



## **Joseph Nontanovan**

Joseph has traveled the globe spreading his love for music and movement, from teaching workshops in India and Canada to leading company performances in the US, Switzerland and China. In addition to commercial credits with Cirque du Soleil and the feature film, Step

Up, he spent most of his dance journey so far as Artistic Director of Culture Shock Dance Troupe in Washington, DC and Los Angeles. Under his directorship, the company won a Best Emerging Performer award and produced sold out shows, including two in Hollywood with casts of 300+. He has trained with Rennie Harris, Mr. Wiggles, Marjory Smarth and Bboy Ynot, among others and specializes in Hip Hop, Locking and House dance. A lover of all styles of movement, Joseph has also worked with several modern & contemporary dance companies in the DC area, including CityDance Ensemble and Contradiction Dance. A Human, Dancer, Traveler, and Eternalist, Joseph also loves cooking and sharing food with others. He loves Music almost as much as he loves God and if he had to decide between keeping his eyesight or hearing, he'd definitely choose to keep listening and grooving to the Music.