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## Arts, Briefly

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### Peak Performances Announces 8 Premieres

The Peak Performances series at Montclair State University in New Jersey will include eight world and American premieres starting Sept. 17. The season, which runs through May 5, will include premieres by, among others, **Companhia Urbana de Dança** with **Sonia Destri** of Brazil, **Wayne McGregor** with **Random Dance**, and the **Akram Khan Company** from Britain, the **Bill T. Jones/Arnie Zane Dance Company** and **Miguel Zenón** from the United States. On Sept. 29 the performance artist **Karen Finley**, a veteran of the culture wars, will present a discussion on the state of the arts.