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Council Bluffs, IA

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American Midwest Ballet Summer Intensive 2024

Full Program JUN 10–28

One Week Option JUN 10–15

Jr. Intensive JUN 24–28

Ages 11+

Three intensive weeks of ballet, pointe, variations, jazz, modern, contemporary, and repertory are in store for dancers ages 11–25 at American Midwest Ballet’s Summer Intensive, held at the beautiful Hoff Family Arts & Culture Center in Council Bluffs, Iowa—part of the vibrant Omaha metro area.

Summer Intensive participants will immerse themselves in dance six days per week. They will be guided by a faculty consisting of stellar guest instructors and company artists of American Midwest Ballet. On the final day, they will showcase what they’ve learned in a performance in the Hoff Center’s fully equipped theater.

Accepted participants will receive notification within three weeks of audition. American Midwest Ballet will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Ballet Chicago

Chicago, IL

balletchicago.org

5-Week Summer Intensive

JUN 24–JUL 26

Ages 11+

Ballet Chicago's five-week Summer Intensive offers the serious ballet student an unparalleled training experience. Our expert faculty, led by Artistic Director Daniel Duell and School Director Patricia Blair, is known for its ability to transform dancers through highly focused guidance, correction, and validation for each student. Our comprehensive curriculum includes women's and men's technique in the Balanchine tradition, pointe, variations, Pilates, stretch, modern dance technique, classical Spanish dance, and pas de deux (for upper levels only). Classes are demanding, and results are palpable. The Summer Intensive is open to dancers ages 11 and up. Acceptance is by audition only.

Advanced Repertory Workshop

JUL 29–AUG 9

Ages 11+

Ballet Chicago's two-week Advanced Repertory Workshop is a perfect complement to our five-week Summer Intensive. Every year, students flock to Ballet Chicago from cities throughout the U.S., Asia, South America, and Europe to take part in this exceptional, accelerated training program. Dancers immerse themselves in learning and perfecting repertory. They are coached daily to gain the strength, purity of line, musicality, self-confidence, and focus that allows them to transform classroom technique into artistry. Acceptance to the Advanced Repertory Workshop is by audition only.

Participants are notified within one week of their audition date. They will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Ballet Hispánico School of Dance

New York, NY

ballethispanico.org

ChoreoLab Emerging Artist Workshop

JUN 12–JUN 29

(Dancers will be off on Juneteenth, JUN 22, & all Sundays)

Ages 18+

ChoreoLaB is a holistic program that supports the development of hireable, competitive dancers in a nurturing environment who are ready to advance their careers as professional artists. Designed for emerging artists, ChoreoLaB students will experience what it is like to be in the Ballet Hispánico Professional Dance Company with immersive, rigorous yet supportive training, artistry development, discussions on real world dance field hot topics, and a variety of life-skill building opportunities.

Program highlights include...

- Take daily classes in ballet, contemporary, improvisation, and movement invention
- Create individual Dance on Film studies
- Learn Ballet Hispánico Repertory with coaching from the BH Artistic Team
- Work with renowned guest choreographers in the creative process of new work - previous guests include Annabelle Lopez Ochoa, Mario Alberto Zambrano, and Omar Roman De Jesus.
- Benefit from professional development through forums including topics such as injury prevention, financial literacy & planning, networking, personal branding, and more.
- Receive supportive feedback and guidance from artistic leaders in the field, including exclusive access to mentorship from the BH Artistic Team.
- Perform in a culminating showing of BH repertory and new works.

Summer Intensive

4-Week Pre-Professional Program for Intermediate to Advanced Dancers

JUL 1–26

Ages 12–23

As America's leading Latino dance organization, Ballet Hispánico's unique pre-professional Summer Intensive challenges students to develop their versatility by strengthening their classical technique, Spanish Dance, and contemporary dance styles. With an emphasis on holistic dance training, this summer intensive will develop students' professional skills through specialized forums and a rigorous schedule of diverse class offerings led by a world class roster of teachers and musicians in a nurturing and supportive environment.

Classes include Ballet, Pointe, Classical Variations, Modern, Contemporary, Partnering, Ballet Hispánico Repertory, Stretch & Conditioning; Plus Spanish Dance Series featuring world class guest faculty, Master Classes in hip-hop, salsa, and more; Professional development including seminars on auditioning, opportunities in the field, and injury prevention.

Junior Summer Intensive

3-Week Pre-Professional Program for Advanced Beginner to Intermediate dancers with at least two years of training

JUL 8–JUL 26

Ages 7–14

Ballet Hispánico's unique pre-professional Junior Summer Intensive challenges students to develop their versatility by strengthening their Ballet, Spanish Dance, and Contemporary dance techniques. With an emphasis on holistic dance training, this summer intensive will develop the students' artistic skills through specialized forums and a rigorous schedule of diverse class offerings. Led by a world class roster of teachers and musicians, classes include Ballet, Spanish Dance, Stretch & Conditioning, and Contemporary, as well as Master Classes in hip-hop, jazz, salsa, afro-caribbean, dance history seminars, and more.

Professional Studies Pa'lante Program

SEP 2023–MAY 2024

The Pa'lante Program is Ballet Hispánico's full-time, daytime training program which includes Pa'lante Scholars and Pa'lante Trainees. The Pa'lantes study and train under the unique Ballet Hispánico model and train in ballet and contemporary, learn Ballet Hispánico repertory, and have many performance opportunities. The Pa'lante Scholars study tuition-free and Pa'lante Trainees are a tuition-based program. Partial scholarships and tuition assistance are available. This exclusive program has limited enrollment and is open to all dancers of all backgrounds.

For over fifty years Ballet Hispánico has been a platform for Hispanic, Black and Brown youth to find their dreams in the dance world. We have made it our mission to shine a spotlight on these talented young dancers, uplifting their voices, and ultimately creating a central place for them on the world's foremost stages. As the professional division of La Academia, the Pa'lante Program will offer all students the opportunity to study full-time under the unique Ballet Hispánico training model and methodologies.

The Pa'lante Scholars initiative is an innovative, tuition-free professional studies program designed to bridge the gap between the pre-professional and professional stages of a dancer's career. Ballet Hispánico is answering the need for more career centered programs that build artistry and leadership for our communities, without the financial burden often tied to professional development. We believe that a talented young dancer should never be held back by financial strain. Removing the financial barrier to professional training will in turn ensure young dancers can pursue artistic careers without the burden of debt. The impact of this vision

will be reflected as dancers are better able to flourish in their artistic careers, ultimately strengthening recognition and representation of Latinx dancers in the field.

Due to the overwhelming success of the Pa'lante Scholars tuition-free program, we are adding the NEW Pa'lante Trainee program that broadens access to the unique Ballet Hispanico training model. The competitive Pa'lante Scholars program continues to award a 100% tuition-free training, performance opportunities, and a company experience.

Beginning in the fall of 2024, a new select group of young Pa'lante Trainees will participate in the program to experience world-class training and individualized mentoring, with access to partial scholarships and reduced tuition. All Trainees will take all Pa'lante classes and participate in rehearsals, with the possibility of performance opportunities. Trainees will automatically be considered for the Scholar program during the course of the year. Select dancers from both programs may also have the opportunity to take class with the Company.

Ballet Hispánico expanded the initiative into a training program that models a dancer's real-life experience and often bridges the gap for BIPOC dance students that came to dance without the experience of legacy training that many ballet dancers receive at a young age. Dancers train from 9am-5pm in a hybrid model consisting of classes and rehearsals, along with professional development, specialty classes and performance opportunities.

These programs immerse young dancers into a professional setting, focusing on artistry development through Ballet Hispánico's accredited comprehensive and holistic curriculum, including classical ballet technique, multiple contemporary dance styles, pointe work, partnering, repertory, conditioning, choreography, and specialty classes such as hip hop, salsa, and flamenco. Students will also participate in professional seminars in career planning, dance history, financial literacy, auditioning strategies, and networking. Individualized coaching and mentorship will be provided by the directors of the program, as well as other members of the Ballet Hispánico artistic team.

Acceptance letters will be emailed no later than two weeks post audition. Acceptance letters will include a deadline for students to accept or decline. Students have 3 weeks from the date of the acceptance letter sent to respond and register with a deposit to secure their spot. Ballet Hispánico will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

The Big Muddy Dance Company

St. Louis, MO

thebigmuddydanceco.org

The Big Muddy Dance Company's Summer Intensive Program

Session 1

JUN 17–28

M–F 9:00AM–5:00PM

Ages 10–13

Session 2

JUN 17–28

M–F 9:00AM–5:00PM

Ages 14–17

Session 3

JUL 8–19

M–F 9:00AM–5:00PM

Ages 18+

Students will receive 2 weeks of full-day focused training in ballet, jazz, and contemporary techniques, as well as new choreography and company repertoire taught by artists from The Big Muddy and renowned guest faculty. Each session culminates in a showcase for friends and family.

Dancers ages 18+ may also be considered for The Big Muddy's 2024-2025 Trainee Program, which provides aspiring young adult dancers affordable, high-quality training and performance opportunities in order to facilitate a smooth transition between dance education and a professional career in dance.

Accepted participants will be notified of acceptance via email within two weeks of RSIA. The Big Muddy Dance Company will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Boston Conservatory at Berklee

Boston, MA

bostonconservatory.berklee.edu/

Commercial Dance Intensive

JUL 8–26

Ages 16+

Boston Conservatory at Berklee Commercial Dance Intensive is a cutting-edge, three-week summer program for dancers interested in exploring the world of commercial dance. Focused on dance for video, film, and live music concerts, you will explore various dance forms necessary to succeed in the industry, including jazz-funk, hip-hop, breaking/popping, urban dance styles, and lyrical jazz. You will also develop important portfolio-building skills, such as résumé creation.

Taught by Boston Conservatory's renowned faculty and acclaimed guest artists who have performed with some of the biggest names in the industry, Commercial Dance Intensive gives you the opportunity to sample trademark elements of the Conservatory's top-ranking dance B.F.A. program: versatile skill-building and focused studies that pave a path for successful careers.

Each week you will have the opportunity to interact personally with guest artists and receive valuable guidance from these industry leaders on audition techniques, networking, and dos and don'ts.

Read more here: <https://summer.berklee.edu/programs/commercial-dance-intensive-cdi>

Summer Dance Intensive

JUL 22–AUG 10

Ages 16+

During the three weeks, you will have an opportunity to study with our gifted and illustrious dance division faculty—working each week to explore a wide range of dance forms. You can expect instruction in composition, jazz, improvisation, Afro-Haitian, repertory, composition, and classical ballet.

Our internationally acclaimed guest artists will challenge you as you move through their unique perspectives and cutting-edge approaches to contemporary dance. Guest artist lectures, or "Artist Talks," during each week's residency will inspire you as you invest in your dance journey.

Read more here: <https://summer.berklee.edu/programs/summer-dance-intensive-sdi>

Participants are notified of their acceptance into the program within two weeks of their audition. Boston Conservatory at Berklee will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Burklyn Ballet Theatre

Johnson, VT

burklynballet.com

Burklyn Ballet Theatre Summer Intensive

JUN 30–AUG 11

2, 3, 4 and 6 week sessions.

Intermediate Program JUL 14–28

Young Men's Program JUL 14–28

Edinburgh Connection AUG 12–25

Ages 11+

Burklyn Ballet Theatre is a summer intensive that takes place in Johnson, Vermont. Our students dance from 8:30 in the morning until 9:00 at night, taking three classes each day plus having rehearsals. At the end of each week all students participate in our weekly performance. Our performances include the classics as well as new, modern and contemporary choreography created on our dancers by our master teachers. Each week features two new master teachers - including John Gardner, Amanda McKerrow and Thom Clower. Our classes include ballet, modern, pointe, pas de deux, character, contemporary, variations, jazz and choreography. We have alumni in professional companies, college dance programs and on Broadway. We also have alumni that have gone on to be Artistic Directors and College Professors.

Participants are notified via email within two weeks of their audition date. Burklyn Ballet Theatre will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Charlotte Ballet

Charlotte, NC

charlotteballet.org

Charlotte Ballet Summer Intensive

Ages 11–22

Session A

JUN 24–JUL 27

Session B

JUL 1–27

Charlotte Ballet’s Summer Intensive is recognized for its strong training, diverse classes, rigorous schedule and supportive faculty. At Charlotte Ballet, dancers are encouraged to refine their strength in classical ballet technique and explore new movement. The Academy uses the Summer Intensive as a time to evaluate dancers for acceptance into our year-round training program as a Trainee within the Pre-Professional Division. Dancers who wish to be considered for this program are required to attend our Summer Intensive.

Training six days a week, dancers ages 11–22 work with renowned resident and guest teachers, who are invested in each dancer’s growth. The Summer Intensive concludes with the Summer Repertory Performances at Charlotte Ballet’s Center for Dance.

CURRICULUM:

Ballet

Pointe (required)*

Pas de Deux (Levels 3 & 4)

Male & Female Variations

Men’s Technique Classes

Modern

Jazz

Yoga

Conditioning

Contemporary Ballet

Musical Theatre

Charlotte Ballet Company Repertoire

Accepted participants will be notified via email within 7–10 business days following their audition. Charlotte Ballet will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Cincinnati Ballet

Cincinnati, OH

cballet.org

Summer Intensive

JUN 17–JUL 27

Ages 12+

Cincinnati Ballet's Summer Intensive partners with professionally aspiring students through an immersive dance experience designed to cultivate their individual potential. For six weeks, students step into a professional company environment where they benefit from full days of dance, the support of world-class faculty and a community of like-minded peers. Through intensive ballet curriculum, students hone their technical capacity supplemented by classes in diverse dance disciplines and topics to support the versatility required in today's dance world. Cincinnati Ballet's Summer Intensive also focuses intently on the development of students as dance artists through engagement in challenging repertoire and coaching by internationally renowned guest faculty, in addition to Cincinnati Ballet's artistic leadership.

Accepted participants will be notified via email 7–10 business days following their audition. Cincinnati Ballet will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

COCA – Center of Creative Arts

St. Louis, MO

cocastl.org

Ballet Studio Jr. Intensive

JUL 1–19

9:30AM–4:00PM

Ages 9–13

Ballet Studio is COCA's Jr. Ballet Intensive. This full-day, 3-week intensive includes ballet, modern, and character technique classes led by American Ballet Theatre National Training Curriculum Pre-Primary–Level 5 Certified Instructors Norma Gabriel and Carrie Fernandez. Students focus on elements to improve their training as performing artists: musicality, the expressiveness of contrasting movement energies, and character development. Technical focus includes pirouettes, petite allegro, adagio, and pointe (pre-pointe when appropriate). The dancers learn the process of preparing for a performance.

The intensive is divided into two sections based on each dancer's ability. Dancers must be levels Ballet II, IIA, III, IV, or V (if currently enrolled at COCA) or have completed more than three years of classical ballet training. Culminates with a free, open performance for family and friends on Friday, July 19.

Accepted participants will be notified via email following their audition. COCA will NOT notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Colorado Conservatory of Dance

Broomfield, CO

ccdance.org

2024 Colorado Conservatory of Dance Advanced Intensive

Ages 13–18+

JUN 17–JUN 22

9:00AM–6:30PM MON–FRI

9:00AM–3:00PM SAT

JUL 8–JUL 13

9:00AM–6:30PM MON–FRI

9:00AM–3:00PM SAT

JUN 24–JUN 29

9:00AM–6:30PM MON–FRI

9:00AM–3:00PM SAT

JUL 15–JUL 20

9:00AM–6:30PM MON–FRI

9:00AM–3:00PM SAT

JUL 1–JUL 6

9:00AM–6:30PM MON–FRI

9:00AM–3:00PM SAT

JUL 22–JUL 27

9:00AM–6:30PM MON–FRI

9:00AM–3:00PM SAT

Colorado Conservatory of Dance Summer Advanced Intensive Program is for Dancers from 13–19 years old, and this intensive provides multi-disciplinary dance training in a rigorous and nurturing environment geared towards fostering individual growth through technical proficiency and movement literacy.

Dancers will continue to develop their ballet technique, learning repertoire, creating new dances, and exploring different dance forms including African Diaspora, Contemporary Dance, Hip Hop/Street Dance, Latinx Dances, and Swing Dance with CCD faculty members and Visiting Artists from Regional, National, and International major companies and training programs.

Weeks 1 & 2, students will learn how to create dances on film/screendance. During Week 3 to Week 6, we will offer the component of Leadership Skills Development with our participants. Participants will present their work to you EACH SATURDAY at 2:30 PM with a sneak peak on Friday at 5:30 PM.

Participants are notified by email within one week of their audition date. Colorado Conservatory of Dance will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Fort Wayne Ballet

Fort Wayne, IN

fortwayneballet.org

Fort Wayne Ballet Summer Intensive & Professional Experience

JUN 10–JUL 5

Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:30pm

Ages 11+

Fort Wayne Ballet Summer Intensive & Professional Experience is an immersive opportunity for strong ballet training and exploring other forms of dance including Modern, Jazz, Musical Theatre, Partnering. In addition, we have seminars on dancer wellness, dance history, terminology, injury prevention, Pilates, Floor Barre, and more! There are rehearsals for an end of the Intensive Performance for those that participate in all 4 weeks.

Participants are notified by mail and email within two weeks of their audition date. Fort Wayne Ballet will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Joffrey Ballet School

New York, NY

Joffreyballetschool.com

Joffrey Ballet School Summer Intensives

Ages 11+

Ages 14–19

The Joffrey Ballet School hosts multiple intensives across the US. Programs start June 3rd and continue through August 23. Dancers are able to attend a minimum of 1 week up through 7 weeks depending on the program.

Ballet Intensives Offered:

NYC Ballet Intensive

NYC Pre-Professional Ballet Intensive

JoffreyRED Contemporary Ballet Intensive

San Francisco Contemporary Ballet Intensive

Joffrey South Ballet Intensive

Joffrey Miami Ballet Intensive

Jazz & Contemporary Intensives Offered:

NYC Jazz & Contemporary Intensive

NYC Pre-Professional Jazz & Contemporary Intensive

Joffrey South Jazz & Contemporary Intensive

Joffrey Las Vegas Jazz & Contemporary Intensive

Joffrey Miami Jazz & Contemporary Intensive

Multi-Genre (Mix of ballet, jazz, contemporary and other styles)

Joffrey West

Joffrey Dallas

NYC Musical Theater Intensive

NYC Hip Hop Intensive

Accepted participants will be notified within two weeks of audition. They will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Kansas City Ballet School

Kansas City, MO

kcballet.org

Kansas City Ballet School Summer Intensive

JUN 17–JUL 20

Ages 11+

The Kansas City Ballet School Summer Intensive offers a curriculum focused on classical ballet with exposure to a variety of dance disciplines, including modern, jazz, and contemporary dance. Artistic staff and school faculty of Kansas City Ballet combine to create one of the best summer intensives offered in the country. Our world-class guest instructors bring additional expertise that is unmatched and will help prepare students for the demands of a professional career. We educate not just the dancer, but the whole person.

Students are typically notified within two weeks of their audition. Notifications are sent via email. Kansas City Ballet will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Louisville Ballet

Louisville, KY
louisvilleballet.org/intensive

Louisville Ballet Summer Intensive

JUN 17–JUL 12

Ages 13+

Louisville Ballet Summer Intensive gives aspiring dancers the opportunity to train like professionals. With our inspiring facilities and world-renowned faculty, dancers will hone their technique, build strength, and develop their individual artistry, all within an inclusive, encouraging and motivating environment.

We are excited to announce our Guest Faculty includes Lauren Anderson, Former Houston Ballet Principal dancer, along with Louisville Ballet Artistic Staff and Company dancers. Daily classes include Ballet, Pointe, Men's Class, Variations, Pas de Deux and Conditioning, plus complementary dance styles such as Modern, Musical Theater, Pilates and Yoga.

A dedicated Men's Program includes daily men's technique, strength training, conditioning, and partnering.

Daily rehearsals are scheduled for culminating demonstrations & performances that include original choreography by faculty and guest teachers and excerpts of Louisville Ballet repertoire. Physical Therapy professionals available on-site and offer seminars throughout the intensive.

Accepted participants will be notified via email within two weeks of their audition. Louisville Ballet will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Next Generation Ballet

Tampa, FL

strazcenter.org/Next-Generation-Ballet

Next Generation Ballet Summer Intensive

Five Week Option: JUN 17–JUL 19

Three Week Option: JUL 1–JUL 19

Two Week Option: JUN 17–JUN 29

Ages 11+

Awarded “Outstanding School” at the Youth America Grand Prix (YAGP) New York City finals, Next Generation Ballet (NGB), directed by Philip Neal is a stepping stone for great talent. Our outstanding school faculty will be joined by guest teachers in offering excellent individualized instruction and coaching. NGB is part of one of the largest performing arts centers in America, the David A. Straz, Jr. Center for the Performing Arts in Tampa, Florida. Featuring 35 to 40 hours of instruction weekly, the NGB Summer Intensive program offers the perfect mix of a daily intense dance schedule, a structured and safe environment and a professional performance opportunity on a world class stage. Several weekly activities are scheduled including educational seminars, movie nights, and theme park excursions on Sundays. Students are provided with individual attention, a dormitory within walking distance, and a comprehensive meal plan. Advanced students may also audition for the NGB Trainee program.

Accepted participants will receive an acceptance letter via email within two weeks. Next Generation Ballet will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

The Nutmeg Ballet Conservatory

Torrington, CT

nutmegconservatory.org

June Pre-Professional Two Week Training Program

JUN 16–JUN 29

Ages 10–14

The June Pre-Professional Program is designed for highly motivated younger dancers. This intensive course includes: Classical Ballet Technique, Pointe, Men's Technique, Partnering, Male and Female Solo Variations, Repertoire, Modern Dance, Body Conditioning/Pilates and Ballet Theory. A demonstration performance will be held on the final Friday of this program in The Nutmeg's Premiere Studio.

July Pre-Professional Four Week Training Program

JUN 30–JUL 27

Ages 13–21

This program is intended for professionally-oriented dance students desiring to progress in both technical and performance skills. This intensive program offers training in Classical Ballet Technique, Pointe, Partnering, Male and Female Solo Variations, Men's Technique, Repertoire, Modern Dance, Body Conditioning/Pilates and Ballet Theory. The program will culminate with showcase performances.

August Pre-Professional Two Week Training Program

JUL 28–AUG 10

Ages 13–21

The August program is designed for highly motivated dancers wishing to be in optimum condition upon entering their fall training or professional positions. This intensive course includes: Classical Ballet Technique, Pointe, Men's Technique, Partnering, Male and Female Solo Variations, Repertoire, Modern Dance, Body Conditioning/Pilates and Ballet Theory. A demonstration performance will be held on the final Friday of this program in The Nutmeg's Premiere Studio.

Accepted participants will be notified via email within two weeks of their audition. The Nutmeg Ballet Conservatory will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Peridance Center

New York, NY

peridance.com

Global Summer Dance

JUL 2024

Ages 11+

Peridance's Global Summer Dance Intensive is a 2-week comprehensive training program designed for dancers ages 12-17 with serious goals to develop, increase, and strengthen their level of technique, self-confidence, and artistry. An experienced and knowledgeable faculty strongly emphasizes clean technique and self-discipline within a nurturing and supportive environment. This program emphasizes contemporary forms and is tailored to push dancers both technically and artistically. Students will study a variety of genres from renowned faculty and work with fresh and upcoming choreographers in New York City. At the end of the 2 weeks, intensive participants demonstrate their work in the fully produced performances presented at Peridance's in-house KnJ Theater.

Daily schedule will include 4 classes in various styles including Ballet, Contemporary, Modern, Jazz, Theater Dance, Hip Hop, Body Conditioning, and Repertoire Rehearsal.

PCDC Intensive

AUG 2024

The inaugural PCDC Intensive is a 10 day period of immersive training, creative process, and repertory performance. Participants will study with Artistic Director Igal Perry and renowned guest faculty members from PCDC repertoire for an intimate experience grounded in PCDC's core principles of education, creation, and collaboration. The program will include 6-8 hours of dance per day with classes in Ballet, Contemporary, Improvisation, and Repertory, among others, and culminate in a performance at Peridance's KnJ Theater. Daily Industry Chats and group discussions with faculty and company dancers will provide each student unique mentorship and insight into the field. Join PCDC next summer to develop your movement potential, enrich your artistic voice, and connect with an international community of dancers.

Certificate Program

SEP 2024–2025

The Certificate Program offers postsecondary students a two-year training for high-level intermediate and advanced students who plan on a professional career in dance. The program includes 72 weeks of study, divided into four semesters with spring, winter, and summer breaks integrated into the teaching year. Enrollment is by audition and limited to applicants between

the ages of 17 to 25 years old. The program emphasizes personal attention and nurtures each student's full potential as an individual and as a performing artist. The faculty is made of established as well as innovative teachers and choreographers.

Peridance's unique approach to post-secondary studies in dance is relevant to educating and shaping today's ballet, contemporary, and commercial dancer. Since its inception, Peridance's post-secondary educational program, the Certificate Program, has achieved major success in producing graduates who are equipped to successfully secure work in today's dance world or alternatively to further their education by continuing their studies towards obtaining a degree in dance in universities around the world.

Accepted participants will be notified via email within three weeks of their audition. Peridance will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

RESILIENCE Dance Company

St. Louis, MO

Resiliencedancecompany.com

Choreography Project

JUN 12–15, 9:00AM–4:00PM, JUN 15 7:00PM performance

Ages 14–18

RESILIENCE Dance Company's Choreography Project is an opportunity for students ages 14 - 18 to work in-depth with one choreographer over a four day residency to create and perform an original work. Choreographers selected have worked with the professional dancers of RESILIENCE Dance Company, giving students insight into the company's processes. The choreography will reflect RDC's contemporary, modern, and improvisational disciplines. Students will also take morning technique classes in modern, ballet, contemporary, and floorwork.

RESILIENCE Dance Company Summer Intensive

JUN 17–22, 9:00AM–4:00PM, JUN 22 4:30PM performance

Ages 11–18

RESILIENCE Dance Company's Summer Intensive is designed to empower dancers in an environment that is simultaneously rigorous and nurturing. We value and educate the whole dancer, offering classes in range of techniques alongside workshops and choreographic opportunities that further artistic development. We aim to facilitate sustainable and healthy futures for our students - whether they plan to pursue professional dance or not. Specific disciplines include contemporary, modern, improvisation, choreography & composition, ballet, partnering, and floorwork.

We do not have a formal acceptance and rejection process for the Summer Intensive. Students who are a good fit will be personally invited to register in late January or early February. Registration opens December 1 and will stay open until May 31. All students ages 11–18 are allowed to register for the Summer Intensive.

RDC will formally accept students into our Choreography Project who are a good fit. Students will receive notice of their acceptance or rejection within 2 weeks following their application (or two weeks following the RSIA).

RDC will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

The Rock School for Dance

Philadelphia, PA

TheRockSchool.org

The Rock School's 2024 Summer Intensive

MON, JUN 24–FRI, AUG 2 (6-Week Session)

MON, JUN 24–FRI, JUL 26 (5-Week Session)

MON, JUN 24–FRI, JUL 5 (2-Week Session)

MON, JUL 8–FRI, JUL 26 (3-Week Session)

MON, JUL 29–FRI, AUG 2 (1-Week Session)

Ages 11–17

The 2024 Rock School Summer Intensive features personalized attention from an award-winning faculty in state-of-the-art facilities. The ballet-focused program for students aged 10 to 18 features classes in separate gentlemen's and ladies' technique, jumps and turns, pointe, partnering, contemporary, and pilates.

Dancers must be on pointe and age 10 by January 1, 2024.

Accepted participants will be notified via email two to three weeks after their audition. They will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Ruth Page Center for the Arts

Chicago, IL

ruthpage.org

International Dance Experience

JUN 24–JUL 20

9:00AM–5:00PM, MON–SAT

Ages 11+

A four-week summer program designed to develop and challenge intermediate - professional dancers in their technique and musicality. Under the instruction of the Ruth Page School's renowned faculty and IDE's international guest teaching artists and choreographers from Cuba, Israel, Italy, Mexico, and Spain, students will train 40 hours per week in both classical ballet and contemporary styles, participating in master classes and assembling a full-length in-person performance.

Our school's curriculum focuses on ballet, using elements of the Vaganova, Cecchetti, and RAD techniques, with additional emphasis in Afro Cuban, character, contemporary, floor barre, jazz, modern, partnering, Pilates, pointe, and tap techniques, as well as repertory and variations.

In past years, the Ruth Page School of Dance and The International Dance Experience has hosted participants from the Bahamas, Canada, Colombia, Cuba, France, Hong Kong, Israel, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Spain, and a dozen states.

Summer Dance Bootcamp

JUL 22–AUG 2

10:00AM–3:30PM, MON–FRI

Ages 7–14

Ruth Page School's Keystone Dance Academy invites young dancers to join a fun, focused, mini-intensive this summer. Students will work with teachers specially curated from Ruth Page School, Keystone Dance Academy, and throughout Chicago. Each week will feature a focused selection of beginning and intermediate dance techniques including ballet, hip hop, jazz, modern, tap, and West African, along with yoga and Pilates classes. Dancers will be placed into levels based on age and prior training experience. Bootcamp concludes with a Theater Showcase and Ice Cream Social Reception for the dancers to share their skills with family and friends.

Acceptance emails will be sent out 1–2 weeks after the audition. They will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

The Sarasota Ballet

Sarasota, FL

sarasotaballet.org

The Sarasota Ballet's Summer Intensive

Junior Intensive | JUN 10–21

Main Intensive | JUN 24–JUL 27

Ages 11+

The Sarasota Ballet's Summer Intensive enhances technique and artistry. Our faculty fosters inclusivity for an unforgettable experience. Curriculum covers classical and modern techniques, jazz, mime, musical theatre plus conditioning, Yoga and Pilates.

Accepted participants will be notified via email within two weeks of audition. The Sarasota Ballet will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

School of Nashville Ballet

Nashville, TN

nashvilleballet.com/programs-and-general-information

Nashville Ballet Summer Intensive

Session I: JUN 10–14

Session II: JUN 10–21

Session III: JUL 1–19

Session IV: JUN 17–JUN 28

Session V: JUL 1–19

Session VI: JUN 17–JUL 19

Session VII: JUN 17–JUL 19

Ages 11+

Nick Mullikin leads an outstanding faculty whose expert knowledge gives you the tools to fuel your passions and ignite your future. Strengthen your classical technique and explore your full potential in a supportive environment and a fun, safe city.

Accepted participants will be notified two weeks after their audition. They will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

School of Sacramento Ballet

Sacramento, CA

SacBallet.org

Sacramento Ballet Summer Intensive 2024

Senior Session Division - 5 Weeks

JUN 10–JUL 12

AGES 14–21

Junior Session Division - 3 Weeks

JUL 15–AUG 2

AGES 10–13

Sacramento Ballet's Summer Intensive is an immersive program created to enhance and further a dancer's training. Learn from world class professional teachers and dancers and meet other artists with the same passion and have fun in a nurturing environment. Our daily schedule includes ballet technique, pointe, variations, partnering, modern, contemporary, body conditioning, choreography, hip-hop, pilates, yoga, performance -- and workshops including jumps & turns, body positivity and creating your resume/CV.

Accepted participants will be notified within one week or sooner of their audition date. School of Sacramento Ballet will notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Tulsa Ballet

Tulsa, OK

tulsaballet.org

Tulsa Ballet Summer Intensive

Junior Intensive: JUN 17–28

Senior Intensive: JUN 16–JUL 13

Ages 11+

The summer of 2024 marks the twenty-ninth year of Tulsa Ballet's Summer Intensive, offering students the opportunity to train with guest artists from the international dance community and the distinguished faculty from Tulsa Ballet. Serious ballet students ages nine years and older are invited to audition for this summer intensive. Admission is by audition only.* Students ages 18-22 who are interested in the Trainee Program or Tulsa Ballet II will be considered during the Summer Intensive.

Accepted participants will be notified via email within two weeks of the audition. Tulsa Ballet will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance.

Webster University, Department of Dance

St. Louis, MO

webster.edu/dance

Webster University Summer Dance Intensive

JUL 22–26

9:30AM–5:00PM

Ages 11–18+

Webster University Junior Summer Dance Intensive

JUL 29–AUG 1

9:30AM–4:00PM

Webster University's Department of Dance presents two exciting on-campus summer dance intensives for intermediate and advanced dancers. Our offerings include a five-day program for high school and college-aged dancers and a four-day junior program for rising fifth through eighth-grade students. Dancers will be challenged technically and artistically through a wide variety of classes taught by Webster Dance faculty and professional artists from the region. In addition to daily ballet and contemporary classes, students will train in jazz, musical theatre dance, improvisation, hip-hop, and aerial. Daily lunchtime discussions will explore topics important to aspiring dancers, including audition tips, injury prevention and treatment, and dance in college and beyond. Each Intensive will conclude with a showcase open to family and friends.

Our programs are open to all intermediate/advanced dancers of the appropriate age, no audition is required. Students will receive notification of scholarship offers within two weeks of the audition.

Webster Dance will not notify participants if they decide to decline acceptance,