



PERTH INTERNATIONAL DANCE

Back by popular demand, Perth International Dance is pleased to once again present a Balkan Dance Workshop with Dancer and Choreographer Yorgo Kaporis.



Son of a Greek Father and a Macedonian Mother, Yorgo Kaporis is a multi-talented dancer whose achievements in dance span across several different styles from folk dancing, to ballroom to ballet.

He is currently the Artistic Director, Choreographer and founding member of "Dusha Balkana" - The Australian Academy of Balkan Dance & Culture Formed - a multicultural dance group, that has no political, cultural or religious condemnation of the various cultures living within Australia.

Yorgo has danced professionally in Bulgaria with the famed Pirin Ensemble for 4 years, and choreographs dances to provide a visual and auditory explosion of colour and shapes, which tantalize the senses, and leave the audience begging for more. Yorgo has won various awards in Australia for his original choreographies, and the group has had the pleasure of not only performing for various communities within Sydney, but is invited annually to attend the Woodford Folk Festival in Queensland. Yorgo has choreographed for various Folk groups in and around Sydney, and his group(s) participates in the McDonalds Performing Arts Challenge.