

## CONTACT

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# **ADAM KOAN**

#### **BUTOH ARTIST**

USA-based butoh performer, educator, facilitator & archivist with 15 years of dance experience having performed/guided in 15 countries. Known for founding of <u>Butoh</u> <u>Directory</u>, <u>Shadowbody Butoh Manual</u>, and the <u>Shadowbody YouTube</u> channel.

## MAIN WEBSITE

Main website connecting all artistic, written, and pedagogical activity: <a href="mailto:shadowbody.com">shadowbody.com</a>.

#### GUIDING

Adam has guided over 1,100 hours of butoh workshops/intensives in USA, México, Georgia, Turkey, Ukraine, Czechia, Germany, Serbia, Hungary, Spain, Finland, Italy, UK, India, and Israel.

# **EDUCATION**

**WORLD** | Butoh Workshops | '15 - '24 | Approx. 750 Hours | 44 butoh guides.

INDIA | Himalaya Subbody Butoh | '13, '14 '17, '18, '19 | Approx. 800 hours | Butoh training 25 hrs per week for Fall '13, Spring '14 then returning as student/facilitator for Summer & Fall '17, Summer & Fall '18 & Spring '19.

FLORIDA, USA | USF & HCC | '10 thru '13 | Ballet & Modern dance programs

#### SPP PROJECT

The <u>SPP</u> (Spontaneous Performance Procession) is a site-specific parade exploration where players process along given terrain and break out into mini improvised solo, duet, and group performances. SPPs have been led in Turkey ('22) Spain ('22), India ('24), and Georgia ('24, '25).

#### THEOKINESIS PROJECT

<u>Theokinesis</u> is a butoh and performance art system exploring body-based art, dance, and theatre inspired by Christian scripture.