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**Positive Impact Golf** Dance Books Limited  
 A quick, inspiring, yet practical read, *Don't Settle* demystifies what it takes to go after the job and the life you love. For the 20- and 30-somethings who find themselves dissatisfied at work, in jobs that are "fine" or which simply "pay the bills," Author Molly King urges readers "*Don't Settle*" with a career whose only highlights are weekends and vacation time. Life is too short to trade hours for dollars with the hope that things might improve in the future. Written in an easily digestible Q&A format, *Don't Settle* settles all the questions, doubts, and fears that arise when beginning or restarting a job search,

and empowers readers to boldly take charge of their career path's trajectory and redirect their momentum into an arena where they are truly passionate and driven intrinsically to make a significant contribution. *Don't Settle* includes all of the following and more! \* Insider interviews with top industry game-changers who've made the leap into doing work they love and are crushing it, including lifestyle entrepreneur and creator of the highly-acclaimed podcast, *School of Greatness*, Lewis Howes and New York Times Bestselling author and modern-day explorer, Chris Guillebeau\* Quick Q&A sections to cover over 90 job search-related questions and concerns\* The step-by-step processes Molly King designed and implemented to take her from a very dark and hopeless state about her career trajectory, to a state where

she's now compelled into her life's "work"\* Exercises for the reader to help identify where they currently are, what they ultimately want to do/create, and how to get there\* As well as several tools and resources to help support the reader on his or her own journey Like many of us, Molly had her own version of a job that looked good on paper with a "comfortable" paycheck. But the position and her trajectory left her wanting more. She had glimpsed the possibility of having work that she was truly proud of and that she feel matters, getting to wake up feeling "pulled" out of bed, rather than "pushed" through the day. Wanting more out of her life and her career, Molly left her cookie cutter corporate world in search of something much more well suited to her unique take on this world, and boy did she find something incredible: herself. The

hope is that Molly's story and the tools she used to make that shift-from having a job with a good paycheck, and an OK life, to doing work that inspires-will encourage others to evaluate where they are, where they'd like to go, and to muster up the courage to move in that direction. Each of us is made for so much more than just going to work, paying bills, and living for the weekend or our next vacation. The perfect job or a life you love doesn't just happen. It's a choice and it takes courage and a lot of work. But from those who've undertaken the journey can tell you, from this side of the cubicle, it's well worth the struggle.

**Dance and Gender** Createspace Independent Publishing Platform

This essential guide helps teachers refine their approach to fundamental challenges in the classroom. Based on research from cognitive science and formative assessment, it ensures teachers can offer all students the support and challenge they need – and can do so sustainably. Written by an experienced teacher and teacher educator, the book balances evidence-informed principles and practical suggestions. It contains: A detailed exploration of six core problems that all teachers face in planning lessons, assessing learning and responding to students Effective practical strategies to address each of these problems across a range of subjects Useful examples of each strategy in practice and accounts from teachers already using these approaches Checklists to apply each principle successfully and advice tailored to teachers with specific responsibilities. This innovative book is a valuable resource for new and experienced teachers alike who wish to become more responsive teachers. It offers the evidence, practical strategies and supportive advice needed to make sustainable, worthwhile changes.

*Swingin' at the Savoy* SAGE Publications

Do you want to stay motivated even when you're not dancing at the time? Get yourself a notebook with your favorite dance style on the cover! Perfect for dancers or those who want to take their chances in dancing! Ideal for adults, teenagers and kids! Can be used for: - writing notes and ideas -notation book to never forget your steps -dance diary - scheduling and many more! The notebook is filled with blank lined pages with carefully selected quotes on every 20th page. Check out our other notebooks! Specifications: Cover Finish: Glossy Dimensions: 6" x 9" Interior: Lined, White Paper Pages: 100

*American Allegory* Wesleyan University Press

The American Irish: A History, is the first concise, general history of its subject in a generation. It provides a long-overdue synthesis of Irish-American history from the beginnings of emigration in the early eighteenth century to the present day. While most previous accounts of the subject have concentrated on the nineteenth century, and especially the period from the famine (1840s) to Irish independence (1920s), *The American Irish: A History* incorporates the Ulster Protestant emigration of the eighteenth century and is the first book to include extensive coverage of the twentieth century. Drawing on the most innovative scholarship from both sides of the Atlantic in the last generation, the book offers an extended analysis of the conditions in Ireland that led to mass migration and examines the Irish immigrant experience in the United States in terms of arrival and settlement, social mobility and assimilation, labor, race, gender, politics, and nationalism. It is ideal for courses on Irish history, Irish-American history, and the history of American immigration more generally.

*Waltzing in the Dark* University Press of Florida

Dance has been connected to the practices and ideologies that have shaped notions of a Nordic region for more than a century and it is ingrained into the culture and society of the region. This book investigates different dance phenomena that have either engaged with or dismantled notions of Nordicness. Looking to the motion of dancers and dance forms between different locations, organizations and networks of individuals, its authors discuss social dancing, as well as historical processes associated with collaborations in folk dance and theatre dance. They consider how similarities and differences between the Nordic countries may be discerned, for instance in patterns of reception at the arrival of dance forms from outside the Nordic countries - and vice versa, how dance from the Nordic countries is received in other parts of the world, as seen for example in the Nordic Cool Festival at the Kennedy Centre in 2013. The book opens a rare window into Nordic culture seen through the prism of dance. While it grants the reader new insights into the critical role of dance in the formation and imagining of a region, it also raises questions about the interplay between dance practices and politics.

*The Journal of American Folk-lore* Human Kinetics

About the book:This book is dedicated to the millions of golfers who have been misled by traditional concepts of golf

swing technique which actually prevent them from swinging a golf club and playing the game in a way that is true to their personal flexibility, their age, and their individual body rhythms. The unconventional concepts in this book have the power not only to make the game much easier and more enjoyable but also to help players plug into the same natural abilities that all human beings possess. It is unusually interactive, starting by questioning you on your beliefs, then telling of Brian's own personal experience of going from beginner to tour player in 5 years. He goes on to give real life examples of his coaching philosophy and finishes with 10 practical steps that you can take immediately to improve your game. The incredibly simple 'La Danse du Golf' exercise can revolutionise your swing with its Six Core Basics and you will learn that these are not, however, the basics that you have been indoctrinated to believe in traditionally. This book is packed full of extremely effective ideas and is a must read for any golfer looking to improve or any beginner looking to learn the game quickly and effectively. If you are looking for a classic and traditional take on how to play golf, this book may not be for you. On the other hand, if you are unhappy with the results of normal teaching or you're just not happy with your game and have an open mind, then this book can transform your swing and the way you see yourself as a golfer. It is a must read that will inspire you with fresh and innovative options and alternatives for playing the game to your potential.

**Rooted Jazz Dance** Oxford University Press

This e-only volume expands and updates the original 4-volume Encyclopedia of Women in Today's World (2011), offering a wide range of new entries and new multimedia content. The entries reflect such developments as the Arab Spring that brought women's issues in the Islamic world into sharp relief, the domination of female athletes among medal winners at the London 2012 Olympics, nine more women joining the ranks of democratically elected heads of state, and much more. The 475 articles in this e-only update (accompanied by photos and video clips) supplement the themes established in the original edition, providing a vibrant collection of entries dealing with contemporary women's issues around the world.

*Harlem of the West* Routledge

Many of the earliest books, particularly those dating back to the 1900s and before, are now extremely scarce and increasingly expensive. We are

republishing these classic works in affordable, high quality, modern editions, using the original text and artwork.

#### **Finding Rhythm** Alfred Music

Do you ever wish you could record your Swing dance routines, or help someone else remember theirs? Using a traditional notebook to record dance classes can be challenging, seeing as the pages can get lost or quickly become messy. Swing Dance Practice Journal is the ideal gift for yourself or a loved one, helping the owner keep track of everything they learned during every dance class. This innovative journal brings an organized and fun way to write down everything you've done and learned so far. With this journal, you can: Jot down the date and time of every Swing dance class Write the class number to keep track of how many classes you've had Write down the duration of your dance sessions Include the name of the special teacher who taught you Keep track of everything you've learned throughout your classes With the Swing Dance Practice Journal, you'll have a keepsake of everything you've learned during dance practice. Each page includes plenty of space to jot down everything you care about, from the date to the choreography and any other notes you'd like to remember. Purchase this journal for yourself, or a loved one who enjoys Swing dancing and wants to remember their journey. The Swing Dance Practice Journal gives you peace of mind in knowing you'll always be able to go back and relive a special class, or rehearse that challenging routine you are determined to master. You can even go back in time and recall your happiest, funniest moments! We know that purchasing a gift for someone special can be challenging. With so many options out there, it's difficult to pick something thoughtful. The Swing Dance Practice Journal is a one-of-a-kind gesture, empowering your loved one to remember something they're most passionate about at the drop of a beat. Your loved one will definitely notice how much you care about their talent and passion! No more space? Once the journal is full, simply purchase another one and build your collection. Reminisce about the days when you were just a beginner, spanning all the way through to today. You'll be surprised to see just how much you've accomplished! Don't forget to use your new journal as study material when you need to practice for a dance exam. Why not even stick images of your most memorable recitals? With the Swing Dance Practice Journal, you'll have a chance to record everything that's meaningful and special from each class - and that's a guarantee. Don't settle

for cliché gifts everyone else buys. Get something that can't be outgrown or faded, and relive every exciting, exhausting, and thrilling moment. With the Swing Dance Practice Journal you will not be disappointed! Click on the Add to Cart button to bag this special gift for yourself or a loved one today. Never forget a Swing dance move or moment again!

#### *The Routledge Dance Studies Reader* Apollo Publishers

Drawing on memoirs, oral histories, newspapers, magazines, recordings, photographs, literature, and films, Stowe looks at New Deal America through its music and shows us how the contradictions and tensions within swing--over race, politics, its own cultural status, the role of women--mirrored those played out in the larger society.

**Responsive Teaching** Routledge National Dance Education Organization Ruth Lovell Murray Book Award UNCG | Susan W. Stinson Book Award for Dance Education An African American art form, jazz dance has an inaccurate historical narrative that often sets Euro-American aesthetics and values at the inception of the jazz dance genealogy. The roots were systemically erased and remain widely marginalized and untaught, and the devaluation of its Africanist origins and lineage has largely gone unchallenged. Decolonizing contemporary jazz dance practice, this book examines the state of jazz dance theory, pedagogy, and choreography in the twenty-first century, recovering and affirming the lifeblood of jazz in Africanist aesthetics and Black American culture. Rooted Jazz Dance brings together jazz dance scholars, practitioners, choreographers, and educators from across the United States and Canada with the goal of changing the course of practice in future generations. Contributors delve into the Africanist elements within jazz dance and discuss the role of Whiteness, including Eurocentric technique and ideology, in marginalizing African American vernacular dance, which has resulted in the prominence of Eurocentric jazz styles and the systemic erosion of the roots. These chapters offer strategies for teaching rooted jazz dance, examples for changing dance curricula, and artist perspectives on choreographing and performing jazz. Above all, they emphasize the importance of centering Africanist and African American principles, aesthetics, and values. Arguing that the history of jazz dance is closely tied to the history of racism in the United States, these essays challenge a century of misappropriation and lean into difficult conversations of

reparations for jazz dance. This volume overcomes a major roadblock to racial justice in the dance field by amplifying the people and culture responsible for the jazz language. Contributors: LaTasha Barnes | Lindsay Guarino | Natasha Powell | Carlos R.A. Jones | Rubim de Toledo | Kim Fuller | Wendy Oliver | Joanne Baker | Karen Clemente | Vicki Adams Willis | Julie Kerr-Berry | Pat Taylor | Cory Bowles | Melanie George | Paula J Peters | Patricia Cohen | Brandi Coleman | Kimberley Cooper | Monique Marie Haley | Jamie Freeman Cormack | Adrienne Hawkins | Karen Hubbard | Lynnette Young Overby | Jessie Metcalf McCullough | E. Moncell Durden Publication of this work made possible by a Sustaining the Humanities through the American Rescue Plan grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. *24 Ways to Move More* Wood Lake Publishing Inc.

The performing arts is one particular area of youth community practice that can be effectively tapped to attract youth within schools and out-of-school settings, or what has been referred to as the "third area between school and family." These settings are non-stigmatizing, highly attractive community-based venues that serve youth and their respective communities. They can supplement or enhance formal education, providing a counter-narrative for youth to resist the labels placed on them by serving as a vehicle for reactivity and self-expression. Furthermore, the performing arts are a mechanism through which creative expression can transpire while concomitantly engaging youth in creative expression that is transformative at the individual and community level. Music, Song, Dance, and Theater explores the innovative programs and interventions in youth community practice that draw on the performing arts as a way to reach and engage the target populations. The book draws from the rich literature bases in community development and positive youth development, as well as from performing arts therapy and group interventions, offering a meeting point where innovative programs have emerged. All in all, the text is an invaluable resource for graduate social work and performing arts students, practitioners, and scholars.

**The Meaning Of Tango** Routledge The second edition of *The Routledge Dance Studies Reader* offers fresh critical perspectives on classic and modern dance forms, including ballroom, tango, Hip-hop, site-specific performance, and disability in dance. Alexandra Carter and Janet O'Shea deliver a substantially revised and

updated collection of key texts, featuring an enlightening new introduction, which tracks differing approaches to dance studies. Important articles from the first edition are accompanied by twenty new works by leading critical voices. The articles are presented in five thematic sections, each with a new editorial introduction and further reading. Sections cover: Making dance Performing dance Ways of looking Locating dance in history and society Debating the discipline The Routledge Dance Studies Reader gives readers access to over thirty essential texts on dance and provides expert guidance on their critical context. It is a vital resource for anyone interested in understanding dance from a global and contemporary perspective.

**Hear the Beat, Feel the Music** Read Books Ltd

Proficiency as a drummer has always come from great hand dexterity. However, with the introduction of modern drumming techniques, it has become increasingly necessary to gain complete independence of both the hands and feet. With various rhythmic exercises in easy-to-read notation, *4-Way Coordination* is designed to guide the drummer from simple patterns to advanced polyrhythms. Through the study of this method book, the student will gain invaluable listening skills and techniques that will provide insight to drumming in all styles.

*4-Way Coordination* University Press of Florida

Eric Franklin's first edition of *Conditioning for Dance* was a bestseller—and it is back and better than ever, offering state-of-the-art conditioning exercises for dancers. An internationally renowned master teacher, Franklin has developed a science-based method of conditioning that is taught and practiced in companies and schools around the world. In this new edition of *Conditioning for Dance*, he integrates the latest scientific research on strength, flexibility, and conditioning into his dance exercises.

**Modern Ballroom Dancing** Springer  
Want to get rhythm? Learn a foolproof method for hearing the beat of music. Learn to count music, how to clap, how to identify the structure of the music and

how to predict where the music is going. Start moving your body to music. More than 20 free instructional videos on YouTube. Don't be wishy-washy around music. Get rhythm.

*Ballroom Dance Journal* Mountaineers Books

"Perhaps," wrote Ralph Ellison more than seventy years ago, "the zoot suit contains profound political meaning; perhaps the symmetrical frenzy of the Lindy-hop conceals clues to great potential power." As Ellison noted then, many of our most mundane cultural forms are larger and more important than they appear, taking on great significance and an unexpected depth of meaning. What he saw in the power of the Lindy Hop—the dance that *Life* magazine once billed as "America's True National Folk Dance"—would spread from black America to make a lasting impression on white America and offer us a truly compelling means of understanding our culture. But with what hidden implications? In *American Allegory*, Black Hawk Hancock offers an embedded and embodied ethnography that situates dance within a larger Chicago landscape of segregated social practices. Delving into two Chicago dance worlds, the Lindy and Steppin', Hancock uses a combination of participant-observation and interviews to bring to the surface the racial tension that surrounds white use of black cultural forms. Focusing on new forms of appropriation in an era of multiculturalism, Hancock underscores the institutionalization of racial disparities and offers wonderful insights into the intersection of race and culture in America.

*Nordic Dance Spaces* Bluechip Publishers  
One woman embarked on a dance journey around the world, finding out how each dance tells a story of its country and learning how beautiful life can be when you take the lead. If you could do anything you wanted, what would it be? Aliénor Salmon was working as a happiness researcher in Bangkok when a friend asked her the question that turned life as she knew it on its heels. A novice dancer but experienced social researcher, the Franco-British Aliénor headed west from Bangkok to dance her way through Latin America. As she learns eighteen dances,

each native to the countries she visits, she engages with esoteric customs, traditions, and cultures. Through conversations and arduous studio hours, she learns that every step, pivot, and shake thrums with an undeniable spirit of place. And that in a world where we are over-connected but increasingly disconnected from one another, dance offers an authentically human experience. One that allows her to develop tolerance, kindness, truth, and love by holding the hands of a stranger and gazing into their eyes for the time of a song. With her fearless and candid approach, Aliénor will inspire you to take the reins of your own life—and have some fun along the way. In this dance-travelogue, you'll learn the history and steps of dances like salsa, samba, and tango, enjoy a resplendent meditation on happiness and wanderlust, and receive a life-affirming answer to the question: How do I take the first step?

*Being a Ballerina* Random House

From the backstreets of Buenos Aires to Parisian high society, this is the extraordinary story of the dance that captivated the world - a tale of politics and passion, immigration and romance. The Tango was the cornerstone of Argentine culture, and has lasted for more than a hundred years, popular today in America, Japan and Europe. 'The Meaning of Tango' traces the roots of this captivating dance, from its birth in the poverty stricken Buenos Aires, the craze of the early 20th century, right up until its revival today, thanks to shows such as *Strictly Come Dancing*. This book offers history, knowledge, teachings and in-sights which makes it valuable for beginners, yet its in-depth analysis makes it essential for experienced dancers. It is an elegant and cohesive critique of the fascinating tale of the Tango, which not only documents its culture and politics, but is also technically useful.

**Swing Dance Practice Journal** Harvard University Press

Represents the range and diversity of writings on dance from the mid to late 20th century, providing contemporary perspectives on ballet, modern dance, postmodern 'movement performance' jazz and ethnic dance.

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