

LABANWRITER 4.1 COMPUTER LABORATORY WORKSHOP

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This hands on workshop was offered to familiarize people with LabanWriter 4.1 the latest version of LabanWriter, a software program for Labanotation for use on Macintosh computers.

The code has been completely rewritten by David Ralley in C++ for this version which was released in 2000, and a number of changes and improvements have been made.

All of these are listed in the manual which can be downloaded along with the program and the newly created symbol fonts by visiting the Ohio State University Department of Dance website: <http://www.dance.ohio-state.edu/LabanWriter/>

On page 3 of the manual there is a Quick Start Demo to introduce you to how the program works. Try it!

The latest version will always be on the website ready to be downloaded. Be sure to install the fonts. Drag the LW fonts folder to the fonts folder in your system folder and then restart your machine.

When bugs are fixed or new features added, these will be listed on the website. For problems with LabanWriter send a message to: labanwriter@osu.edu

To discuss notation questions and keep abreast of Labanotation news **LabanTalk** is a ListServ group that you can join.

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