

Intensive 8 Hours of Cuban Rumba Workshop with Walter “Chango” Rivera!



**April 22-24 (Friday to Sunday)
@ The Martha Hicks School of Ballet
1660 Avenue Road, 2nd Floor**

Workshop Price & Schedule:

- 1 Workshop: \$45 before Friday, April 22 / \$50 @ the door
- 2 Workshops: \$70 before Friday, April 22 / \$80 @ the door
- 3 Workshops: \$90 before Friday, April 22 / \$105 @ the door
- 4 Workshops: \$99 before Friday, April 22 / \$120 @ the door

Level 1: Rumba (Advanced Beginner) / April 22 / Friday / 7:45 pm to 9:45 pm

This workshop will be about a brief history of the original form Rumba (The Cuban one, not to be confused with International or American Ballroom Rumba), its music, and foundational exercises required for the dance. This workshop is ideal for beginner-intermediate students who have or have not taken Rumba classes before in an intensive format, plus solo movements will also be covered that can be applied to either Rumba music or to Salsa.

Level 2: Rumba (Beginner-Intermediate) / April 23 / Saturday / 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Participants (even advanced dancers) are encouraged to take Level 1 to make the workshop a comprehensive learning experience. Level 2 will cover more advanced solo figures for both men and women with an emphasis on teaching movements that workshop participants can memorize and internalize so it can be executed accurately and in tune with the music. As with Level 1, this workshop is also suitable not just for Beginners but for all levels because once you think you know, you stop learning!

Level 3: Rumba (Intermediate-Advanced) / April 23 / Saturday / 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

The structure of this workshop will be similar and capitalize on figures learned in Level 2 but with more advanced choreography. The instructor will explore the partner-work dynamics between the sexes. The class may be taken by advanced beginner students with body isolation experience provided Level 1-2 are taken as pre-requisites. Participants will feel challenged not just through the movements but with the execution quality required to make them look good while interacting with a partner!

Level 4: Rumba (Advanced – Master’s Class) / Sunday / 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

The final workshop will be the organic fusion of Level 1 to Level 4 with even more challenging figures that will certainly add hot flavor to your Salsa dancing! It can be smooth and calm, slow and fast, subtle and explosive, or all of them! As with all the levels, it’s not just about learning one figure after the other; the workshops will be a good balance between information (the movement taught and its meaning), repetition (to internalize better), and detailed corrections (for individuals and/or groups).

Advanced Registration Required – Please Contact Teddy@unitedsalseros.com (647-575-4129 – Text Only) to register and to ensure this workshop is suitable for you!