# Revelations

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AT THE HEART OF THE COMMUNITY

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• <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RrPJ4kt3a64&t=1734s</u>



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## Questions

- What are the influences of historical factors?
- What are the influences of cultural factors?
- What are the influences of economic factors?
- What are the influences of political factors?
- What are the influences of technological factors?
- What are the influences of social factors?
- What are the influences of geographical factors?
- What influences were there from others?



### **Research Prompts**

- · The influence of historical factors, to include:
  - key events, epoch or major shifts and changes in society
  - practitioner's personal history and experience.
- · The influence of cultural factors, to include:
  - o traditions and practices within the arts, community or religion
  - o other art forms, cultural trends and styles.
- · The influence of economic factors, to include:
  - reactions to or statements about the impact of economic factors on people
  - o funding conditions for performing arts or the financial status of the practitioner.
- · The influence of political factors, to include:
  - relationship to establishment, supporting or undermining
  - o laws, propaganda, legal rights, censorship, equality and diversity.
- · The influence of technological factors, to include:
  - latest developments in technology and opportunities for the use of technology in productions
  - any type of impact of technology on people, behaviour or society.
- · The influence of social factors, to include:
  - values, morals, social conventions and audience expectations
  - changes in social attitudes, media influences and external pressures, issues of equality, diversity and representation.
- · The influence of geographical and physical factors, to include:
  - o relationship to the environment, geography or location
  - conventions and innovation in the use of space, venues and physical characteristics of spaces.
- The influence from others, to include:

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- o the influence of their education from teachers, mentors or peers
- o collaboration with others or whether practitioners were part of a movement.



### Research resources

- <u>https://www.alvinailey.org/performances/repertory/revelations</u>
- <u>http://pressroom.alvinailey.org/internal\_redirect/cms.ipressroom.co</u> <u>m.s3.amazonaws.com/292/files/20179/Revelations%20Info%20Sheet</u> <u>FINAL.pdf</u>
- <u>http://www.youthforhumanrights.org/news/2014-alvin-ailey.html</u>
- <u>https://digitalcommons.iwu.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?referer=https://www.google.com/&httpsredir=1&article=1027&context=history\_honproj</u>

