

Liv Aira

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Artwork experience:

2023 Choreographer and dancer in of "Nåjden och den vita renen" for kids 3+, 9 shows, Dorotea, Sweden

2023 Dancer, choreographer, project manager of Skájdde, production with nine people on stage, 5 dancers, 3 musicians and one story teller, story telling walk in the woods with one dancer and one story teller. Four shows for 1 000 in the audience, Storforsen, Sweden

2023 Dancer in "Electric Lies" by Camilla Therese Karlsen, Berlin, Germany

2023 Dancer in sami film project Sahrakka by Renhuvud Dans, Idre, Sweden

2023 Project leader, dancer, choreographer of the woman project "LUNA" with 13 female artists through Danskollektivet Ronny, Linköping and Norrköping Sweden

2023 Dancer, (choreographer 2020) Tour with Ájttega, 10 shows in Sweden

2023 Dancer, (choreographer 2021) Tour with kids show Akti Lij, 95 shows since January 2023 until December 2023 in Sweden and Norway

2022 Choreographer, dancer, artistic director, of the production Skájdde, 5 dancers, 3 musicians. 2000 people in the audience, Sorforsen, Älvsbyn, Sweden

2022 Residency at Riksteatern Stockholm Hallunda to create the show Skájdde by Liv Aira

2022 Choreographer, project leader "The dancing book" for 10-13 year olds, Sweden

2022 Dancer, (choreographer 2021) Tour with kids show Akti Lij, 78 shows since January 2022 until December 2022 in Sweden and Norway

2021 Arrangeing "Ett minne En känsla" for sami dancers, online, Sápmi.

<https://www.invisiblepeople.se/a-memory-a-feeling>

2021 Choreographer, dancer and project manager in screendance film Dálvve and Gidágiesse, Kvikkjokk, Sweden

2021 Choreographer of the sami theater Mordet vid Saskamjaure by Nina Nordvall Vahlberg, Jokkmokk, Sweden

2021 Arranging the worlds first sami screen dance festival LÅVDA Jokkmokk, Sweden and online (2000 streams). <https://www.invisiblepeople.se/lavda> (password Låvda21)

2021 Project leader, choreography and dancer in "Akti Lij", for 4-10 years , sami production, tour in Sweden and Norway

2020 Project leader, choreography and dancer in "Carpa", for 11+ through Danskollektivet Ronny, 11 shows, Norrköping Sweden.

2020.09 Tour with Ájttega, dance and jojk production with Dans ARR Öst and Scenkonst Sörmland, Sweden.

2020.06 Idea, choreography, dancer in screen dance film "Gidágiesse", Kvikkjokk, Sweden

2020.02.06-07 Artistic director, choreographer, dancer, "Ájttega" Sami contemporary dance production, Ája, Ajtte Jokkmokk, Sweden.

2020 Dancer, choreographer, "Luorkidit" cultural performance with live joik. Sami Duodji, Jokkmokk, Sweden

2019.10.10 Dancer, "Vem är Ronny?", contemporary production for 9-12 year, by Danskollektivet Ronny, choreographer Sophia Örnell, Norrköping, Sweden.

2019 Dancer, “Plupp – en osynlig”, contemporary production for 3 – 6 year, by Art How and Petra Howard, Stockholm and Abisko, Sweden.

2019 Dancer, “Mannem Vuajnah”, sami contemporary dance production for adults, choreographed by Marika Renhuvud, currently touring Sweden and Norway.

2019.03.22 Dancer and choreographerr, “Luorkijdit”, cultural performance on the World Water day, joik by Elin Teilus, Swedish water house, Stockholm, Sweden.

2019 Guest dancer, CD release “Iellemij- to life”, Elin Teilus with band, Ája, Jokkmokk, Sweden.

2019 Dancer, “Tjuavuoh Mujna” with Grammisnominated Sara Ajnnak live TV SVT2 “Samernas nationaldag”, Jokkmokk, Sweden.

Companies/organisations: Founder of the concept “Invisible People Contemporary Dance Company” that is handled through mainly four organisations below. Liv is the CEO of Aira Dance Company AB in Sweden and Aira Dance Company AS in Norway, both address in Jokkmokk, Sweden. She is the head of the board in the none profit organisations Invisible People Contemporary Dance based in Jokkmokk and the dance collective Ronny/Danskollektivet Ronny in Norrköping, Sweden. She is a board member of Danscentrum Norr in Sweden.

Education:

Institute of the Art Barcelona, Master dance and choreography degree, Graduating year: 2017-2018

Institute of the Art Barcelona, Bachelor dance degree, Graduating year: 2014-2017

Ballet: *Alejandro Altamirano, Vincent Gros*

Contemporary: *Eva Sánchez Martz, Jasmin Vardimon, Alejandro Altamirano, Hannes Michael Bronczkowski, Harriet Macauley, Stephan Boko, Andoni Garcia, Sara Colomino, Eduardo Punto, Andre Megerdichian*

Jazz: *Robert Foley, Greg McPherson Seward, Sandro Franchini, Mandi Guidi, Jenn Blake, Murry Grant, Nicolette Whitley, Jessica Hallam*

Commercial/HipHop: *Chris Sole, Myron Birch, Justine Campagnard, Guillermo Vidal Ribes, Roberto Sarenceno, Marco Bebbu, Fernando Salazar, Jono Kitchens, Adam Marc Kelly, George Grayson, Sandro Franchini*

Tap: *Roxane Butterfly, Lluís Garrido, Justine Garner*

Singing and music: *Ruth Alexander, Joe Robinson, Ian Davidson, Frankie Biggz*

Acting: *Max Rubin, Olivia Owens*

MA mentors: *Riikka Laakso, Armando Rotondi, Eva Sánchez Martz*

Physiotherapy education, Linköpings Hälsouniversitet, Sweden 60 HP: 2013-2014

Pedagogy through confirmation: step 1, 2 and 3

Additional skills: Lecturing in arts connected to indigenous culture, Choreographer, dance teaching, scenography, light design, graphic design, project and event development, stage management, dance photography, costume design, marshal arts (Ju-jutsu and Kung-fu), skiing, swimming, painting, physiotherapy, rehearsal assisting and marketing.

Scholarships: Arcus Rubicus 100 000 kr 2023. Sápmi Art 20 000 kr 2019, Kaija Anstensen minnesfond 15 000 kr 2019, “IABarcelona” 2017 84 000 kr, “Anders Sandrews stiftelse” 75 000 kr 2016.

Liv is a member of Sami Lavdi and have a collaboration with the south Sami theatre in Norway.

2023 Liv started the work of opening a sami Dance centre in Jokkmokk, Swedish Sápmi. They are planning to open it in 16th of December Vuollerim 2024 Sweden.

The companies has received findings from: Kulturrådet, Konstnärsnämnden, Sparbanken Nord, Sametinget, Samerådet, Gretas Fond, Längmanska företagarfonden, Jokkmokks Kommun, Älvsbyns kommun, Arjeplogs Kommun, Dansinitiativet, Riksteatern Nationellt, Riksteatern Norrbotten, Region Norrbotten, Nordic Bridges, Norrlandsoperan, Giron Sameteater m.fl.