

AKADEMI'S MANIFESTO

Akademi's Manifesto is a new statement developed by the Joint CEOs in consultation with the board and independent Artist Advisory Group in summer 2021.

The Manifesto represents Akademi's public declaration and commitment of our aims and values.

- Our creative programme will be driven by societal and scientific issues that are relevant and resonant to the now.
- The dance artists we work with are our collaborators and co-curators and we will actively engage with them to nurture the future generations of dance leaders and create work of high artistic quality.
- Our learning and participation programme will be underpinned by research to ensure dance impacts the physical and mental wellbeing of our communities.
- We will actively seek opportunities for people of all cultures, abilities, and ages to access South Asian dance.
- Every new work will seek to factor in inclusivity and access.
- We will endeavour to listen to our communities to plan and devise all new learning and participation programmes effectively in collaboration with our artists and participants.
- Our work will engage with dance artists and communities through partnerships with organisations across the country.
- We are committed to this manifesto. We will endeavour to listen, be responsive and evolve with our changing times.