

# THE NATIONAL CENTRE FOR DANCE THERAPY AND ILL-ABILITIES COLLABORATE FOR AN INCLUSIVE BREAKDANCE EVENT

**Montreal, October 27, 2022 –** Les Grands Ballets and the National Centre for Dance Therapy are proud to welcome **Luca "Lazylegz" Patuelli and his crew ILL-Abilities** as part of their first international tour since the beginning of the pandemic.

During this event, professional and non-professional B-Boys and B-Girls will dance together, perform and compete in battles. Showcasing artists of varying abilities, the event proves that dance truly is for everyone.

The evening will begin with a cocktail, during which ILL-Abilities will announce the identity of a new crew member who will join them right away to perform their latest choreography. Then, a breakdance competition, based on the concept of the *No Limits Battles*, will allow everyone to dance and challenge their limits.

Profits from the event will be donated to the National Centre for Dance Therapy, to support its adapted dance classes.

### **NO LIMITS REUNION**

November 8, 2022, from 5.30 P.M. Edifice Wilder – Espace Danse - Studio C 1435 de Bleury, 4th Floor, Montreal, QC, H3A 2H7

## ABOUT THE NATIONAL CENTRE FOR DANCE THERAPY

Created in 2013, the National Centre for Dance Therapy is a division of Les Grands Ballets Canadiens dedicated to the promotion of dance therapy. Its mission is to promote dance and movement as tools for well-being. Through clinical research, training and therapy, the NCDT aims at improving the well-being of individuals through the benefits of dance.

In the past 10 years, the Centre has collaborated with over 80 partners, working with people with varying abilities or from vulnerable communities. Thus, over 1700 people have benefited from the adapted dance and dance therapy services offered by the Centre.

#### **ABOUT ILL-ABILITIES**

Formed in 2007, ILL-Abilities is an International Breakdance Crew comprised of seven active members from around the world: Redouan "Redo" Ait Chitt (The Netherlands), Sergio "Checho" Carvajal (Chile), Jung Soo "Krops" Lee (South Korea), Jacob "Kujo" Lyons (U.S.A), Lucas "Perninha" Machado (Brazil), Luca "Lazylegz" Patuelli (Canada), Samuel Henrique "Samuka" da Silveira Lima (Brazil). Together, they fight against prejudices through breathtaking performances, educational workshops and high-level competitions.

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