

ABB Reportages

**BRAIN AWARENESS WEEK
& WEEK OF ALL
THE TANGOS**
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Coordinated by the Society for Neuroscience, Brain Awareness Week, is an international event, addressing over a hundred countries and 120 cities in France.

It also is an ideal moment to remember the existing links between Brain, Music, Movement, Dance, Tango... Together, from Dijon, about twenty women are just in the starting blocks, introducing 5 different approaches in Tango for Seniors in retirement homes. A return to face-to-face workshops, followed closely by an invitation to seniors to own digital technology.

**Therapeutic Tango
training session
« Contact-free,
let's go! »**

First meeting

15th, 16th and 17th March 2021

Institut Marey



Click on the picture to watch the video.

It is no coincidence that the first of all these meetings takes place at the Institut Marey in Dijon. Indeed, Etienne-Jules Marey, visionary scientist, was the first ever to fix on film and to confirm the existing links between Brain and Movement.

France Mourey, University Professor & Inserm 1093 Researcher, is the leader of the institute and of the therapeutic Tango training course, which will gather 14 participants.

For this one time, **Thomas Poucet**, Tango teacher, Rodolpho Dinzel's student, and ambassador for the Dinzel System in Europe, takes over Angela Nicotra, who is usually leading these courses. But living in Berlin, she is held up by the pandemic...

Contributions of **Lucía Bracco**, PhD student, and **Anne Bramard-Blagny**, documentary filmmaker, who started the project, are also included in the programme,

We have reached full capacity for this session, but subscriptions for the next training in November 2021 and March 2022 are already [available here](#).

These images were captured during last year's training course, before the first lockdown, hence the absence of sanitary measures.

Second meeting

Online workshop

« In connection, with 12,000 tangueros! »



Click on the picture to watch the video.

Launched one year ago, online Tango has since then reached 121 places which took the 10 workshops designed for them, and let hundreds of seniors dance...

Welcome... **Clarissa Machado**, dance and movement therapist, also involved in the Dinzel System, invites you from Buenos Aires...

Watch all ABB Reportages online [Tango workshops here](#).

Third meeting

*Interactive online workshop
« Apart from space and of time »*

Wednesday 17th March at 10am (UTC-7)
Buenos Aires – San Francisco



Click on the picture to watch the video.

**New weapon against isolation
The elders' favourite, even from their homes!**

Teacher and students dance together at once!
The workshop was led by **Clarissa Machado**, dance and movement therapist, following the footsteps of the Dinzel, from Buenos Aires,
And the seniors from Rosener House in San Francisco, who had been visited twice by the "Tango for Seniors" team, before the pandemic.

To organize a workshop in your structure
Contact us!

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Fourth meeting

***Face-to-face Tango workshop
« Here we go again, live... »***

**Friday 26th March 2.30pm (UTC+1)
Brochon Retirement Home**



All these projects however push us to imagine a way to come back in face-to-face as soon as possible. It is already happening at La Croix Violette Retirement Home in Brochon.

The project was brought there by **Séverine Fusaro**, art-therapist of the establishment.

She took the steps backwards:

Online Tango

Training session

Interactive online Tango

After vaccination and with sanitary measures, the retirement home is now able to take face-to-face workshops again, which will be forecasted on Facebook live!

[Click here to follow us on Friday 26th March!](#)

La **Chocolaterie de Bourgogne** keeps on sending rewards to the best testimonies.

They said
On France3 Bourgogne-Franche-Comté



Anne Bramard-Blagny testifies

In a show recorded in Chevigny-Saint Sauveur
Broadcasted on Friday 19th of March at 6:30 pm (UTC+1)
And presented by Arnaud LEFEVRE

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**All week long,
On ABB Reportages' social media,
Follow the Doctors and Researchers,
Thanks to whom the project is moving forward...**

Pr France Mourey,
Dr Marc Cohen, Geriatrician, Director of the Geriatric Service at OSE
Dr Gérard Mick, Neurologist
Dr Joël Menard, Chairman of the Scientific Council at Fondation Alzheimer
Pr Philippe Amouyel, University Professor, Director of Fondation Alzheimer

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