

Curriculum Vitae
Ambra Gatto Bergamasco



Higher Education

2008-12	PHD FELLOWSHIP GEOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT, ART AND GEOGRAPHY RESEARCH, MAYNOOTH UNIVERSITY, CO. KILDARE, IRELAND
2007-08	Higher Diploma Cultural Anthropology Thesis on Art, Performance and Urban Regeneration. Anthropology Department, Maynooth University, Co. Kildare, Ireland
2004-07	B.A. Anthropology and French, Maynooth University, Co. Kildare, Ireland
2001-02	Professional Cert. Theatre Management and Performance, SFX Theatre, Dublin 1, Ireland

Holistic Qualification

2017	La Via della Luna Cert. Massage Technique, Shaida Castella, Torino, Italy
2015	Reiki Certification for Business with Patricia Cloughlin, Dublin 2, Ireland
2012	Reiki Master with Patricia Cloughlin, Dublin 2, Dublin, Ireland
2012	Reiki in Medicine Pamela Miles, Dublin, Ireland
2011-12	Reiki Level II Certificate with Abbey Wynn Reiki Level I Certificate with Abbey Wynn

Dance Training

2015-18	Masaki Iwana Butoh Blanc, Dance Ireland/Dance House, Dublin Ireland and Espace Theatre, Torino, Italy Yumiko Yoshioka, Teatro Espace, Italy/Glasgow Workshop
2014	Minako Seki Method (third Butoh Generation) Dance Ireland/Dance House, Dublin, Ireland

2013	Yumiko Yoshioka, Firkin Crane, Cork, Ireland Iwashita Toru – Sankai Juku, Dance Ireland/Dance House, Dublin, Ireland
2012	Minako Seki Method (third Butoh generation) – Seki Dojo, Berlin, Germany
2011	Butoh, Ken Mai, Back Loft, Dublin, Ireland
2004-2005	Contemporary Dance Coscaim, Dublin, Ireland
2003-04	Kuchipudi Bharathanatyam Katakali at Darpana Academy
2002	Carlotta Ikeda Dance Ensemble, Irish Modern Dance, Dun Laoghaire, Ireland
1999	Butoh Dance Yoshimoto Daisuke, Loft, Torino, Italy
1998-2000	Butoh Dance Anna Vullo, Loft, Torino, Italy Intensive training structured in 6 hours per day and intensive workshops.
1996-2005	Capoeira with Contra Maestre Guto Gomez Capoeira Grupo Cultura Negra Torino, Capoeira Feminina Jeanette, Dublin 1 Ireland, SanSao Dublin, Ireland
1995-1988	Laura Culver Dance School – Tip Tap, Modern and Jazz Junior Training, Torino
1986-1992	Scuola di Danza Moderna and African Dance, Torino – Modern Dance
1983-1986	Magenta School of Acrobatics and Athletics – Yunior Cert of Artistic Gymnastic
1980-85	Bella Hutter Dance School Torino, Classical Dance Junior
1979	Bella Hutter Dance School – approach to classical dance Junior

Professional Dance and Performance Work Experience

2021	<i>A Cor Leggero</i> – In production phase Processual Choreography Butoh and poetry dramaturgy Solo
2020	<i>Rosa e Pietra</i> – Butoh Dance Solo XXXVII Edition of Acqui In Palcoscenico Dance Festival “BeinSide2020” Acqui-Terme Italy.
2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>My Hypocondria Makes Me Fear War</i> – Teatro Espace Torino, Italy, Hokkaido Festivla, Sapporo, Japan • <i>Let's Kiss</i> –butoh meets contemporary dance and performance art 5 dancing encounters to commemorate Pina Bausch. Ambra G. Bergamasco dances with Francesca Cinalli, Francesca Cola, Francesca Arri, Giorgia Cerruti – Teatro Espace Torino, Italy • <i>One in One: Circle</i> – butoh dance, contemporary dance and Cyr Wheel with Francesca Cola and Davide Tubertini <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Moving Bodies Festival Teatro Espace Torino ▪ Mirabilia Festival Internazionale, Busca, Italy
2018-2017	At the Hawks Well Butoh Performance, theatre, analog film Athens, Greece Movement of People Butoh dance and Visual art Five Lamps Festival, Dublin My Hypocondria Makes Me Fear War – butoh dance solo Moving Bodies Festival Mart Gallery of Rathmines, Dublin, Ireland Teatro Espace, Torino, Italy Circolo degli Artisti, Torino Frog Butoh Dance and Cello Sansalvario District Torino Dr.Sketchy Butoh night performance for live drawing Teatro Espace Torino
2016	<i>Drawning Gold</i> – Dance Performance, with Edegard Starke, Nesxt Festival Contemporary Art, Torino, Italy Moving Bodies Premiere Teatro Espace Torino, Italy

	<p><i>Breath Moves</i> – Butoh Dance Performance and Paper Presentation at Deleuze+Art Conferenze chaired by Erin Manning At Trinity College Dublin, Ireland</p>
2014-2015	<p><i>"From my Mouth -Though my mouth" –Bacon Butoh Deleuze #1</i>– Butoh dance Solo</p> <p>Hugh Lane Municipal Gallery, Dublin, Ireland</p> <p>For Moving Bodies Festival Touring Version</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CCA-Glasgow, Glasgow, Scotland • Firkin Crane Dance Theatre Cork, Ireland • Temple Bar Gallery+Studios, Dublin, Ireland • Teatro Espace Torino, Turin, Italy
2012-2014	<p>New Moves Dance Ireland/Dance House, Dublin, Ireland</p> <p><i>Vulnerably Raw</i> – Butoh dance theatre performance Solo</p> <p>Dublin Butoh Festival - Back Loft, La Cathedral</p> <p>Explorimenta – Festival – La Cathedral, Dublin, Ireland</p> <p>Axis Theatre, Dublin, Ireland</p> <p>Smock Alley Theatre – Temple Bar, Dublin, Ireland</p>
2012 -2013	<p>"Roses" Butoh Dance Solo Performance, Japan Day, Embassy of Japan in Dublin, Ireland.</p> <p><i>Butoh Café</i> – monthly performances</p> <p>Exchange Dublin</p> <p>Temple Bar, Dublin, Ireland</p>
2003-2013	<p><i>Mutamenti and Sortilegi</i> – 5 studies on Dante Alighieri Inferno. A theatre dance performance and Installation</p> <p>Compagnia Sperimentale Drammatica Alasjarvi & Bergamasco</p> <p>Teatro Esapce Torino, Italy</p>
2005-2004	<p><i>Di Dei e Passanti</i> – festival of dance and performances</p> <p><i>Of Gods and Passers-by</i> – Butoh dance</p> <p><i>Never again</i> – Butoh dance Solo</p> <p>Teatro Espace Torino</p>
2003-2004	<p><i>Dancer and Butoh Dancer:</i></p> <p><i>The Colours of the Heart</i> Mallika Sarabhai Darpana Performance Group – Collaborative choreographic and dance project</p> <p>Tour of India – Jammu Kashmir, Gujarat, Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Mysore, Bengal, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Andar Pradesh, Maharashtra</p> <p>La Via del Mito – Teatro Espace, Torino, Italy</p> <p>"<i>La Via Del Mito</i>" International residential network: Dance –theatre</p> <p><i>Thirta</i> – dance and theatre performance with celebrities Mallilka Sarabhai</p> <p>Ulla Alasjarvi Antonella Usai directed by Rita Maffei CRS Udine. Production Compagnia Sperimentale Drammatica Alasjarvi & Bergamasco, Torino, Italy.</p> <p>Teatro Esapce, Torino.</p>
2002-2003	<p><i>Caminando</i> – Butoh and theatre dance Solo performance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Teatro Esapce Torino, Italy. ▪ Basic Village, Holden School for Writers, Torino, Italy ▪ Torino Cultura - Outdoors event for the City of Torino – Piazza Carlo Alberto, Torino Italy. ▪ Natarani Theatre, Ahmedabad, Gujarat <p><i>And then He Flies</i> Butoh Solo dance performance</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Firkin Crane Dance Theatre – Cork, Ireland ▪ Muiderpoort Theater Amsterdam, The Netherlands <p>As Actress in the role of Sarah <i>Translations</i> – A play by Brian Friel. Aisling Ghear, Cultur Lan, Belfast; Irish and Scottish tour</p>
1999-2002	Solo Butoh Shows and collective for Compagnia Sperimentale Drammatica Alasjarvi & Bergamasco, Torino, Italy
1998-99	Butoh dancer for theatre performance Cleopatra Compagnia Sperimentale Drammatica Alasjarvi & Bergamasco, Torino, Italy -
1998	Mai Piu' Sola – Actress. Compagnia Sperimentale Drammatica Alasjarvi & Bergamasco Production Torino, Italy
1979-1996	Work training with Compagnia Sperimentale Drammatica Alasjarvi & Bergamasco, Torino, Italy - touring, actress, stage manager and show operator.

2018 Films Experimental Film Society Dir. Michael Higgins – Full feature Autumnal Sleeps

Dance Residencies

2019	Tenjinyama Art Studios, Sapporo Hokkaido, Japan
2018	Performing Lands, Mirabilia Festival International and CRS Foundation, Busca, Italy
2016	Dance Ireland/Dance House, Dublin, Ireland
2014	Dance Ireland/Dance House, Dublin, Ireland

Awards and Scholarships

2015	Create Ireland – Artist in the Community Award, Dublin, Ireland
2009	Urban Special Group Paper Presentation – AAG Las Vegas
2008	ISSP – Irish Social Science Platform Fellowship PhD Award and Scholarship
2007	Higher Education Grant HEA - Ireland
2004	Higher Education Grant HEA - Ireland
2002	Piattaforma della Danza Best Performance Award, Italy
2001	Ireland against Racism – Award and Grant for Dance Performance, Ireland

Paper Presentations

2016	Deleuze+Art Performance and Paper presentation, Panel chaired by Erin Mannin, Trinity College, Ireland
205-2016	as academic and performer for “The Geographical Turn” organised by Prof. Gerry Kearns and Create-Ireland funded by RCS: Artists and academia Symposium and paper development
2015	Lecture Performance for Dublin Visual Arts Festival, Mart Gallery
2013	Dance Days Conference: Butoh presentation and workshop, NUI Galway
2009-2011	AAG- Association of American Geographers – Art and Geography paper and performance presentation (Las Vegas and Seattle)

**TEACHING BUTOH DANCE
PROCESSUAL CHOREOGRAPHY**

2021	Zoom one2one online Zoom sessions Cartographic Score for Bodies and Micromovement
2020	Butoh workshops and processual choreography for Btt- Balletto Teatro di Torino, Contemporary Dance Company
ONGOING	Butoh Classes Teatro Espace, Torino
2016-2019	Butoh Classes Teatro Espace, Torino
2013-2017	Involved in weekly and workshops Butoh Technique for dancers and non-dancer training and choreography
2015	Choko Butoh – creation of a dance and butoh method dance performance group with Irish and international professionals and non.
2013	Workshops for Galway Dance Project, Galway.
2006	Dams University Students, Teatro Espace Torino Actors corporeal dramaturgy, Palermo, Sicily