associate Director of Dance Programme Leader, MA/MFA Creative Practice

Dr Naomi Lefebvre Sell

Head of Postgraduate Programmes Programme Leader, MA/MFA Dance Leadership and Community Practice

Melanie Clarke

Programme Leader, MA/MFA Dance Performance

**Hilary Stainsby** 

Programme Leader, MA/MFA Choreography

**Gary Lambert** 

Postgraduate Studies Administrator **Minghao Li** 

Head of Production Fay Patterson

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Jabin Law

Graduate Interns (Production)
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## I thought I was leading

Caitlin Findley, MA Dance Performance Tuesday 15 July, 17:00-17:10 Studio Theatre, Laban Creekside

Performer Caitlin Findley
Sound Original ambient composition created using synthetic tones and layered textures
Music Deya Dova
Lighting Trinity Laban Production Team

The journey of a body in pursuit of an unseen path that drifts through space. Delicate yet insistent. What begins as exploration becomes entanglement, as the line shifts from guide to inhabitant, as movement sharpens, echo then dissolves.

#### Special thanks:

Special thanks to Elizabeth Kew-Ross for drawing inspiration for this piece of work, and programme leader Hilary Stainsby.

#### Social Media

Follow Caitlin on Instagram @caitlinfindleydance