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7th Annual San Francisco African Dance and Drum Festival  
Dance, Drum, & Performance November 10 –14 in San Francisco

**GALA AFRICAN DANCE AND DRUM PERFORMANCE**

Saturday, November 13th, 2010 @ 9pm  
African American Art & Culture Complex  
762 Fulton Street, San Francisco, CA 94102

**Festival sites:**

Friday November 10th & 11th  
@ African American Art & Culture Complex  
762 Fulton Street, San Francisco, CA 94102

Friday, Nov 12th, Sat, Nov 13, & Nov 14th, 2010  
@ Ella Hill Hutch Community Center Gymnasium  
1050 McAllister Street, San Francisco, CA 94115( @ Webster & Buchanan Streets

The Seventh Annual San Francisco African Dance and Drum Festival runs from Wednesday, November 10, through Sunday, November 14, 2010. Global Women Intact presents the largest African Dance and Drum festival in Northern California. The African Dance and Drum Festival has been enjoyed by over 1,000 attendees each year. The Festival features a Saturday, November 13th, 9pm Gala African Dance and Drum Performance at the African American Art & Culture Complex, 762 Fulton Street in San Francisco. The African Dance and Drum Festival celebrate a rich tapestry of performance, food, traditional African clothing, as well as other cultural traditions. The festival showcases a dynamic group of dancers and drummers from Senegal, Mali, Guinea, Liberia, and Gambia. These artists will lead a wide range of workshops in Sabar, Djembe, Kutiro, and many more styles of drumming. There will be arts, entertainment, food, traditions, and most importantly, the spirit of Africa. Since its inception six years ago, the festival has been a prime leader in bringing some of the most renowned national and international dancers and drummers to the Bay Area for cultural and educational experiences in traditional African dance and drumming. The Saturday, November 13th, 9pm Gala African Dance and Drum Performance invites American audiences to experience the rich culture of Africa.

Features Ousseynou Kouyate, Mohammed Kouyate, and many more. Master dancers Babacar M'Baye, Youssouf Koumbassa, Mouminatou Camara, Babacar N'Diaye, and Alseny Soumah will perform. The master drummers performing in the gala are Nuyma Weah, Adama Ken Doumbia, Jamil Diop, Faly Seydi Moussa Camara, Karamba Dioubate, Mohammed Kouyate, Cheikh M'Baye, Mbor Faye, Magatte Sow, Jamil Diop,

and many more. 7th Annual San Francisco African Dance and Drum Festival Veterans Day Weekend Nov 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, and 14<sup>th</sup>, 2010 Dance, Drum, and Celebration events at various locations.

Tickets: \$25, Seniors & Students \$20 Available at the door or Tix Bay Area or at [www.sfaddf.org](http://www.sfaddf.org) or [www.globalwomenintact.org](http://www.globalwomenintact.org)

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