



Open Call for Dance Trainee for Season 24/25

Singapore Chinese Dance Theatre (SCDT), a professional dance company incorporated in 2014 with the support of Singapore Hokkien Huay Kuan and the National Arts Council (NAC) funding scheme, is dedicated to advancing Chinese dance through artistic excellence. With a vision to contribute significantly to the development of Chinese dance on both local and international stages

SCDT celebrates its 10th Anniversary in Season 24/25, marked by an exciting program lineup. We offer traineeship opportunities to individuals demonstrating positive work traits, a strong sense of professionalism, and a collaborative team spirit in joining us for this exciting journey.

Performance Opportunities:

- SCDT's 10th Anniversary Core Production on 6 and 7 September 2024;
- International arts festivals; and
- SCDT's community outreach events include Chinese Dance Fiesta and Under the BIG Tree.

Other Benefits:

- **Training Opportunities:** Unlimited free company classes during your traineeship;
- **Networking Opportunities:** Meet arts professionals in the field of the arts and
- **Job Opportunities:** Trainee will be given a monthly allowance as well as a performance allowance. Outstanding candidates will also get a chance to receive a one-year contract as Company dance apprentices, subject to availability.

Pre-requisites:

- 18 to 30 years old;
- Minimum Height: 1.6m (for females) and 1.7m (for males); and
- Minimum Criteria: Dance graduates (Singaporean/PR), current dance students of recognised local art institutes (e.g. Lasalle, NAFA or SOTA), or those with at least a Grade 12 Chinese Ethnic Folk Dance Graded Examination accreditation or equivalent.

Requirements:

- Traineeship period: January 2024 - March 2025;
- Training days: Saturday and Sunday (To attend a minimum of one scheduled dance training weekly);
- Training hours: Every Saturday, 1:30 pm to 7:30 pm; Every Sunday, 12:30 pm – 6:30 pm; and
- Additional attendance for dance training, rehearsals and performances as required

Audition:

Date: **7 January 2024** (Sunday)

Time: 2 pm - 5 pm

Location: 5 Sennett Road, Singapore Hokkien Huay Kuan Cultural Academy, Blk A, Singapore 466781

Content: Attend company class (including barre work, centre work and technique routine), present at least 2 minutes of dance repertoire and dance improvisation.

To Apply:

Email to career@scdt.com.sg by **24 December 2023 (Sunday)**, with the following information:

- CV
- Headshot
- Contact details
- Video footage showcasing your dance technique and performance skills (max. 5 mins)

Only shortlisted applicants will be notified to attend the audition via email by **2 February 2024**.

Enquiries:

Contact us at 6589 5901 or career@scdt.com.sg.