

Jada Walker

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HEIGHT: 5'2"

PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

- 2019 - PRESENT USC GLORYA KAUFMAN SCHOOL OF DANCE:** *Los Angeles, CA*
- Principal/Nora in *the second detail* by William Forsythe, staged by Thomas McManus
 - Soloist in *Taken Over Me* by Toyin Sogunro
 - Soloist in *Oneironaut* by Kara Wilkes
 - Soloist in *Soft Landing* by Peter Chu
 - Dancer in *Kauf-Season* (world premiere) by Max Pham
 - Dancer in *A Brief Visit II* (world premiere) by Yin Yue
 - Dancer in *Minus 16* by Ohad Naharin, staged by Bret Easterling
 - Dancer in *Big White Room* (world premiere) by Tessandra Chavez
 - Dancer in *Dichotomy* (world premiere) by Penny Saunders
 - Dancer in *Whereabouts Unknown* by Jiří Kylián, staged by Fiona Lummis

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Represented by Go2 Talent Agency

- 2022** Featured Dancer in *SHEIN: SHOWROOM* with Shenseea, chor. by Calvit Hodge and Sara Biv *Los Angeles, CA*
Featured Dancer in *SHEIN: SXY* with Mark and BC Jean Ballas, chor. by Tessandra Chavez
Featured Dancer in *SHEIN:* with Savannah Britt, chor. by Calvit Hodge and Sara Biv
Featured Dancer in *Kids Choice Awards* with Kid Cudi, chor. by Yuliana Maldonado
Featured Dancer in *Jingle Ball Tour* with Dixie D'amelio, chor. by Blake McGrath
Featured Pointe Dancer in NBC's *This Is Us*
- 2021** Featured Dancer in *Rooted: Quarantine Special* with Ciara; chor./dir. by Thom Kitt
- 2020** Featured Dancer in Brandy ft. Chance the Rapper *Baby Mama* music video, chor. by Jakevis Thomason, prod. by Frank Gatson

TRAINING & EDUCATION

- 2019 - PRESENT** USC Glorya Kaufman School of Dance, BFA in Dance *Los Angeles, CA*
2015 - 2021 DanceZone Dance Studio *Houston, TX*
2015 - 2019 Kinder High School for the Performing and Visual Arts *Houston, TX*

GALAS, FESTIVALS & SPECIAL EVENTS

- 2022** Featured dancer in *CrownRoyal X DJ Ron C. and Dr. Anne Lundy of the Scott Joplin Houston Orchestra* with Paul Wall, Lil Keke, and Slim Thug *Houston, TX*
- 2021** Featured Dancer in NBC Sports *Football League Opener* *Los Angeles, CA*
- 2020** Featured Dancer in *Capezio Ace Awards*, choreographed by Justin Pham *Los Angeles, CA*
- 2019** Featured dancer in *Universal Dance Awards: First Breath*, choreographed by Robert Green

CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE

- 2022** *Cold Hearted Snake* (jazz) and *Astronaut in the Ocean* (hip-hop); Pershing Middle School *Houston, TX*
G.H.E.T.T.O. GIRLS (small hip-hop group); DM Dance Co *New Orleans, LA*
The Issac Sisters Is It Cool Music Video *Houston, TX*
- 2019** *Euphoria* (collaboration with Aidan Tyssee), USC Choreographers and Composers *Los Angeles, CA*

HIP-HOP CULTURE BATTLE EXPERIENCE

- 2022** Ladies of Hip Hop Cypher Summit *Los Angeles, CA*

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2019 - PRESENT** USC Kaufman Dance Scholarship *Los Angeles, CA*
NYCDA Foundation College Scholarship *Los Angeles, CA*
- 2021 - 2022** Ronnie & Tilda Winters Sr Family Foundation *Houston, TX*
- 2020 - 2021** Radix National Senior Female Core Performer *Las Vegas, NV*
- 2018 - 2019** Tremaine Senior Female Dancer of the Year *Orlando, FL*
- 2018** XV Monsters of HipHop Show Cast *Los Angeles, CA*

MASTER CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

Hope Boykin, Joe Brown, Tessandra Chavez, Peter Chu, William Forsythe, Brian Friedman, Ebony Haswell Frazier, Nicole Kirkland, Saleemah E. Knight, Will Loftis, Fiona Lummis, Barak Marshall, Tricia Miranda, Blake McGrath, Leo Moctezuma, Achinta S. McDaniel, Thomas McManus, B-Boy Neguin, Victor Quijada, Silas Riener, Dwight Rhoden, Desmond Richardson, Kirsten Russel, Brain Skot, Jermaine Spivey, Micaela Taylor, Andrew Winghart

SKILLS & ACTIVITIES

SKILLS: Singing, Acting, Improv, Partnering, Aerial, Makeup
LEADERSHIP: USC Kaufman Connections Community Outreach Program Dance Teacher, USC Kaufman Lead Student Ambassador, Vice President/Co-Captain of the Cardinal Divas of SC, USC Kaufman Student Ambassador, Club Terpsichore Historian/ Social Media Manager, Assistant Director/ Intern at Dancezone