

# 2025/2026 SEASON: WHAT MOVES YOU

## FALL WORKS: WHISPERS, ECHOES, VOICES

*Petite Mort* by Jiří Kylián

*Solo Echo* by Crystal Pite

*As I Am, A World Premiere* by Mthuthuzeli November

Knight Theater | October 30 - November 1, 2025

A delicate tension unfolds as the whispers of fencing foils slice through the air, breathing anew to Mozart's melodies. Echoes of winter's quiet resolve linger in movement, a reflection on resilience. A bold, untold voice emerges, forging a new path for unfinished stories.

## NUTCRACKER

By Jean-Pierre Bonnefoux

Belk Theater | December 5 - 21, 2025

On Christmas Eve, young Clara's adventure unfolds as she journeys with her Nutcracker Prince through a snow-kissed realm and into the dazzling Land of Sweets. With Tchaikovsky's soaring score and breathtaking choreography, this holiday tradition enchants audiences of all ages, capturing the wonder of childhood and the beauty of a dream brought to life.

## WINTER WORKS: BOUNDLESS

*World Premiere* by Nicole Vaughan-Diaz

*Kamuyot* by Ohad Naharin

Center for Dance | February 20 - March 21, 2026

Pulsing with immersive energy through the spaces between us—playful yet primal—dissolving distance, capturing the visceral and spiritual force of a shared experience. A fearless exploration of the unseen unfolds with intensity—bold, unrelenting, deeply human. An invitation to move, to listen with the soul, to yield to living art.

## ONE THOUSAND PIECES

By Alejandro Cerrudo

Knight Theater | May 7- 10, 2026

Like light through stained glass, Alejandro Cerrudo's *One Thousand Pieces* shimmers between clarity and mystery. Inspired by Marc Chagall's *America Windows*, this evershifting dreamscape reflects art, love, and the endless mosaic of human connection.

## FLIP

By Charlotte Ballet Dancers

Center for Dance | June 11 - 20, 2026

Curated by Charlotte Ballet's professional dancers as they step beyond performance and into creation, transforming the stage into a canvas of their own design. In this bold and playful program, the lines between choreographer and performer dissolve, giving rise to a deeply personal expression of artistry, shaped entirely by the dancers themselves.

## LEARN MORE

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# MAKE YOUR MOVE TODAY

Charlotte Ballet is a cornerstone of artistic excellence in our community, bringing world-class performances and transformative dance education to audiences of all ages. Your support plays a direct role in sustaining our artists, training the next generation of dancers, and expanding access to the arts.

# YOUR GENEROSITY MOVES CHARLOTTE BALLET FORWARD

Charlotte Ballet thrives because of donors like you, who champion artistry, innovation, and education. Your gift makes an immediate impact—supporting our professional dancers, nurturing young talent, and ensuring the arts remain accessible to all.

- Provide uniforms for students in Reach, Charlotte Ballet’s nationally recognized need-based dance scholarship program, ensuring access to high-quality dance education.
- Support live accompaniment for Academy classes, enriching students’ musicality, and expression.
- Assist with rehearsal time with the Charlotte Symphony in preparation for Nutcracker.
- Supply pointe shoes for Company Artists, essential for training and performances.
- Provide essential dance attire for first Academy scholarship students, empowering the next generation of dancers.
- Bring productions to life by supporting breathtaking set designs, stunning costumes, and the artistry that defines Charlotte Ballet.

Every gift strengthens Charlotte Ballet’s impact—on stage, in the studio, and throughout the community.

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