



## Rhythm & Colour

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*Rhythm & Colour* examines, for the first time, the life, work and loves of the **avant-garde dancers**, **Hélène Vanel** (1898–1989), **Loïs Hutton** (1893–1972), and **Margaret Morris** (1891–1980), through newly discovered letters, photographs, journals, memoirs, and contemporary criticism.

This beautiful and extensive book considers **the place of dance in post-WWI Modernism** from Morris' involvement with **Futurism** and **Vorticism** to Vanel's dances at the opening of the **1938 International Surrealist Exhibition** in Paris which are now heralded as the **beginning of Performance Art**.

Hutton's affair with American poet Edna St Vincent Millay, Morris' relationship with J.D. Fergusson, and the pursuit of Vanel by Scottish Colourist painter, Leslie Hunter raise **issues of gender and sexuality**.

Their theatres in Chelsea, Paris and the French Riviera attracted, among many others **Scott Fitzgerald**, **Charles Rennie Mackintosh**, **Ernest Hemingway**, **Pablo Picasso** and **James Joyce** (whose daughter Lucia was among their pupils). The dancers worked with **Jean Renoir**, **Marcel Duchamp** and **Salvador Dalí**.

The book's author, **Richard Emerson** is an Art Historian. Formerly the **Deputy Conway Librarian at The Courtauld Institute of Art** in London, and **Chief Inspector of Historic Buildings at Historic Scotland**.

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