

Summer Lynn Vu

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PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

2021-Present	USC GLORYA KAUFMAN SCHOOL OF DANCE <ul style="list-style-type: none">Soloist in <i>Rated Human R</i> (world premiere) by Roderick GeorgeSoloist in ... <i>Loving Well</i> (world premiere) by Hope BoykinSoloist in <i>The Artist's Struggle for Integrity</i> (world premiere) by Toyin SogunroSoloist in <i>Sarabande</i> by Jiří Kylián, staged by Fiona LummisDuet in <i>Medulla Problems</i> by Kyle AbrahamDuet in <i>On Second Thought</i> (world premiere) by Bret EasterlingDuet in <i>The Serpent Heart</i> by Madison Olandt and Marco PalominoDuet in <i>Consciously Shifting</i> (world premiere) by Peter ChuDancer in <i>World Premiere</i> by Micaela TaylorDancer in <i>Falling Angels</i> by Jiří Kylián, staged by Fiona Lummis	Los Angeles, CA
2018-2019	ARIZONA <ul style="list-style-type: none">Soloist in University of Arizona Jazz in AZ Showcase	Tuscon, AZ

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2023	Soloist in <i>Aurora</i> at the Grammy Museum by Sangeeta Kaur	Los Angeles, CA
2023	Soloist in <i>Aurora</i> at Wonderspaces by Sangeeta Kaur	Austin, TX
2023	Soloist in <i>Blue Succession</i> by fr_m_d	Los Angeles, CA
2022	Duet in <i>CON NHỚ ĐƯỜNG VỀ / I MISS THE WAY BACK</i> by Quan Pham	Los Angeles, CA
2022	Principal in <i>Sound in Motion</i> by Josey Cuthrell-Tuttleman	Los Angeles, CA
2022	Trio in <i>Dónde está la biblioteca</i> by Brenan Gonzalez, New Century Dance Project	Santa Fe, NM
2021	Dancer in <i>Under the City Sky</i> by Save As Draft, Under the City Sky	Los Angeles, CA
2021	Duet in <i>Nín Đì</i> by Quan Pham	Los Angeles, CA
2016	Soloist in <i>Niguma Mantra Opera</i> by Sangeeta Kaur	Los Angeles, CA

TRAINING & EDUCATION

2021-Present	USC Gloria Kaufman School of Dance, BFA in Dance	Los Angeles, CA
2023-2024	YYDC Summer Intensive	Manhattan, NY
2023	A.I.M Winter Intensive	Los Angeles, CA
2022	Hubbard Street Dance CREATE Summer Intensive	Chicago, IL
2011-2021	Artistic Motion Dance	Queen Creek, AZ

CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE

2024	<i>In Between Stutters</i> Music Video by Gari	Los Angeles, CA
2023	<i>Kitchen</i> , USC Kaufman Advanced Composition	Los Angeles, CA
2023	<i>Home: The First Place I ___</i> , USC Kaufman Choreographers and Composers	Los Angeles, CA
2022	<i>How to Capture a Moment</i> , USC Kaufman Sophomore Showing	Los Angeles, CA
2022	<i>Stand By Your Man</i> , USC Kaufman Fresh Sesh	Los Angeles, CA

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIP

2021-2025	Kaufman Scholarship	Los Angeles, CA
2021	USC University Scholarship	Los Angeles, CA
2019	Herberger Theater Center's Arizona Youth Artist's Competition Dance Winner	Phoenix, AZ

GALAS, FESTIVALS & SPECIAL EVENTS

2024	Dancer in USC Kaufman Jacob's Pillow Debut	Becket, MA
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MASTER CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

Kyle Abraham, Pau Aran, Monica Bill Barnes, Hope Boykin, Michael Breeden, Peter Chu, Bret Easterling, Roderick George, Linda-Denise Fisher-Harrell, Ebony Haswell Frazier, Saleemah E. Knight, Fiona Lummis, Larkin Poynton, Justin Peck, Caili Quan, Desmond Richardson, Dwight Rhoden, Dani Rowe, Penny Saunders, Or Schraiber, Jermaine Spivey, Bobbi Jene Smith, Spenser Theberge, Chelsea Thedinga, Austin Tyson, Doug Varone, Yin Yue

SKILLS & ACTIVITIES

SKILLS: Proficient in American Sign Language, Photography, Cinematography, Video Editing, Teaching, Acting, Movement Direction, Camera Work

LEADERSHIP: Southern California Choreography Collective Administrator, USC Student Advisory Board

ADMINISTRATIVE & TECHNICAL: Microsoft Office, iMovie, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Lightroom Classic, Canva

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS: Pilates (in progress)