Body-Mind Centering® exploring the anatomy & poetics of your bodymind Alice Cummins

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with Alice Cummins

Beginning with the premise that *movement is* perception, we will rigorously engage with different Body-Mind Centering® principles. Through a practice of listening and attention you will develop **somatic awareness.** The workshops will include guided movement, anatomical information, imagery and directed touch, followed by Authentic Movement, shared discussion, and journal writing to integrate the material.

Body-Mind Centering® (BMC) www.bmcassoc.org is a study of the experienced body in contrast to the objectified body. It is an embodied approach to learning, living and knowledge making. BMC engages the bodymind through the poetics of

Alice's teaching is deeply informed by her experience as a dancer, thinker and practitioner. She imparts the fullness of her work as fluently as she speaks and moves – with a resonant embodied knowledge.

Nikki H (Theatre Artist and Doctoral Candidate).

moving, touch and experiential anatomy, inviting change that is an integration of our physical, psychological, intellectual and imaginative life. Alice studied Body-Mind Centering® with Bonnie Bainbridge Cohen in the United States, 1995-98.

Please bring a blanket for working on the floor and a journal for writing.

TIME: Wednesdays 11 – 1pm

DATES: 28 January – 25 February 2015 **VENUE:** Dancehouse, 150 Princes Street

North Carlton

COST: \$220 (5 weeks)

Alice Cummins is a dance artist, Body-Mind Centering® Practitioner and Movement Educator (ISMETA). She has a Master of Arts from Victoria University and has been researching and teaching her work nationally and internationally for over twenty years. Her process creates an environment of refined somatic awareness and generates engagement and embodied intelligence within a community of shared inquiry. Alice's approach is accessible to people from diverse backgrounds. She welcomes the richness and contribution of this in the learning and sharing of knowledge.

FURTHER ENQUIRIES 0419 227 800

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