

## CV

### ANU LAIHO

DANCE ARTIST & DANCE TEACHER

#### CONTACT INFO

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#### DEGREE

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**MASTER'S IN DANCE • 2019–2021 • OSLO NATIONAL ACADEMY OF THE ARTS (KHIO)**

**BACHELOR'S IN CULTURE AND ARTS – DANCE & DANCE PEDAGOGY • 2015–2019 • ARTS ACADEMY, TURKU UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES (TUAS)**

Including Exchange Studies in University of Stavanger, bachelor's in Dance Performance, 1/2018–5/2018

#### WORKSHOPS

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**MOVEMENT ALCHEMISTS & JUNKIES • 2019 • KATJA-MARIA/KAY TAAVITSAINEN**

Eight days with MOVEMENT JUNKIES classes and one MOVEMENT ALCHEMISTS masterclass with dance artist, choreographer and multiartist Katja-Maria/Kay Taavitsainen's Meovement practice.

**NORDPLUS ECA NETWORK'S WORKSHOP AND DANCING TECHNOLOGIES: NEW MEDIA AND DANCE EDUCATION CONFERENCE • 2017 • BALTIC FILM, MEDIA, ARTS AND COMMUNICATION SCHOOL, TALLINN UNIVERSITY**

A three-day workshop with ballet, contemporary and Estonian folk dance followed by a two-day conference about dance and technology. Including a 3h workshop "Dance&Music – Rhythm", instructed by Anu Laiho and Iida Paukamainen.

#### OTHER MERITS

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**MEMBER • 2021– • MONTEBØLLO ARTIST COLLECTIVE**

**MEMBER, MEMBERSHIP COORDINATOR • 2017–2021 • KULTTUURIOSUUSKUNTA KARISMA**

Member of the multidisciplinary Cultural Co-Operative Karisma, freelance work as a dancer and a choreographer.

Board Member and Membership Coordinator between 2018–2019

#### ONGOING PROJECTS

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**kehotus | ANU LAIHO | 2022**

Artistic practice research, Tanssitiimi/PS:Dans/Montebøllo

**NEWS | JANNE-CAMILLA LYSTER | 2021/2022**

Performance for 21 dancers, glasses and a metronome, Dramatikkens Hus (postponed due to COVID-19)

## PAST PROJECTS & EXPERIENCE

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**2021**

**R E S P A C E | ANU LAIHO**

MA Project in Dance, KHiO

**CHOREOGRAPHY OF SPACES – MY NAME IS NOT ANTIGONE | ANU LAIHO & PENY SPANOU**

Site-Specific performance, KHiO

**A MOMENT IN TIME OF LOVE | ANU LAIHO & SANA KHAN NIAZI**

Short film, KHiO/Intercultural Museum in Oslo/CoFutures Research Project UiO

**IF ONLY | LISA COLETTE BYSHEIM**

MA Project in Choreography, KHiO

**2020**

**MADA x FIKSDAL – SPECTRAL | INGRI FIKSDAL**

Part of MA studies, KHiO

**ENTANGLED MATERIALS | LISA COLETTE BYSHEIM**

Work in progress performance, Oktoberdans

**FIVE PATTERNS | ANU LAIHO w/ JANNE-CAMILLA LYSTER**

Part of MA studies, KHiO

**OPEN STUDIO SESSIONS # | LISA COLETTE BYSHEIM**

Choreographic method development sharing, KHiO

**2019**

**(DE)(P)LAY WITH ME | MARIA MÄKELÄ**

BA Thesis performance, TUAS

**KULTAINEN VASIKKA | ANU LAIHO**

Freelance choreographer for a theatre production, Lopen Teatteri

**2018**

**HER | IIDA HONKO**

Part of BA studies, TUAS

**HUMAN BEINGS | VICTORIA HEGGELUND**

Part of BA exchange, University of Stavanger

**PACE | REBECCA VOLDEN**

Part of BA exchange, University of Stavanger

**KOHTA\* (IN MY POINT OF VIEW) | ANU LAIHO**

Part of BA exchange, University of Stavanger

**2017**

**"SEN**

**JÄLKEEN,**

**KUN..." | ANU LAIHO**

Part of BA studies, TUAS

**KUINKA MERENNEITO OPPI UIMAAN | LAIHO, HONKANEN, KOSTYUKOV & MÄKELÄ**

Children's performance, Cultural Co-Operative Karisma