

USA Dance and the UBA take the lead in learning about each other – prior to the 2018 Youth Olympics, where Breakin makes its debut as a sport at the Youth Olympic level.

<u>USA Dance, Inc</u>, along with <u>United Breakin Association</u> **(UBA)** are pleased to announce an exhibition dance presented by members of the UBA, March 31, 2017 at 8:50 pm, in Baltimore, MD, held at the <u>Renaissance Harborplace Hotel</u>.

BBoys and **BGirls** will be dancing, for the first time, in the <u>USA Dance 2017 National DanceSport Championships</u>, organized by USA Dance, Inc., the National Governing Body for DanceSport in the United States. This three-day event hosts the <u>World DanceSport Federations</u> Open World Ranking Tournaments, representing almost every state in the union, with ages ranging from Pre-Teen through 70. <u>Purchase Tickets</u>

The UBA member **BBoys** and **BGirls** will be joining more than 1000 dance competitors in their exhibition. The UBA and USA Dance, Inc., organizations are excited to look forward to expanding **DanceSport** with **BBoy** and **BGirl** dancers in future events as DanceSport collaborates with UBA to bring **BBoys** and **BGirls** to the Olympics.

DanceSport is an official worldwide sport recognized by the <u>International Olympics Committee</u>, and USA Dance joins the global movement to bring DanceSport to the Olympic Games, one of the fastest growing sports in the world. **BBoys** and **BGirls** are at the forefront of this growth.

<u>United Breakin Association</u> is the only global trade association with a mission to unify the breakin community, through preserving the culture, providing educational resources to the community to enhance the breakin community and to continue the growth of the dance, globally. The UBA maintains an elected board of representatives, voted in by the membership.

United States DanceSport athletes compete in the WDSF World Championships and World Championships. UBA represents yet another dance style, with international growth.

"We are excited for the opportunity to grow our dance and culture within the Olympic Community," stated UBA's President Candy Molia. "USA Dance has open their doors to welcome us at their prestige competition and we look forward to learning about each other's dance and culture while bringing in new fans and sponsors to support this movement." Please contact: UBA at <u>unitedbreakin@gmail.com</u>

