Austin Diaz

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PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

2023-Present USC GLORYA KAUFMAN SCHOOL OF DANCE — Los Angeles, CA

- Soloist in *Sarabande* (excerpt) by Jiří Kylián, staged by Fiona Lummis
- Duet in *For Time* (world premiere) by Spenser Theberge
- Duet in *Acts of Light* (excerpt) by Martha Graham, staged by Elizabeth Auclair
- Dancer in *Symphonies of Frequency* (world premiere) by Saleemah E. Knight
- Dancer in Thomason Variation (world premiere) by Jakevis Thomason

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2025	Dancer in *Ovation Dance* (skeleton crew) by Derek Hough, Talia Favia, & Dominique Kelley	Los Angeles, CA
	Dancer in *Dirty Dancing* Dance Hall of Fame Induction (excerpt) by Kenny Ortega, & Doriana Sanchez	Los Angeles, CA
2023	Dancer in *Miami Heat Halftime* w/ Varsity Pantherettes Dance Team by Gino Cosculluela	Miami, FL
2021	Dancer in South Beach Pride w/ Lady M	Miami, FL

TRAINING & EDUCATION

2023-Present	USC Glorya Kaufman School of Dance, BFA in Dance, Minor in Cinematic Arts	Los Angeles, CA
2021-2023	Dance Attack Miami	Miami, FL
2019-2023	Somerset Arts Conservatory	Pembroke Pines, FL
2019-2023	Varsity Pantherettes Dance Team	Pembroke Pines, FL
2018-2020	TAME Dance Academy	Pembroke Pines, FL

TELEVISION & MUSIC VIDEOS

2026	Dancer in *Gener8ion & Yung Lean VMA'S performance,* chor. Damien Jalet	Los Angeles, CA
2023	eatured Dancer & Actor in *Season 1 Mad House* w/ Abby Lee Miller, dir. by Brandon Stewart	Burbank, CA
2021	Featured Dancer in *Gotex and Domino Saints Solo Tu* music video	Miami FL
2016	Featured Singer in *Telemundo Un Nuevo Dia*	Miami, FL

GALAS, FESTIVALS, & SPECIAL EVENTS

2025	Dancer in *USC Glorya Kaufman School of Dance 10th Anniversary Gala*	Los Angeles, CA
	Dancer in Dirty Dancing Dance Hall of Fame Induction (excerpt) by Kenny Ortega, & Doriana Sanchez	Los Angeles, CA
2021	Wynwood Pride Festival w/ Rollingwiththefinest	Miami, FL
2021	South Beach Pride Festival (Lady M) w/ Rollingwiththefinest	Miami, FL

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIP

2023-Present	Kaufman Dance Scholarship	Los Angeles, CA
2023-Present	Felix Family Endowed Dance Scholarship	Los Angeles, CA

CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE

2025	*The Story Of An Hour,* Film, directed by Lauren Loesberg	Pasadena, CA
	S#X%D UP, USC Advanced Composition Showing	Los Angeles, CA
2024	*THE RENAISSANCE WAY*, USC Sophomore Composition Showing	Los Angeles, CA

MASTER CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

Elizabeth Auclair, Molly Bogunovic, Luther Brown, Deborah Carvajal, Ethan Colangelo, Moncell Durden, Bret Easterling, Ebony H. Frazier, Thomas Ford, JoJo Gomez, Shannon Grayson, Sabela Grimes, Robert Green, Lynn Helding, Darcy Ima, Saleemah E. Knight, Jackie Kopcsak, Jennifer Lott, Sarah Anindo Marshall, Achinta McDaniel, Bruce McCormick, Matt Steffanina, Amy O'Neal, Nina Flagg, Sandra Rivera, Robert Roldan, Dani Solano, Stacey Swagger, AlexTheLion, Chirica Valentin.

SKILLS & ACTIVITIES

SKILLS: Singing, Acting, Improv, Partnering, Choreography, Modeling, Video Filming/Editing, Photography, Social Media Content Creation
LANGUAGES: Spanish and English
ADMINISTRATIVE: Adobe Creative Suite, Microsoft Office, Google Workspace
TECHNICAL: iMovie, Final Cut Pro, Adobe Premiere, Audacity, Garageband, Logic X Pro