



MOTIONHOUSE AUDITION

2nd – 6th OCTOBER 2023, Leamington Spa

For the first time in a number of years, we have an opportunity for new performers to join our team.

We are looking for a number of courageous performers with a versatile skills base: **professional dancers with an interest in developing acrobatic, circus and physical theatre skills, and professional acrobats with excellent dance and movement skills.**

We are passionate about exploration, skills development and creative collaboration and are a company committed to developing our own language by blending a wide range of movement and physical skills. We are looking for brilliant performers who want to join us on this journey and who are interested in evolving this unique language with us.

We work hard and we work year-round. Our performers are full-time employees, paid all year. We perform extensively both indoors and outdoors, nationally and internationally. We impress and delight our audiences, but we also want to move them too. We want our work to provoke thought and conversation and to be emotionally involving. We believe in the power of performance to change lives.

It has always been important to us that the company on stage reflects and represents the society in which we live. We are looking for performers who will bring a diverse range of backgrounds, cultures, perspectives and life experiences to our creative process and enable the richest possible creative conversation.

If this sounds like the company for you, please read on.

The audition will take place in our creation space in Leamington Spa. Whilst it is an open audition, attendance is by registration only. The audition process will take place over 5 days, with gradually reducing numbers invited to stay. The first round will be repeated from 2nd - 4th October, with each applicant being assigned to an initial audition on **one** of these dates. Recalls will then run from 5th – 6th and will be by invitation based on the first round.

Unfortunately, we cannot cover costs for attendance at the initial or first recall auditions but will support overnight costs for those who get through to the final day of auditions.

Due to the high level of interest in this audition, we will have to close registration once we have reached capacity, so we encourage you to register early.

Anticipated start date of contract: 15th January 2024.

Criteria:

- Professional dancers with an interest in developing acrobatic, circus and physical theatre skills and professional acrobats with excellent dance and movement skills
- Excellent fitness, stamina and strength
- Courage and an eagerness to experiment and be creative
- Strong sense of performance and theatricality
- A good team player with a strong work ethic
- Ability to cope with a busy schedule, including extensive touring both nationally and internationally
- Interest in teaching and participation in a range of educational and community settings
- All applicants must be 18 years or over to register

Currently we do not sponsor people to work in the UK, but we may consider doing this in the right circumstances. The registration form allows you to tell us more about your status. Please note, our working language is English.

How to apply:

To apply, please complete our audition [registration form](#). We will then be in touch in September to confirm your eligibility and, at that point, we will provide you with further details.

Please ensure you have also completed our anonymous [Equality, Diversity, & Inclusion form](#) as part of registration.

The audition process will span a number of days in Leamington Spa (up to 3 days dependant on success). We will contact you with all the information that you need prior to the audition, including which initial date you will be invited to attend. Recall rounds will be held on the 5th & 6th October.

We are unable to consider applicants who are unable to attend the dates of the audition.

If you have any queries, please email: jobs@motionhouse.co.uk

We are committed to promoting equality in all aspects of our work, and to creating a culture that respects, values and champions diversity. We uphold equal opportunities and recognise and celebrate diversity. Read our full [Equality, Diversity & Inclusion statement](#).