



(A Company Limited by Guarantee and Not Having Share Capital)

Charity Number 1080776 | Company Registration Number 3873450

TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 8 May 2025

Approved by the Board of Trustees: 3 February 2026

Signed by: Denise Bissell, Chair

Reference and Administrative Information

Charity name	Ijad (A Company Limited by Guarantee and Not Having Share Capital)
Charity number	1080776
Company registration	3873450
Principal offices	42 Friars Way, London, W3 6QH 29 Goldswong Terrace, Nottingham, NG3 4HB
Registered office	29 Goldswong Terrace, Nottingham, NG3 4HB
Trustees	Denise Bissell (Chair) Leila Mroueh Creeber (resigned as director 8 Oct 2025) Leila Neeman Laurent Claire Medcalf Zerritha Brown (resigned as director 6 Jun 2025) Mahmoud Naim Abu-Wardeh Ms Joumana Mourad (appointed as director 8 Oct 2025) Antonio Baccari Tim Zundel
Person with significant influence	Ms Joumana Mourad
Independent examiner	Bharat Kotak Alexanders UK Ltd, Chartered Certified Accountants The Corner House, 170 Albury Drive, Hatch End, Pinner, Middlesex, HA5 3RG
Bankers	HSBC, 122 Finchley Road, Hampstead, London, NW3 5JD

Trustees' Annual Report

The trustees have pleasure in presenting their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 8 May 2025.

Structure, Governance and Management

Governing Document

The charity is constituted as a company limited by guarantee and is therefore governed by its memorandum and articles of association.

Governing Body

The names of trustees and principal addresses are listed in the Reference and Administrative Information section. The board of trustees is authorised to appoint a new trustee to fill vacancies arising through resignation or death of an existing trustee.

Organisational Management

The directors, who are also the trustees, meet on an informal basis to make decisions and monitor the work of the charity.

Recruitment and Appointment of New Trustees

All of the directors are also trustees of the charity.

Risk Assessment

The trustees have considered the risks to which the charity is exposed and have put systems and procedures in place to manage the risks identified.

Objectives and Activities

The company's principal activity and primary charitable object during the period was to continue to advance education in performing arts and technology innovation, where live hybrid is the new method of progressing the performing arts and performance for the public benefit by the promotion of the arts, in particular, but not exclusively the art of dance.

Public Benefit

The Trustees have carefully considered the public benefit requirements and their duty to ensure that they are compliant with them. They are satisfied that the activities described above under Objectives and Activities more than adequately satisfy the public benefit requirement.

Financial Review

Performance Review

The statement of financial activities gives full details of the financial performance of the charity. Total incoming resources for the year were £122,308 (2024: £25,088), comprising voluntary income of £100,757, investment income of £1,367, and income from charitable activities of £20,184. Total resources expended were £124,311 (2024: £26,727), resulting in a net deficit for the year of £2,003 (2024: deficit of £1,639).

Reserves

The charity does not incur substantial fixed costs and the trustees therefore consider that the current level of reserves is adequate to cover future events and to support its charitable objectives. Total funds at the year end were £13,193 (2024: £15,196).

Responsibilities of the Trustees

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations. Company law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the trustees have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law).

In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue in operation.

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charitable company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charitable company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Independent Examiner

Bharat Kotak of Alexanders UK Ltd, Chartered Certified Accountants, has been re-appointed as independent examiner for the ensuing year.

Small Company Provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

Registered number
03873450

Ijad

Unaudited Filleted Accounts

8 May 2025

Ijad
Registered number: 03873450
Balance Sheet
as at 8 May 2025

	Notes	2025 £	2024 £
Current assets			
Debtors	2	7,000	-
Cash at bank and in hand		154,502	20,827
		<u>161,502</u>	<u>20,827</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	3	(148,309)	(5,631)
Net current assets		<u>13,193</u>	<u>15,196</u>
Net assets		<u>13,193</u>	<u>15,196</u>
Funds			
Unrestricted income funds		13,193	15,196
Total funds		<u>13,193</u>	<u>15,196</u>

The directors are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption from the requirement to obtain an audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Act.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

The accounts have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the special provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime. The profit and loss account has not been delivered to the Registrar of Companies.

Denise Bissell
 Director
 Approved by the board on 3 February 2026

Ijad
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 8 May 2025

1 Employees	2025 Number	2024 Number
Average number of persons employed by the company	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
2 Debtors	2025 £	2024 £
Other debtors	<u>7,000</u>	<u>-</u>
3 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2025 £	2024 £
Other creditors	<u>148,309</u>	<u>5,631</u>

**COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER
3873450**

**IJAD (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE
AND NOT HAVING SHARE CAPITAL)**

UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

8 MAY 2025

Charity Number 1080776

**IJAD (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE AND NOT
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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 8 MAY 2025

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**IJAD (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE AND NOT
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MEMBERS OF THE BOARD AND ADVISERS

Registered charity name	Ijad (A company limited by guarantee and not having share capital)
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TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT *(continued)*

YEAR ENDED 8 MAY 2025

The trustees have pleasure in presenting their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 8 May 2025.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Reference and administrative details are shown in the schedule of members of the board and advisers on page 1 of the financial statements.

THE TRUSTEES

The trustees who served the company during the period are as shown below. All of the trustees except Leila Neeman Laurent and Mahmoud Naim Abu-Wardeh are also directors of the company for the purposes of company law.

Leila Mroueh Creeber –	Resigned as director 8 th October 2025
Leila Neeman Laurent	
Claire Medcalf	
Denise Bissell – Chair	
Zerritha Brown –	Resigned as director 6 th June 2025
Mahmoud Naim Abu-Wardeh	
Ms Joumana Mourad –	Appointed as director 8 th October 2025
Antonio Baccari	
Tim Zundel	

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is constituted as a company limited by guarantee and is therefore governed by its memorandum and articles of association.

Governing Body

The names of trustees and principle addressees are listed on page one. The board of trustees is authorised to appoint a new trustee to fill vacancies arising through resignation or death of an existing trustee.

Organisational management

The directors, who are also the trustees, meet informally on an informal basis to make decisions and monitor the work of the charity.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

All of the directors are also trustees of the charity.

Risk Assessment

The trustees have considered the risks to which the charity is exposed and have put systems and procedures in place to manage the risks identified.

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TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT *(continued)*

YEAR ENDED 8 MAY 2025

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

The company's principal activity and primary charitable object during the period was to continue to advance education for the public benefit by the promotion of the arts, in particular, but not exclusively the art of dance.

PUBLIC BENEFIT

The Trustees have carefully considered the public benefit requirements and their duty to ensure that they are compliant with them. They feel that the activities described above under Objectives and Activities more than adequately satisfy the public benefit requirement.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Performance Review

The statement of financial activities gives full details of the financial performance of the charity.

Reserves

The charity does not incur substantial fixed costs and the trustees therefore consider that the current level of reserves is adequate to cover future events and to support its charitable objectives.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE TRUSTEES

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the trustees have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company and the income and expenditure of the charitable company for that period.

In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue in operation.

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TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT*(continued)*

YEAR ENDED 8 MAY 2025

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charitable company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charitable company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER

Bharat Kotak of Alexanders UK Ltd, Chartered Certified Accountants, has been re-appointed as independent examiner for the ensuing year.

SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

Registered office:
29 Goldswong Terrace
Nottingham
NG3 4HB

Signed on behalf of the trustees

Denise Bissell
Trustee

3rd February 2026

IJAD (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE AND NOT HAVING SHARE CAPITAL)

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF IJAD (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE AND NOT HAVING SHARE CAPITAL)

YEAR ENDED 8 MAY 2025

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 8 May 2025 set out on pages 7 to 10.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF TRUSTEES AND INDEPENDENT EXAMINER

The charity's trustees (who, except Leila Neeman Laurent and Mahmoud Naim Abu-Wardeh are also the directors of Ijad (a Company Limited by Guarantee and Not Having Share Capital) for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act), and that an independent examination is required.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit under company law and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5) of the 2011 Act); and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

BASIS OF INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S STATEMENT

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view'.

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S STATEMENT

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

(1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the trustees have not met the requirements to ensure that:

- proper accounting records are kept (in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006); and
- accounts are prepared which agree with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities; or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF IJAD
(A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE AND NOT HAVING SHARE
CAPITAL) *(continued)***

YEAR ENDED 8 MAY 2025

Bharat Kotak
Independent examiner

Alexanders UK Ltd
Chartered Certified Accountants
The Corner House
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Middlesex
HA5 3RG

February 2026

Ijad (A company limited by guarantee and not having share capital)
Statement of financial activities
(incorporating the income and expenditure account)
for the year ended 8 May 2025

	Notes	2025 £	2024 £
Incoming resources from generating funds:			
Voluntary income	2	100,757	13,038
Investment income	3	1,367	432
Incoming resources from charitable activities	4	20,184	11,618
TOTAL INCOMING RESOURCES		<u>122,308</u>	<u>25,088</u>
RESOURCES EXPENDED			
Charitable activities	5/6	(124,311)	(26,727)
TOTAL RESOURCES EXPENDED		<u>(124,311)</u>	<u>(26,727)</u>
NET INCOMING RECOURCES FOR THE YEAR / NET (DEFICIT) / INCOME FOR THE YEAR		(2,003)	(1,639)
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		15,196	16,835
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u>13,193</u>	<u>15,196</u>

The Statement of Financial Activities includes all gains and losses in the year and therefore a statement of total recognised gains and losses has not been prepared.

All of the above amounts relate to continuing activities.

Ijad (A company limited by guarantee and not having share capital)
Balance Sheet
as at 8 May 2025

	Notes	2025 £	2024 £
Current assets			
Debtors	2	7,000	-
Cash at bank and in hand		154,502	20,827
		<u>161,502</u>	<u>20,827</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(148,309)	(5,631)
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Funds			
Unrestricted income funds	11	13,193	15,196
Total Funds		<u>13,193</u>	<u>15,196</u>

The directors and trustees are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption from the provisions of the Companies Act 2006 (the Act) relating to the audit of the financial statements for the year by virtue of section 477, and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 476 of the Act.

The directors and trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (i) ensuring that the company keeps adequate accounting records which comply with section 386 of the Act, and
- (ii) The accounts have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the special provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

These financial statements were approved by the members of the committee and are signed on their behalf by:

Denise Bissell
Director
Approved by the board on 3 February 2026

ljad (A company limited by guarantee and not having share capital)
Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 8 May 2025

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of accounting

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with FRS 102, The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (as applied to small entities by section 1A of the standard), the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" issued in March 2005 (SORP 2005), the Charities Act 2011 and the Companies Act 2006.

Incoming resources

Income represents funds raised to achieve the company's principal charitable object of the advancement of education for the public benefit by the promotion of the arts, in particular, but not exclusively to the art of dance.

Resources expended

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under the headings that aggregate all costs related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings, they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within its objectives. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

2 VOLUNTARY INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2025	Total Funds 2024
	£	£	£
Grants and awards receivable			
Grants and awards receivable	100,757	100,757	13,038

3 INVESTMENT INCOME

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2025	Total Funds 2024
	£	£	£
Bank interest receivable	1,367	1,367	432

4 INCOMING RESOURCES FROM CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2025	Total Funds 2024
Workshops & public funding	9,316	9,316	11,471
	9,316	9,316	11,471

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Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 8 May 2025

5 COSTS OF CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES BY FUND TYPE

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2025	Total Funds 2024
Charitable expenditure	98,339	98,339	23,024
Administrative costs	25,972	25,972	3,703
	<u>124,311</u>	<u>124,311</u>	<u>26,727</u>

6 COSTS OF CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES BY ACTIVITIES TYPE

	Activities undertaken directly	Administrative Costs	Total Funds 2025	Total Funds 2024
	£	£	£	£
Charitable expenditure	<u>98,339</u>	<u>25,972</u>	<u>124,311</u>	<u>26,727</u>

7 STAFF COSTS & EMOLUMENTS

No salaries or wages have been paid to employees, including the members of the committee, during the year.

8 TRUSTEES REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year nor for the previous year.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees expenses paid for the year nor for the previous year.

9 TAXATION

The company is exempt from corporation tax.

10 CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

	2025 £	2024 £
Other creditors and accruals	<u>148,309</u>	<u>5,631</u>

11 UNRESTRICTED INCOME FUNDS

	Balance at 09/05/2024	Net surplus / (deficit)	Balance at 08/05/2025
General funds	<u>15,196</u>	<u>(2,003)</u>	<u>13,193</u>

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Notes to the Accounts
for the year ended 8 May 2025

12 ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BETWEEN FUNDS

	Net current assets	Total
	£	£
Unrestricted Income Funds	13,193	13,193
Total Funds	<u>13,193</u>	<u>13,193</u>

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MANAGEMENT INFORMATION

YEAR ENDED 8 MAY 2025

**The following pages do not form part of the statutory financial statements
which are the subject of the independent examiner's report on pages 5 to 6.**

ljad (A company limited by guarantee and not having share capital)
Detailed statement of financial activities
for the year ended 8 May 2025

	2025	2024
	£	£
INCOMING RESOURCES		
VOLUNTARY INCOME		
Grants and awards	100,757	13,038
INVESTMENT INCOME		
Bank interest receivable type 1	1,367	432
INCOMING RESOURCES FROM CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES		
Workshops	9,216	11,440
Public funding	100	31
Sales	10,868	147
TOTAL INCOMING RESOURCES	122,308	25,088
RESOURCES EXPENDED		
CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES		
Administrators	6,870	4,275
Performances	84,267	14,540
Music and rehearsals	176	451
Materials	6,619	3,758
Equipment hire	407	-
	98,339	23,024
Administrative expenses		
Travel and subsistence	1,266	1,810
Stationery and printing	630	485
Bank charges	61	60
Insurance	160	81
Website cost expensed	16,943	216
Sundry expenses	1,879	89
Accountancy fees	889	945
Advertising and PR	4,110	4
Other legal and professional	34	13
	25,972	3,703
TOTAL RESOURCES EXPENDED	124,311	26,727