# Faye Tan

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Nationality: Malaysian (Born and raised in Singapore)

Through sourcing inspiration and stimuli from various artistic disciplines, I aim to present seemingly familiar and relatable situations and concepts to audiences in unpredictable ways through performance.



## Choreographic experience

**The ZebEel** - Reworked from 2014 version into performance installation, performed during Prjkt MOM: Dust, multi-disciplinary exhibition at Safehouse 2

Vic Project - co-choreographer for Vic Ballet School's curtain-raiser for VERVE performance

**2015** Eve and Adam - Linbury Studio Theatre, Lilian Baylis Studio Theatre, Platform Theatre (London), Anya Linden Studio Theatre (London), The Key Studio Theatre (Peterborough), Swindon Dance

**2014** The ZebEel - Linbury Studio Theatre, Royal Opera House, Anya Linden Studio Theatre (London)

Tengri launch fashion show - site-specific, self-choreographed solo at Corbet Place Bar and Lounge

**Udstødt** - short dance-film screened at Anya Linden Studio Theatre, Dance Film Festival UK 2015, London Short Film Festival 2015

**espace** - short dance-film screened at Dance Film Festival UK 2014 (part of Fi.ELD Festival 2014, an East London Dance initiative)

scraps - short dance-film screened at Dance Film Festival UK 2015 (London)

**2012** Anecdotal Drawing - Collaboration with Pipa player Chua Yew Kok of Dingyi Music Company @ Esplanade Recital Studio, Singapore

#### **Future projects**

**Summer 2016** Re-working of *Eve and Adam* for short dance-film, to be screened at Exeter Phoenix and potential London venue with other personal dance-films

Collaboration with That Ribeiro Company as director/filmmaker for short dance-film

# Notable performance experience

2015-2016 VERVE choreographers: Anton Lachky, Renaud Wiser, Efrosini Protopapa, Athina Vahla (UK + EU tour)

Theo Clinkard Research & Development

Impermanence Dance Theatre Trust in Ideas

Robert Cohan CBE Stabat Mater UK tour

Christopher Bruce CBE Some Sort of Island Dance UK tour

Richard Chappell Sum of Four @Lillian Baylis Studio Theatre, Sadler's Wells

Richard Chappell Dance Linchpin, a duet on film

Willy Laury Winded, dance-film

Hannah Anderson-Ricketts Destitution for Street Stories 2013 @Linbury Studio Theatre, Royal Opera House

Adriana Bertola 'Fire and Ice' music video

# Notable choreographic research and personal development

Jos Baker Physicology workshops

**Tomislav English** floor work + movement patterning workshops

Charlie Morrissey contact improvisation and partnering workshops

Gary Clarke voice workshops

Csaba Varga (dancer with Anton Lachky Company) workshops

**Tim Casson** class and "interactive audience-collaboration" workshops

Batsheva Summer Intensive with Ohad Naharin and dancers from Batsheva Dance Company

Milan Tomasik: 'Happy Feet' Intensive

Akram Khan Company masterclass with Akram Khan @ConversAsians, Singapore

Flying Low & Passing Through summer intensive and additional training with Leila McMillan

Hofesh Shechter Company: 'Sun' 4-day intensive

Jasmin Vardimon Company: JV2 taster intensive // 'PARK' workshop

Countertechnique intensive: Jenia Kasatkenia

Matthew Bourne's New Adventures 'Swan Lake' and 'The Car Man' workshops

#### **Teaching Experience**

2016 Vic Ballet School (Verona) - Class, repertoire and creative session based on Efrosini Protopapa's work

2015 Centre for Advanced Training - The Place London

Chrysalis London - Richard Chappell Dance workshop

Gielgud Academy for Performing Arts - Richard Chappell Dance workshop

**School of The Arts Singapore** - Richard Chappell Dance workshop

2015-2014 Richard Chappell Dance intensives - Devon + London, ballet, contemporary

## <u>Training</u>

VERVE, postgraduate diploma (Northern School of Contemporary Dance)

Rambert School of Ballet and Contemporary Dance, BA (Hons)

School of The Arts, Singapore

Singapore Ballet Academy

## Other skills

Styles: Hip hop // House // Locking // Commercial // Jazz // Chinese Classical Dance // Tibetan Dance

Film & Media: Cinematography // Photography // Video and photo editing // Graphic Design

**Charlotte Kirkpatrick Memorial Award recipient 2014**