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Education

Bachelor of Fine Arts: Dance, 05/11/2024

University of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign - Champaign, IL

Performance

2024

Comatose Loops by **Haileyelle Brown**

Makes Me Wanna (Put Art Into It), Urbana Independent Media Center

Shadows of Obligation by **Jaymes Crowder-Acres**

Continuum Senior Thesis Concert, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

An Endless Thread by **Landon Allender**

Continuum Senior Thesis Concert, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Bayasibiza by **Jaymes Crowder-Acres**

Foellinger Auditorium, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

[Re]-[Re].circ.2024 by **Oluwadamilare Ayorinde**

StudioDance Extended 2024, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

2023

Resilient Reflections by **Genesis Medious**

Solace Senior Thesis Concert, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of
Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Untitled by **Adanya Gilmore**

Imagining Otherwise: Speculation in the Americas Symposium, Krannert Center for the
Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Florescent Bloom by **Kymani Davis-Williams**

Intertwined Frequencies Spring, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of
Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Haba Na Haba Hujaza Kibaba by **Dr. Kemal Nance**

Dance At Illinois Downtown, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

I'd Say You Heard That Right by **Jade Katch**

American College Dance Association, Ohio University

Embodied Chronicles by **Ty Lewis**

StudioDance Extended, Urbana Independent Media Center

2022

Authentic Reflections by **Prishina Coleman**

Intertwined Frequencies Fall, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois
At Urbana-Champaign

ATLiens by **Jaymes Crowder-Acres, Landon Allender, Margeret Daniels**

Imaginations Spring Showcase 2022, Lincoln Hall, The University Of Illinois At
Urbana-Champaign

Time is ____ by **Jaymes Crowder-Acres, Landon Allender, Margeret Daniels**

Skeleton Dance 2022, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At
Urbana-Champaign

Untied by **Roxane D'Orleans Juste**

October Dance 2022, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

sogoodtobealonetogether. by **Bevara Anderson**

StudioDance 2022, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Future Cake by **Tere O'Connor**

February Dance 2022, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

2020

Stages Of by **Bevara Anderson**

November Dance 2020, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

2019

La Vela by **Pierre Lockett**

Gallery 37, Forward Momentum Chicago

Film Performance

2024

Finding Mother(land) by **Anna Lillig**

The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

2023

Echoes in collaboration with **Laura Chiaramonte**

The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Think Twice by **Landon Allender**

The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Defining My Dance by **Jasmine Chavez**

The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

2020

Day 100 by **Nora Nofal**

The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Choreography

2024

Shadows of Obligation - BFA Thesis Self-Choreographed Solo

The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Continuum Senior Thesis Concert, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Bayasibiza - duet performed with Avi Pellegrinetti in collaboration with the UIUC Varsity Men's Glee Choir

Foellinger Auditorium, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Take it to the Cypher - ensemble work created with contributions from University of Illinois students

February Dance 2024, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

2023

Duality: Red & Blue - duet created in collaboration with Kennedy Wilson

Intricate Nerves Expanded Bodies, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

2022

ATLiens - trio created and performed in collaboration with Landon Allender & Margeret Daniels,

Imaginations Spring Showcase 2022, Lincoln Hall, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Time is ____ - trio created and performed in collaboration with Landon Allender & Margeret Daniels,

Skeleton Dance 2022, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

We Do This For Us - ensemble work created with contributions by 7 University of Illinois students

Skeleton Dance 2022, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, The University Of Illinois At Urbana-Champaign

Academic Positions

2024

Summer Teacher - University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Hip hop physical practice class for high school summer intensive students

2023

Guest Teacher - University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Dancing in Community physical practice class for dance majors

Teaching Assistant - University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Jazz Funk Dance Technique for dance minors and non-majors, with Ty Lewis

Ballet Folkloric Dance Technique for dance minors and non-majors, with Alfonso Cervera

2019

Teaching Assistant - Lindblom Math and Science Academy

Dance Technique 1 physical practice class for high school students, with Joy Gross

Service

Intern, 08/2022 - 5/2024

Dance At Illinois – Champaign, IL

Black Advocacy Team Social Media Chair, 08/2022 - 6/2024

Dance At Illinois – Urbana, IL

Mentorship Program Coordinator, 08/2022 - 5/2024

Dance At Illinois – Urbana, IL

Summer Camp Counselor, 06/2022 - 7/2024

College Of Fine And Applied Arts – Urbana, IL

Video Crew Member, 01/2022 - 5/2024

Dance At Illinois – Urbana, IL

Student Board Member, 08/2021 - 5/2024

Dance At Illinois – Urbana, IL

Awards

2024

Senior Magnolia Scholarship Award - University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

2023

William McClellan Memorial Scholarship - University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Studied Under

Cynthia Oliver, Nik Owens, Maggie Segale, Miki Orihara, Elizabeth Auclair, Linda Lehovec, C Kemal Nance PhD, Tere O'Connor, Roxane D'Orleans Juste, Danzel Thompson-Stout, Bevara

Anderson, Jan Erkert, Catrina Choate-Heretoiu, Anna Sapozhnikov, Jennifer Monson, Rachel Rizzuto, Alfonso Cervera, Ty Lewis, Alexandria Barbier, Oluwadamilare Ayorinde, Adanya Gilmore, Laura Chiaramonte, Elliot Reza Emadian, Rebecca Nettle-Fiol, Abby Zbikowski, Paige Cunningham-Caldarella, Betty Allen, John Toenjes, Anna Peretz Rogovoy, Sojung Lim, Gabriel Gonzalez, Karin Curin, Lisa Scurlock, Laura Gates, Pierre Lockett, Bradlee Lathon, Andrea Vinson, Joy Gross