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TRAINING

- Codarts, Rotterdam, NL (2024-current; advance placement into 2nd year of program); 45+ hours/week training.
- Chicago Academy for the Arts, Chicago, IL USA; (2020-2024); company member and soloist with the Dance Repertory Company (2020-2024); 22+ hours/week training.
- Visceral Studio Company, Chicago, IL USA. Lead dancer and soloist for pre-professional contemporary company of Visceral Dance Chicago (2019-2024); 18+ hours/week training.

EXPERIENCE

Ballet (including *en pointe*), Contemporary, Modern (Alexander, Cunningham, Graham, Horton, Limón), Jazz, Lyrical, Forsythe Improv Tech, Gaga, Character, Tap, Hip Hop, Afro-Cuban, Choreography, Improv, and Pas de Deux.

SUMMER PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS

- Ballet BC Summer Intensive, 2024.
- Orsolina28 Summer Intensive, 2024.
- Orsolina28, Medhi Walerski Intensive Prog., 2024.
- Arts Umbrella Intern'l Summer Dance Intensive, 2023 & 2022 (perf. works of Marc Boivin, Ethan Colangelo, Kevin Cregan, Akram Khan, Ohad Naharin, Crystal Pite, Rafi Sady, Jorge Soler, Lukas Timulak).
- Orsolina28 Nunes/Flock Creation Prog., 2023 (perf. works of Alice Klock, Florian Lochner, Juliano Nunes).
- Kaatsbaan Ballet Intensive, 2023.
- NYCDA Winter Contemp. Intensive at Juilliard, 2023 & 2022 (perf. works of Alexandra Damiani, Crystal Pite).
- Alonzo King Lines Ballet Advanced Summer Program, 2022 (featured in *GlassLost* by Carmen Rozestraten).
- Ballet West Summer Intensive, 2022.
- Boston Ballet Summer Dance Program, 2021 & 2020.
- American Ballet Theater Summer Intensive, 2021.

PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

- YAGP International Contemporary Ensemble (2023-2024); performed Ohad Naharin's *Echad Mi Yodea* and Shahar Binyamini's *Bolero X* at the Lincoln Center in New York City.
- Visceral Studio Company (Visceral Dance Chicago); performed in 30+ benefits and competitions (2019-2024).
- Dance Repertory Company (Chicago Academy for the Arts); performed in 10+ recitals (2020-2024) (soloist in Cloudline, originally commissioned for Hubbard Street Dance Chicago).
- Annual Senior Choreographic Concert (Chicago Academy for the Arts); peer-selected performer for four years.
- Annual AIDS Benefit (Chicago Academy for the Arts); director (2022); faculty-selected performer for three years.

CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE AND FELLOWSHIPS

- Noverre: Young Choreographers 2025, choreographed Ad Vitam Aetenam on the Stuttgart Ballet.
- YAGP Marcella Hymowitz Creative Fellowship Award 2025, selected to choreograph for YAGP 2025 galas.
- Senior Choreography Prog., Chicago Academy for the Arts, choreographed 9-5, a full-length 9-dancer ensemble.
- Boston Ballet SDP Choreographic Program, selected by faculty to choreograph solo for closing showcase.

AWARDS

- Winner of 30+ first place overall awards for solo and duet competitions with Visceral Studio Company.
- YAGP Semi-Final, 2024, 2nd overall (top scoring 16+), Senior Contemporary.
- YAGP Semi-Final, 2023, 3rd overall (top scoring 16+), Senior Contemporary.
- YAGP Semi-Final, 2021, 2nd overall (top scoring female), Junior Contemporary.
- YAGP Semi-Final, 2021, top 12, Junior Classical Ballet.