

# Emma Sutherland

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## PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

- 2019 – PRESENT USC GLORYA KAUFMAN SCHOOL OF DANCE:** *Los Angeles, CA*
- Soloist in *Soft Landing* by Peter Chu
  - Duet in *Dichotomy* (world premiere) by Penny Saunders
  - Duet in *Visions Fugitives and Sinfonietta* by Jiří Kylián, staged by Fiona Lummis
  - Dancer in *Minus 16* by Ohad Naharin, staged by Bret Easterling
  - Dancer in *RODEO* by Justin Peck, staged by Michael Breeden
  - Dancer in *A Brief Visit II* (world premiere) by Yin Yue
  - Dancer in *Leaving* (world premiere) by Dani Rowe
  - Dancer in *New Sleep* (excerpt) by William Forsythe, staged by Thomas McManus
  - Dancer in *MinEvent* Centennial Performance of Merce Cunningham, staged by Silas Rieneer
  - Dancer in *Whereabouts Unknown* (excerpt) by Jiří Kylián, staged by Fiona Lummis
- 2019** Dancer in *Tempest Replica* and *Seasons Canon* (excerpts) by Crystal Pite, Orsolina28 *Moncalvo, Italy*
- 2019** Dancer in *Impressing the Czar* and *Eidos: Telos* by William Forsythe, Orsolina28 *Moncalvo, Italy*
- 2016 – 2019 BOOKER T. WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE PERFORMING AND VISUAL ARTS:** *Dallas, TX*
- Soloist in *Happy Little Things* by Azure Barton, *Matriarca* by Omar Román De Jesús, *In Between Now and Then* by Loni Landon, and *Delicious Pesticides* by Annabelle Lopez Ochoa
  - Dancer in *In Reaction* by Peter Chu and *Dvorák Serenade* by Lar Lubovitch
- 2016 – 2019** Dancer in *The Garden is Becoming* and *Freedom* by Benoit Swan Pouffer *Dallas, TX*

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2022** Intern at RYBG Production Company *Los Angeles, CA*
- 2022** USC Kaufman Premiere in Germany *Fürth, Germany*
- 2021** Skeleton Dancer for Doja Cat Music Video *Los Angeles, CA*
- 2017** Skeleton Dancer for *Newsies* Off-Broadway Production *Dallas, TX*
- 2014 – 2017** Assistant at Break the Floor Dance Conventions *United States*

## TRAINING & EDUCATION

- 2019 – PRESENT** USC Glorya Kaufman School of Dance, BFA in Dance, Minor in Cinematic Arts *Los Angeles, CA*
- 2022** USC Berlin Maymester *Berlin, Germany*
- 2021** chuthis, Movement Intensive *Scottsdale, AZ*
- 2019** Forsythe/Pite Summer Intensive at Orsolina28 *Moncalvo, Italy*
- 2018** Juilliard Summer Intensive *New York, NY*
- 2017** Hubbard Street Dance Intensive *Chicago, IL*
- 2015 – 2019** Booker T. Washington High School for the Performing and Visual Arts *Dallas, TX*

## CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE

- 2022** *A Simple Gesture* (collaboration with Ben Peralta), USC Kaufman Composition Showcase *Los Angeles, CA*
- 2022** *Short and Sweet* (collaboration with Casey Murray), USC Choreographic Collective Showcase *Los Angeles, CA*
- 2021** *Within the Void* (collaboration with AJ Joehl), USC Kaufman Choreographers and Composers *Dallas, TX*
- 2020** *Unforgettable* (collaboration with Joziah German), Dancers Give Back Benefit Concert *Plano, TX*
- 2018 – 2019** *And Then I Can Help You*, BTWHSPVA “Best of Senior Choreography,” TCU AIDS Benefit *Dallas, TX*
- 2018** *Inconsistency in Time* (collaboration with Joziah German), Dancers Give Back Benefit Concert *Plano, TX*

## AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2019 – PRESENT** USC Glorya Kaufman School of Dance Merit Scholarship *Los Angeles, CA*
- 2019** U.S. Presidential Scholar in the Arts *Washington D.C.*
- 2019** National YoungArts Finalist Winner in Modern Dance *Miami, FL*
- 2019** New York City Dance Alliance Foundation Collegiate Scholarship *New York, NY*
- 2019** Charles Andrew Kulp Modern Dance Scholarship via Dance Council of North Texas *Dallas, TX*
- 2016 – 2017** Texas Young Masters Recipient in Dance via Texas Commission on the Arts *Dallas, TX*

## MASTER CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

Kyle Abraham, Azure Barton, Hope Boykin, Eric Beauchesne, Peter Chu, Patricia Delgado, Bret Easterling, Glenn Edgerton, William Forsythe, Marjani Forte-Saunders, Jodie Gates, Shannon Gillen, Alicia Graf-Mack, Francesca Harper, Zippora Karz, Loni Landon, Fiona Lummis, Barak Marshall, Thomas McManus, Benoit Swan Pouffer, Victor Quijada, Dwight Rhoden, Desmond Richardson, Cindy Salgado, Toyin Sogunro, Jermaine Spivey, Wendy Whelan, Kara Wilkes, Ebony Williams, Yin Yue, Mario Alberto Zambrano

## SKILLS & ACTIVITIES

**SKILLS:** Improv, Partnering, Assisting, Teaching, Editing, Acting, Tap, Modeling  
**LEADERSHIP:** USC Kaufman Student Advisory Board, USC Kaufman Student Ambassador, Kaufman Connections Community Outreach Teacher, Teaching Assistant  
**TECHNICAL:** Premiere Pro, Avid, iMovie  
**PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS:** Pilates (in progress)