Academy of Northern Ballet

Academy Pianist (FREELANCE)

- Date: August 2024
- Department: Academy of Northern Ballet

Main purpose of the Job

To play the piano for Academy classes on Sundays during term time.

Education

A stage management or arts qualification is desirable or relevant professional experience will be considered.

Qualifications & Experience

- Music degree or equivalent training
- Previous professional experience playing music for ballet classes is preferable but not essential, training and guidance can be provided.
- Piano playing should be of a professional level and a high standard of general musicianship.
- Site reading is not an essential part of this role.
- Able to respond to the ballet teachers requests in terms of time signature, tempo, and dynamic.

Key Responsibilities

- To play for Academy classes on Sunday mornings music to be suitable for ballet class and to include improvisation and classical ballet music.
- To work with the class teacher to reflect their musical aims for each exercise.
- To maintain appropriate staff/student relationships.

Hours

- Part-time hours on Sundays during term time (9:45-11:15 pianist will be able to claim 2hrs at their hourly rate)
- Additional hours may be available regularly on Saturdays 13:15-15:00
- Additional hours may be available for Intensives, and one-off events, including auditions, masterclasses etc.

Rates of Pay

In the region of £23 per hour, depending on experience.

Application Process

Please submit a copy of your CV, along with a brief covering letter stating why you would like to be considered for this role, to hradmin@northernballet.com by Friday 6 September, 2024

Positions are subject to the successful candidate holding or obtaining a full enhanced DBS which must be registered on the update service.

As @ 13 August 2024