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PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

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

- Soloist in *Nostalgia Model 14:14* (world premiere) by JA Collective
- Soloist in *Thomason Variation* (world premiere) by Jakevis Thomason
- Soloist in *Dances that made America & Dances America made up* (world premiere) by E. Moncell Durden
- Soloist in *For Time* (world premiere and collaboration) by Spenser Theberge
- Duet in *Falling Angels* (excerpt) by Jiří Kylián, staged by Fiona Lummis Eddy
- Dancer in *Acts of Light: Ritual to the Sun (Helios)* by Martha Graham, staged by Elizabeth Auclair
- Dancer in *On Second Thought* (world premiere and collaboration) by Bret Easterling
- Understudy in *Whereabouts Unknown* (excerpt) by Jiří Kylián, staged by Fiona Lummis Eddy

2026 VANGUARD BODY INTENSIVE

- Soloist in *JIAN·CIJIAN* 见·此间 (world premiere) by Marioenrico D'Angelo — Shanghai, China

2025 SPRINGBOARD DANSE | PITTSBURGH

- Soloist in *resistant structure* (world premiere and collaboration) by Sidra Bell (SBDNY) — Pittsburgh, PA
- Duet in *ABYSS* by slowdanger

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2026 Soloist in *Nostalgia Model* by JA Collective in VIBE Dance Competition Exhibition — Costa Mesa, CA

2025 Dancer in *BOLERO X* by Shahar Binyamini with Ballet BC at The Soraya with Ballet BC, staged by Sarah Pippin — Los Angeles, CA

2025 Soloist in *Thomason Variation* (world premiere) by Jakevis Thomason at "LA Dances Graham100" at The Soraya — Los Angeles, CA

TRAINING & EDUCATION

2023-Present	USC Glorya Kaufman School of Dance, BFA in Dance	Los Angeles, CA
2026	Vanguard Body Intensive	Shanghai, China
	Orsolina28 Jiří Kylián & Marco Goecke's Intensives	Moncalvo, Italy
	Nuova Officina Della Danza Summer Intensive	Turin, Italy
2025	Hubbard Street Dance Chicago EXPLORE Intensive	Chicago, IL
	Springboard Danse Summer Project	Pittsburgh, PA
2024-2025	GagaLabs Summer NYC	Brooklyn, NY
2024	GALLIM Summer Intensive	New York, NY

CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE

2026	*shore of the edge* / 那边海岸, *FLOCK Festival* Official Selection	Schwäbisch Hall, Germany
	INNERSTICE, self-produced evening-length performance in collaboration with composer Takumi Kakimoto, Highways Performance Space Residency	Los Angeles, CA
	Untitled (at the end of the world we reunited) (collaboration), Trinity Laban x USC Kaufman CoLab	London, UK
2025 & 2026	*edge of the shore*, USC Kaufman Advanced Composition Showcase & Choreographer Collection Los Angeles "Spring Works" Official Selection	Los Angeles, CA
	6-Minute Piece (collaboration), USC Kaufman Choreographers & Composers / "Off-Sights" Performance	Los Angeles, CA
	leaks, Southern California Choreographic Collective ARTSfest	Los Angeles, CA
2024	系 *(tie)*, USC Kaufman Sophomore Choreography Showcase	Los Angeles, CA

STREET DANCE BATTLE EXPERIENCE

2026	Top 4 in *Shenzhen Brewtown Dance Battle*, Freestyle 1-on-1 Battle	Shenzhen, China
2025	Champion in *Loose Your Soul Vol.III*, House Music All Style 1-on-1 Battle	Shenzhen, China
	Runner-Up in Funny Bones Crew 23rd Anniversary Open Style 1-on-1 Battle	Los Angeles, CA
2023	Champion in Wabble Streets Crew Popping 1-on-1 Battle	Shenzhen, China

FESTIVALS & SPECIAL EVENTS

2025	Soloist in *Making Love with David Magidoff* Improv Musical Comedy	Los Angeles, CA
2023	Duet in *Club Jeté 11 Year Anniversary Show* Janae Holster's choreography	Los Angeles, CA

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIP

2023-Present	USC Kaufman The Katherine and James Lau Dance Scholarship	Los Angeles, CA
	USC Glorya Kaufman School of Dance Merit Scholarship	Los Angeles, CA
2026	Laguna Dance Emerging Artist Scholarship	Laguna Beach, CA
2025	Obremski/Works VISION Fellowship for Developing AAPI Artists	New York, NY

MASTER CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

Kyle Abraham, Alexander Anderson, Yaniv Avraham, LaTasha Barnes, Adam Barruch, Billy Barry, Ben Behrends, Sidra Bell, Lyle Beniga, Aidan Carberry, Peter Chu, Ethan Colangelo, Marat Daukayev, Fran Díaz, Bret Easterling, Shaun Evaristo, Ben Green, Brian Green, James Gregg, Pau Aran Gimeno, Jordan Johnson, Anne Jung, Greg Lau, Ana Maria Lucaciu, Ohad Mazor, Giovanni Di Palma, Fabio Palombo, Kevin Paradox, Sarah Pippin, Shamel Pitts, Larkin Poynton, Ella Rothschild, Luigi Sardone, Valentina Scaglia, Parvaneh Scharafali, Or Schraiber, Kyle Scheurich, Bobbi Jene Smith, Jermaine Spivey, Spenser Theberge, Stephanie Troyak, Akira Uchida, Xiaochao Wen, Arika Yamada

SKILLS & ACTIVITIES

SKILLS: Movement Direction, Gaga, Improv, Popping, Waving, Hip Hop, House, Locking, Waacking, Jazz, Acting, Partnering, Photography, Media Editing, Writing, Poetry, Rapping in Chinese
LEADERSHIP: USC Kaufman Connections Community Outreach Program Dance Teacher, Contemporary & Popping Workshop Instructor
ADMINISTRATIVE: Microsoft Office
TECHNICAL: iMovie, Capcut, Canva, Garageband
LANGUAGES: Mandarin and English (native proficiency)