Experiments, step-by-step

TODAY: Experimentation occurs in labs all over Purdue University every day. But experimentation is not just relegated to the science schools. The Dance Division faculty will show new, original works at the show "Beaker." The concert's title is a play off experimentation and Purdue's science-heavy history, as well as how faculty members developed their works. Carol Cunningham used new surveillance technology for her piece, "Dolly." It uses prerecorded footage of fellow faculty member Rebecca Bryant for a virtual duet. The third collaborator in "Dolly" is Fabian Winkler, an assistant professor in the School of Visual and Performing Arts. Winkler's specialty is video, and he designed the text and other video elements in the piece, which touches on the issue of cloning. Other collaborations/experimentations include Bryant performing to live, improvised music and dance faculty member Sally Wallace working with Purdue Theatre's Rich Rand.

When: 5:30 and 8 tonight

Where: Dance Performance Studio, Room 1179-

Pao Hall, Purdue University

How much: Free



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Carol Cunningham rehearses
her piece "Dolly" for the Purdue
University Dance Division faculty show, "Beaker."