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THE HARRIS THEATER CLOSES THE 2009-2010 SEASON WITH HUBBARD STREET DANCE CHICAGO AND MAYFAIR DANCE ACADEMY

CHICAGO (June, 2010) – The **Harris Theater for Music and Dance** performance calendar comes to a close with the final appearance this season by Hubbard Street Dance Chicago and the annual program with Mayfair Dance Academy students.

Tickets for these performances are on-sale and available at the Harris Theater box office located in Millennium Park at 205 E. Randolph Dr., by calling 312-334-7777 or by visiting www.HarrisTheaterChicago.org.

Program information for the month of **June** at the Harris Theater is as follows:

Hubbard Street Dance Chicago Summer Engagement

June 3 – 6; Thursday, 7:30pm; Friday, 8:00pm; Saturday, 8:00pm; Sunday, 3:00pm
Tickets: \$25 - \$90

Critically acclaimed for its exuberant, athletic and innovative repertoire by world-renowned choreographers, Hubbard Street Dance Chicago's ensemble of dancers displays unparalleled versatility and virtuosity. The company's repertoire will expand with the Summer Series program, which features momentous premieres by choreographers Aszure Barton and HSDC Resident Choreographer Alejandro Cerrudo, as well as a return of Toru Shimazaki's fiery and athletic *Bardo*. The opening night performance includes a post-performance discussion in the theater with the choreographers and members of the HSDC Artistic Staff.

<i>Premiere</i>	Aszure Barton
<i>Premiere</i>	Alejandro Cerrudo
<i>Bardo</i>	Toru Shimazaki

Mayfair Dance Academy Student Recitals

Sunday, June 13 2:00 pm and 6:00 pm
Tickets: \$25 - \$45

The 50 year old dance instruction institution returns to the Harris Theater for its annual student recitals. Over 600 Mayfair students between the ages of 3 and 18 will showcase their talents in a Carnivale and Circus inspired programs. Mayfair Dance Academy has been working with young students in the community teaching across all dance disciplines including Ballet, Tap, Hiphop and Jazz. These performances sell-out each year, so call in advance for tickets.

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All programs, prices and dates are subject to change.

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Opened in 2003, the Harris Theater's mission is to partner and collaborate with an array of Chicago's emerging and mid-sized performing arts organizations to help them build the resources and infrastructure necessary to achieve artistic growth and long-term organizational sustainability. The Harris Theater for Music and Dance was the first multi-use performing arts venue to be built in the Chicago downtown area since 1929 and today the Theater continues to host the most diverse offerings of any venue in Chicago, featuring the city's world-renowned music and dance institutions and the *Harris Theater Presents* series of acclaimed national and international companies. To learn more about the season at the Harris Theater, visit www.harristheaterchicago.org or call the box office at 312-334-7777 to request a brochure.

For additional information about the Harris Theater for Music and Dance, Chicago's state-of-the art 1,470 seat performance venue, please visit www.harristheaterchicago.org.

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