

Nicole Hennington

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Dancer; Choreographer; Teacher

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SUMMARY

Professional Dancer and Choreographer devoted to a positive work environment, collaboration, and honesty. 6 years of professional performance experience. 9 years of teaching experience.

EDUCATION

The University of Arizona; B.F.A., Dance | Graduated Magna Cum Laude (2015-2018)

- Ballet, Modern, Jazz, Teaching Methods, Biomechanics, Dance History

Minor in Finance

- Economics, Accounting, Personal Investing, Small Business Finance, Real Estate Finance

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Springboard Dans Montréal (2022); Principle Co: RUBBERBANDANCE Group; Emerging: UNA Productions

DART Summer Intensive (2022)

Rubberbandance Group Winter Intensive (2021)

Nederlands Dans Theatre Summer Intensive (2018); Choreographer: Juan Jui Wang

Hubbard Street Dance Chicago Summer Intensive (2017)

Chuthis. Movement Intensive (2014, 2015, 2016)

New Dialect Summer Intensive (2017)

Ate9 Summer Intensive (2016)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

NW Dance Project - Portland, OR

Company Dancer

January 2023 - August 2024

Performed repertoire:

XIII

Celebration

7300 Days

Glimmers

Fistful (in process)

Activating Infinity

Murmurations

Rite of Spring

Petrushka

The Commodities

Common Ground

Ihsan Rustem

Sarah Slipper & Ihsan Rustem

Gustavo Ramirez Sansano

Nicole Von Arx

Joseph Hernandez

Bryan Arias

Serge Bennathan

Ihsan Rustem

Joseph Hernandez

Caroline Finn

Yin Yue

GroundWorks DanceTheater - Cleveland, OH

Company Dancer

August 2018 - May 2022

Performed repertoire:

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Peter Chu

Mixtape 2.2

Antonio Brown

U/04

James Gregg

Unwritten

Brian Brooks

Axis

Adam Barruch

Pony

Hanna Garner

We Three

Robyn Mineko-Williams

Eveill 

James Gregg

The Witness

Dianne McIntyre

Luna

David Shimotakahara

Rehearsal Assistant

August 2021 - May 2022

- Pioneered the creation of the Rehearsal Director role within the company, establishing a benchmark for organizational excellence.
- Orchestrated the company's rehearsal schedule with precision, liaising effectively between dancers and the administration team during concurrent events.

Teaching Artist

August 2018 - May 2022

Lead Teaching Artist: Warner Girl's Leadership Academy

- integrated positive behaviors and group expectations through creative play and movement-based sessions

Program Assistant: Campus International school; Wilson Elementary

- worked with students with disabilities and taught emotional awareness tactics

Dana Metz Co. - Phoenix, AZ

Company Dancer

August 2022 - December 2022

Chuthis. - Las Vegas, NV

Guest Dancer

June 2017

PROFESSIONAL CHOREOGRAPHY

Untitled (2024)
A Holiday Hallmark Special (2023)
Lullaby for 21 (2023)
Don't Carry This Alone (2023)
As I Am (2022)

Jacob's Pillow Ann & Weston Hick Choreography Fellowship
NW Dance Project
NWDP Summer Dance Platform
Carmel Dance Festival
GroundWorks DanceTheater

TEACHING

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| Dance Connection, Scottsdale Company Co-director | Choreography, company instructor | 2016-2024 2024-2025 |
| NW Dance Project Studios | Contemporary; improv; floorwork | 2023-2024 |
| Cleveland State University | Ballet; floorwork | 2022 |
| GWDT Winter Intensive | Repertoire | 2020-2022 |
| Royal Dance Works | Contemporary | 2021-2023 |
| Center Stage Dance Studio | Contemporary & Modern | 2020-2024 |
| Revolutions Dance Academy | Contemporary, Technique, Ballet | 2018-2024 |
| Absolute Dance Company | Contemporary, Technique, Improv | 2020-2023 |