# **International Modern Dance Festival**

## 1. Festival Overview

Official Name				
the International Modern Dance Festival (MODAFE)				
2009 Edition				
The 28th, May 26~June 6, 2009				
Number of Shows Presented				
(21) Shows from (7) Countries	Category	Dance		
Domestic 15	International	6		
Program Features				

### Main performances

# (Foreign invited performances / Domestic talented choreographer performances)

Provides international networking place by introducing newly created foreign performances and new works by top choreographers in Korea

#### Spark Place

Program to foster young talented choreographers between ages of 25~32 through the competition. The participating teams are decided through auditions for 3 times, and a winner is selected after their performances and has the opportunity to become a <MODAFE Invited Choreographer> at next year's MODAFE as well as gets awarded by New Choreographer's Award by Modern Dance Association of Korea.

### **MODAFE Film**

Films showing the flows of global modern dances are presented to audience during the festival.

## **MODAFE Workshop**

Provides young Korean dancers with opportunities to learn advanced trends of world modern dance from globally renowned choreographers.

# MODAFE Talk

Time for audiences to talk with foreign invited choreographers and dancers after their performances. It enables audience to better understand the performances.

### MOS (Modafe Off Stage)

Program designed to combine all forms of artistic genres. Presents experimental and powerful off-stages, overcoming the concept of space.

#### Website

www.modafe.org

# 2. Specialist Information

Name	HAHN Sun-suk	
Job Title	e Artistic Director	
Fields of	nterest	(a)
Dance, International Collaboration, Education		3 3
Work Exp	erience in regards to Festival Programming	

2008 the International Modern Dance Festival (MODAFE) Artistic Director 2009 the International Modern Dance Festival (- MODAFE) Artistic Director 2009 International Residency COMP Chairperson

# Work Experience in regards to International Collaboration

2008 the International Modern Dance Festival (MODAFE) Co-Production
HWANG Mi-sook <a Snail's Gallop> LEE Yong-woo <the Freedom of the WII>
2008 the International Modern Dance Festival (MODAFE) Co-Production
Benoit Lachambre <Is You Me> / CANADA
2009 the International Modern Dance Festival (MODAFE) Co-Production
Sanhghai Dance Festival / CHINA <II Grido(outcry)>
2009 International Residency COMP

# Additional Work Experience

Prof. of SangMyung Univ.

President of Contemporary Dance Association of Korea

Director of the Modern Dance Promotion of Korea

Director of Korean Association of Arts Education

<Embracing the city of Seoul 2009>

Director of the Korean Society for Dance Studies

Artistic Director of Han's D.C