

MODERN/CONTEMPORARY WORKSHOP

with Slovenia's award-winning Mitja Popovski!



**JULY 13** 

@ 8 AUTOMATIC RD, BRAMPTON, ON

10:00 AM - 12 & UNDER 11:30 AM - 13 & OVER

\$50 - open to everyone adults welcome teachers free with 10 students

## **Workshop Overview**

Are you ready to unlock your potential? Team Canada Dance is thrilled to welcome Mitja Popovski, the acclaimed choreographer for the Slovenia National Team, South African National Team, and the Chairperson for the IDO Modern & Contemporary Dance Committee for the past 10 years. A highly accomplished and versatile choreographer, Mitja excels in a vast range of dance styles, including modern. For more information, see our webpage.

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A highly accomplished and versatile choreographer, Mitja excels in a vast range of dance styles, including modern, classic jazz, lyrical, Broadway musical, tap, hip hop, and comedy. His choreography blends funk, strength, and individual interpretation, with a strong emphasis on performance quality. Known for his energetic and demanding work, he fosters pure dedication from dancers, never allowing "marking" in his studio, Kazina Dance Company in Ljubljana, Slovenia. If you have been to an IDO Modern/Contemporary World Championship with us then you have most likely seen and admired his work!

Just to name a few of his accomplishments, Mitja was named the 2008 International Dance Organization (IDO) Choreographer of the year, he is a member of the IDO Hall of Fame, awarded Best Slovenian Choreographer for the past 15 years, won multiple World Championship Titles as a choreographer and dancer in modern, show, jazz, and tap formations, groups, duos, and solos with. Kazina Dance Company, numerous World Titles as choreographer for the South African National Dance Team (2011-2024), an international judge for IDO, a member of the modern, jazz, and tap formations, groups, duos, and solos

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international judge for IDO, a member of the modern, jazz, show dance, and tap committees, and Chairperson of the Slovenian IDO Judges Committee. Mitja also has an extensive choreography and teaching experience in stage/theatrical productions, television/music industry, casino/entertainment shows, as well as international teaching. and masterclasses, choreographing in Croatia, Finland, Serbia, Russia, Czechia, South Africa, Germany, Italy, Belarus, Estonia, and now, Canada! He is a Master Teacher at the University of Sports, Ljubljana, and the Slovenian Dance Association for the past 15 years.

Mr. Mitja Popovski has been recruited to choreograph for Team Canada Dance's 2025 Modern/Contemporary team (along with our own renown choreographer Tiffany McLachlan). This elite team will represent Canada at the International Dance Organization's (IDO) World Modern/Contemporary Championships in Belgium. Dancers from around the world will vie for only 1 Gold, 1 Silver, and 1 Bronze medal, presented on a podium with the winning National Anthem playing and flag waving. Mr. Popovski is the leading choreographer in the world in having the most dancers achieve podium results. This is truly an amazing experience for all!

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