Sigfrido gently pushed us to be better than we thought we could be. He encouraged us to focus on what we, as individual artists, did best. He insisted that we keep our work authentic, genuine and always anchored to the truth.

He taught that the language of clowns is Mime, and that the instrument for that 'voice' is our body. He showed us that bigger isn't always better, but that clarity of movement, of ideas and story were crucial. He taught us how to speak volumes without ever uttering a word.

Winston Churchill once said, "We make a living by what we get. We make a life by what we give." Sigfrido gave me the most precious gift of all ~ the confidence to believe in my dreams and myself.



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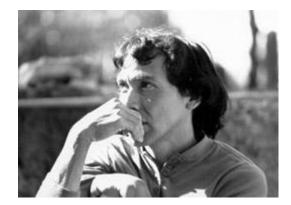




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Sigfrido Aguilar,
Mexican Mime-Clown,
Creator and Director,
The Research Studio of
Pantomime-Theatre, a
nonprofit organization, is
an international school of
Comic Physical Theatre
serving a broad
community based in
Valenciana,
Guanajuato, in the
mountains of Central
Mexico.



We offer international workshops, ongoing classes for specialists and amateurs, in addition to developing and performing our own creations and special projects in communities and schools in the Mexico and abroad.



Our campus includes an outdoor amphitheater, **Teatro Tanque La Valenciana**, and indoor theatre/teaching studio, a library and kitchen for student and faculty use, as well as a dormitory for visiting students and professors.



The teaching and performing facilities are surrounded by separate gardens and courtyards, providing a variety of rehearsal spaces as well as private study areas.