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PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

2022-Present	USC GLORIA KAUFMAN SCHOOL OF DANCE - Soloist in <i>In Search of Original Instructions</i> (world premiere) by Jennifer Lott - Duet in <i>Rated Human R</i> (world premiere) by Roderick George - Duet in <i>On Second Thought</i> (world premiere) by Bret Easterling - Choreographer & dancer in collaboration with Seoul Institute of the Arts	Los Angeles, CA Seoul, South Korea
2024	USC THORNTON CHAMBER OPERA Soloist in <i>Dido and Aeneas</i> directed by Corey Estelle	Los Angeles, CA

PROFESSIONAL DANCE EXPERIENCE

2025	Falco D.C. Woodworks Research Residency Artist	Traverse City, MI
2025	Dancer in <i>Voices</i> for Traverse City Dance Festival by Jennifer Lott	Traverse City, MI
2024	Soloist in Wynn Stark's <i>Happy Again</i> music video	Nashville, TN
2024	Soloist in <i>An Arm and a Leg</i> for LED Boise by Lauren Edson	Portland, OR
2023	Soloist in <i>Castillo Interiors</i> by Alex Ketley	Carmel, CA
2023	Soloist in <i>Saudade</i> by Natasha Adorlee	Carmel, CA
2022	Dancer in <i>Who Lights the Sun?</i> by Keelan Whitmore	Portland, OR
2021	Soloist in <i>Interrelated Reflections</i> by FLOCK Dance	Portland, OR / Virtual

INTERDISCIPLINARY PROJECTS

2025	Multimedia + Dance Artist for <i>FRACTURE SYNTHESIS</i> at Spectra Studios	Los Angeles, CA
2025	Choreographer, soloist, composer, animator, and creative technologist for <i>against what</i>	Los Angeles, CA
2025	Composer, interactive tech designer for <i>Please Return to _____</i> by Janae Holster	Los Angeles, CA
2025	Dance & music teaching artist, & DJ for <i>Week of Dance</i> by Corina Kinnear	Parker, CO
2025	Dance consultant & composer for SIGGRAPH Best Art Paper: <i>POESPIN</i>	Vancouver B.C., Canada
2025	Piano accompanist for ballet elective courses at USC Kaufman	Los Angeles, CA
2023-2025	Pianist for USC Thornton Jazz Ensemble	Los Angeles, CA
2024	Choreographer, soloist, composer, and creative technologist for Lake Studios Berlin Residency	Berlin, Germany
2024	Choreographer & composer for <i>Hesi(s)tate</i> (solo)	Los Angeles, CA
2023	Composer for <i>Lost Time</i> by Corina Kinnear	Los Angeles, CA

TRAINING & EDUCATION

2022-2026	USC Kaufman, BFA in Dance, Minors in Jazz Piano and Web Development, Cybersecurity Emphasis	Los Angeles, CA
2025	Dance Education Laboratory Summer Intensive	New York, NY
2025	NYU Interactive Telecommunications Program (ITP) Camp	New York, NY
2024	A.I.M Winter Intensive with Kyle Abraham & A.I.M Company	Los Angeles, CA
2023	b12 Dance Festival	Berlin, Germany
2023	Henny Jurriëns Summer Intensive	Amsterdam, Netherlands
2020-2022	Open Space Dance - Young Artist	Portland, OR
2017-2020	The School at NW Dance Project	Portland, OR

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIP

2022-2026	USC Trustee Merit Scholarship	Los Angeles, CA
2025	Arnhold Summer Dance Fellowship	New York, NY
2023	Ballare Carmel Dance Fellowship	Carmel, CA

GALAS, FESTIVALS & SPECIAL EVENTS

2025	Soloist, choreographer, composer, & creative technologist for USC Widney Society Gala	Los Angeles, CA
2025	Attendee at The Conference for Research on Choreographic Interfaces, Sydney Skybetter	Providence, RI
2025	Attendee at Next Stage Immersive Summit, NO PROSCENIUM (immersive theater conference)	Los Angeles, CA

MASTER CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

Kyle Abraham, Natasha Adorlee, Joy Alpuerta Ritter, Olivia Ancona, Layla Amis, Jody Arnhold, Lillian Barbeito, Leewei Chao, Mary John Frank, Adrian Hoffman, Corina Kinnear, Alice Klock, Nico Monaco, Robert Moses, Sofia Nappa, Franco Nieto, Jiří Pokorný, Ihsan Rustem, Sarah Slipper, Mike Tyus, Victor Rottier, Keelan Whitmore, Yue Yin, David Zambrano

SKILLS & ACTIVITIES

ARTISTIC SKILLS: Piano, Percussion, Guitar, Photography, Videography, Dance/Music Improvisation, Contemporary Partnering
LEADERSHIP: Founder of Capoeira SC, USC Technology & Applied Computing Learning Assistant, Dance Operations Shift Supervisor
ADMINISTRATIVE: Microsoft Office, Google Suite, Canva
SOFTWARE: TouchDesigner, Isadora, Autodesk MAYA, Ableton Live, MAX MSP, Logic Pro, Premiere, Final Cut
FABRICATION: Arduino/ESP32/Raspberry PI, Projection mapping, 3D printing, Laser cutting
PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES: C++, Python, HTML/CSS/Javascript, React, bash/zsh