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African Drumming with Ndakhte for Adults (Ages 15 and up)

Instructor: Ndakhte Ndiaye

8 Saturdays, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Session 1: January 9 – February 27; \$100/\$120

Session 2: March 6 – April 24; \$100/\$120

Learn to play the fiery rhythms of West Africa with Master Drummer and Dance Choreographer Ndakhte Ndiaye. This fun and lively class is taught in a simple follow-along style. Ancient rhythms from remote villages will be taught on authentic hand-carved Djembe drums which are provided. All levels are welcome, from beginner to advanced. Explore the history and meaning of the rhythms and how to play confidently with others. Learn the secrets of the drum!



Ndakhte Ndiaye is the Artistic Director of West African Performing Dance Troupe 'Drumming with Ndakhte' who performs at major cultural events, festivals, libraries, private events and multi-cultural events for colleges. These high energy performances showcase ancient rhythms and meaningful dances from five West African countries. She is also the Founder/Director of 'Sharing Africa with Ndakhte' a performance-based cultural education program which has been taught in the school system for over fifteen years. She, and her program, has been

approved by (CSC) Children's Services Council for whom she is currently listed as a cultural- arts provider/educator. She has partnered with Florida Parks and Recreation for fifteen years in presenting community-based cultural performances, lectures, demonstrations & workshops.

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