



# The National Dance Company of Spain's 2024 U.S. Tour in New Orleans

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Sat, January 20, 2024

## Venue

Mahalia Jackson Theater for the Performing Arts, 1419 Basin St, New Orleans, LA 70116

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Compañía Nacional de Danza, Spain's premier national dance company, returns to New Orleans after 22 years to present a trio of performances covering classical, neoclassical, and contemporary dance: "Sad Case," "White Darkness" and "Passengers Within."

Led by Artistic Director [Joaquín De Luz](#), a world-renowned past principal dancer with New York City Ballet, Compañía Nacional de Danza will perform a North American premiere of mixed repertoire embracing classical to avant-garde:

- [White Darkness](#) by CNdD's former artistic director and choreographer Nacho Duato, a one-act ballet created as a requiem;
- The satirical [Sad Case](#) by Sol León and Paul Lightfoot, which embodies the fiery, syncopated rhythms of Mexican mambo;
- And [Passengers Within](#), the latest creation by De Luz, set to music by Philip Glass.





The entire cast is full of an energy that just radiates.

—*The Ballet Herald*