Ellery Donlon

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PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

2023 - Present USC Glorya Kaufman School of Dance — Los Angeles, CA
- Dancer in *Nostalgia Model* by JA Collective
- Dancer in *Something in the Way of Things* by d. Sabela Grimes
- Dancer in *Acts of Light* by Martha Graham
- Dancer in *Falling Angels* & *Sarabande* by Jirí Kylián
- Dancer in *Within The Golden Hour* by Christopher Wheeldon
- Dancer in *Flowchange* by Bruce McCormick
- Dancer in *For Time* by Spenser Theberge

2026 Performed new work by Ilya & Megan Doheney — Salt Lake, UT

2025 Jacob's Pillow Contemporary Dance Ensemble — Becket, MA
- Dancer in a new work by Peter Chu
- Dancer in select repertoire by Aszure Barton
- Dancer in *Mother* (excerpt) by Andrea Miller
- Dancer in *Doris Duke Opening - RawSoundz* by Ryan K. Johnson

2022-2023 Zeitgeist Dance Theater Trainee Company — Santa Fe, NM
- Dancer in *Monger* (excerpt) by Barak Marshall
- Dancer in works by Yusha-Marie Sorzano

2022 Dancer (ensemble) in Ballet Arizona's *Sleeping Beauty* — Phoenix, AZ

2020 Dancer in *The Final Chapter* by Talia Favia — Los Angeles, CA

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2025 - Present USC Kaufman Connections Dance Program - Program Coordinator — Los Angeles, CA

2023-2025 USC Kaufman Connections Dance Program - Teaching Artist — Los Angeles, CA

2023 Soloist at Herberger Dance Theater's First Friday — Phoenix, AZ

TRAINING & EDUCATION

2023 - Present USC Glorya Kaufman School of Dance, BFA in Dance — Los Angeles, CA

2021 - 2023 Ballet Arizona Pre-Professional Program — Phoenix, AZ

2019 - 2023 Arizona School for the Arts, Contemporary Core Dance Program — Phoenix, AZ

INTENSIVE PROGRAMS

2026 Wayne McGregor Company Intensive — London, England
Gaga Lab Berlin '26 & NYC '24 — Berlin, Germany
Gibney Company Summer Intensive — New York City, NY
Ballet BC Spring Intensive — Vancouver, Canada

2025 Jacob's Pillow Contemporary Dance Ensemble — Becket, MA
Chuthis. Movement Intensive @ Orsolina 28 — Orsolina, Italy

2024 O28 Summer '24: Two-Week Intensive Program — Orsolina, Italy

2021-2023 Zeitgeist Dance Theatre Trainee Program — Santa Fe, NM

2022 The Ailey School Professional Division Summer Intensive — New York, NY

2020 Alonzo King Lines (Teens at Lines Program & Summer Intensive) — Online
Entity Contemporary Company Summer Intensive — Online

2019 Hubbard Street Advanced Summer Intensive — Chicago, IL

CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE

2025 Your Anemnesis, performed at USC Kaufman School of Dance — Los Angeles, CA

2024 A Marathon AND a Sprint, performed at USC Kaufman School of Dance — Los Angeles, CA,

2023 Golden Hour, performed at Herberger Dance Theater's First Friday Celebration — Phoenix, AZ

2021 Archetypes III: The Orphan, performed at Zeitgeist Dance Theatre — Filmed in Austin, TX

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIP

2023 USC Kaufman Dance & University Scholarships — Los Angeles, CA

2022 1st Place, (Solo), Herberger Arizona Young Artists Competition — Phoenix, AZ

GALAS, FESTIVALS, & SPECIAL EVENTS

2026 Dancer iwith LaTischa Barnes at USC's 2026 Cypher Summit Performance Ceremony — Los Angeles, CA

2025 Dancer in Dorris Duke Opening Ceremony — Becket, MA
Dancer in Acts of Light (Excerpt) by Martha Graham at Grahm 100 celebration — Los Angeles, CA

MASTER CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

Kyle Abraham, Tina Finkelman Berkett, Hope Boykin, Rena Buttler, Victoria Chase, Spencer Dickhaus, Livona Ellis, Teddy Forance, Julie Fredrick, Bobbi Jene Smith, Miriam Gittens, Anne Jung, Pei Lun Lai, Francisco Martinez, Milton Meyers, Kenny Ortega, Benjamin Peralta, Sarah Pippin, Jiří Pokorný, Giovanni di Palma, Jordyn Santiago, Or Schraiber, Zak Ryan Schlegal, Spenser Theberg, Roger Van der Poel, Mario Alberto Zambrano

SKILLS & ACTIVITIES

SKILLS: Improvisation & Freestyling, Administrative Experience, Dance Teacher, STEAM Researcher, Choreography, Dance Performance
LEADERSHIP: USC Kaufman Connections Program Coordinator, Kaufman Connections Teaching Artist
ADMINISTRATIVE & TECHNICAL: Program Coordination, Data Collection & Formatting, Microsoft Office, Event Production, Meeting Transcription, Onboarding, Curriculur Design