

## **Earthdance Social Media, Photography, and Video Policy As per June 2018**

*Earthdance is a unique site for retreats, exclusive rentals, workshops and public events.  
We are a public entity and a private site.*

-In such an environment there is no public photography or videography at any event unless previously set up by Earthdance for the purposes of documentation. Videography and photography can also be set up by an event producer or a teacher or artist for their practice.

*This means that if you are doing filming or photography at Earthdance you must get any person's permission and a written release form signed to have them involved in any publicly posted video, sound or photograph.*

*Taking or posting photos of children under 18 is expressly prohibited without a parent or guardian's permission.*

-If you wish to create a video or photos as an art practice we ask that you apply for a Creator in Residence describing your project. We can then give you dates and times when this kind of project will work best.

*We have a consent/release attached to our registration for purposes of documenting events for publicity on our website. If this was signed then you have consented to being photographed or videoed. If you do not wish to be photographed or videoed then you will need to let the photographer or videographer of an event know prior to the beginning of the event.*

-Earthdance recognizes that a portion of our guests may wish to photograph, video record, or audio record aspects of their informal experience to post on various social media sites (e.g., Facebook and Instagram). An informal experience does not include classroom programs or scheduled events, unless otherwise stated (e.g., classes with social media component).

*To protect the privacy of others, no guest will be permitted to post or publish any photograph, video, or audio recording of other individuals during an informal ED experience without their permission or consent (including faculty, assistants, staff, or employees).*

-Without prior written permission, there is to be no use of Earthdance's logo, or individual video or audio recording of any Earthdance classroom program (including faculty or participants), or any scheduled campus event.

***If you do shoot video, make sound recordings, or take photos without asking permission or getting a consent form signed prior to publishing, Earthdance reserves the right to bar you from any events, residencies or retreats in the future.***

If you have any questions about this policy please be in touch with the Executive Director at [director@earthdance.net](mailto:director@earthdance.net). Thank you.