

Clowns

(2-3 weeks)

The clown work is the confrontation with the personality of the actor, which gets far beyond normal theatre work. We try to find very personal approaches to any kind of "problems" and their possible solutions. People laugh about honest and maybe clumsy attempts to solve real problems, but not about people who think they are funny.

We try different ways to find real problems and their solutions, we will make games to train our instinct to logic and simple reactions.

The Clowns are creatures, who act in a range, before "education" had been exercised on them. They act without taboos, against all conventions with the naive desire to do everything perfect and with an endless love to everything and everybody.

In this workshop we will train our own approach to this character, finding the limits of our education. We will try to find out, what is funny, and what is not funny, when we are funny and when we are tragic.

We will learn the craft of humor, timing and comedy. We will explore our possibility to be very personal, crazy and courageous - to be lead only by our own fantasy.