

BAMD

BUST A MOVE DANCE



ABOUT BAMD

bamd Bust a Move Dance is an Australian born social business offering dance classes for children, teens and adults with disabilities.

The vision for BAMD is that people of all abilities feel equal and powerful in the world, and that these individuals are provided with an opportunity to participate in and express themselves in an environment which is safe, but also stimulates personal growth in a creative manner. BAMD aims to do this through the vehicle of dance, encouraging these young people to become independent within their own communities and in turn develop their self-confidence and self purpose.

WHY CANADA?

Director and owner of BAMD, Ali Phillips, had the vision of taking BAMD international from the start. After successfully infiltrating the Australian dance industry, and building the BAMD brand for almost 10 years, it is time to spread it's energy abroad!

So here they are, Ali herself, and BAMD operation and marketing specialist Hollie Bloch who both live in Toronto; actively seeking networks and communities to build lasting relationships and kick start BAMD CANADA!

WHAT WE DO.

- Engaging weekly classes in accessible locations & in a variety of genres across the GTA & Canada.
- Customised workshops for ALL ages and ability levels.
- Dance parties & events, let us come and party with you guys, run a workshop, or simply have a chat about future idea's!
- Performance Opportunities. Our performance crew is a large part of our BAMD classes and community integration.

OUR TEACHERS - WE LOVE THEM!

We don't play! We are committed to, and credit much of our success to our teachers. We expect our students to attend classes ready to act as professional, respectful dancers; therefore we work with top industry professionals from the Canadian dance scene to ensure that respect is felt in return.



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LET'S CHAT!

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A LITTLE MORE ABOUT US...

We are extremely proud of our BAMD achievements and the opportunities we have created for our dancers over the years. Our weekly line up of classes in various genres, and the welcoming community feel is what BAMD is renowned for. Canada, we are so excited to see what opportunities we can create for your dancers and watch how your communities grow and adapt to the magic that is, BAMD! Check out some of our latest achievements:

Sick Kids - Starlight Foundation Performance on Juiced TV

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?](https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=1&v=mfLIDWaYwEc)

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So You Think You Can Dance (SYTYCD)/Special Olympics

Dance Competition , LA 2015 – Our group placed 2nd at this world-renowned dance competition organised by Special Olympics and SYTYCD in LA.

Special Olympics World Games, Los Angeles 2015 – our team

raised almost \$60,000 to take 35 dancers with and without disabilities to LA to perform for 6 days throughout the Special Olympics World Games festivals

National Dance Day in LA – BAMD had the opportunity to

perform at this event held by Nigel Lythgoe's Dizzy Feet Foundation in front of 3000+ spectators, and we were showcased the same evening on the US So You Think You Can Dance.

Shade 2015 & 2016 – we have provided the platform for a

number of our students to transition to professional mainstream productions, with students hired for the successful visual art and street dance collaboration SHADE two years running.

WORKSHOPS

TUESDAYS

6:45 - 7:45pm

Miles Nadal Jewish Community
Centre

750 Spadina Ave, Toronto

5th June - 17th July

\$15 per class

WEDNESDAYS

6:30 - 7:30pm

New Leaf Living and Learning
19601 Leslie St, Queensville

9th May - 5th July

\$40 flat

THURSDAYS

5:00 - 6:00pm

Kindred Culture

10, 780 Burnhamthorpe Rd W,
Mississauga

24th May - 5th July

\$15 per class

SATURDAYS

11:30 - 1:00pm

Variety Village

3701 Danforth Ave, Scarborough

5th May - 30th June

\$15 per class

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WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR ADDITIONAL SPACES
AND COMMUNITIES TO PARTNER WITH!



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"Dance is a universal language"