

Education

- 2021 - Present **California State University Long Beach**
Masters of Fine Arts in Dance
- 2009 - 2013 **Oakland University**
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance

Teaching Experience

- August 2021- Present **California State University Long Beach - Long Beach, CA**
Instructor
DANC 101 Introduction to Modern Dance
- July 2019- June 2021 **Success Academy Charter School - Brooklyn, NY**
Full time dance teacher for elementary scholars' grades K-4th
Curated scholar performances twice a year and led staff meetings to delegate duties to supporting staff.
- January 2019 **Oakland University - Rochester Hills, MI**
Guest Artist in Residence
Facilitated modern/contemporary dance technique, choreography classes, and lectures. Created "Silent Voices" which was later chosen to represent the university at the American College Dance Festival adjudicated concert.
- 2016- 2019 **Brooklyn Prospect Charter School - Brooklyn, NY**
After-school dance instructor and performance production director
I held auditions, wrote scripts, held staff meetings, delegated duties to supporting staff, choreographed for school musicals, and produced our winter and spring production performances. Assisted with administration work and hiring of prospective after school staff. I taught jazz, hip hop, yoga, creative movement, and fitness classes for the program.
- 2015- 2019 **HOSH Kids - New York, NY**
After-school lead dance instructor for K-5th grade elementary students
I taught jazz, hip hop, and yoga which were shown in culminating performances each spring and winter.
- 2013- 2019 **Notes in Motion Dance Theatre - New York, NY**
After-school lead dance instructor for K-5th grade elementary students
I taught jazz, hip hop, and yoga which were shown in culminating performances each spring and winter.
- 2016- 2017 **Wingspan Arts - New York, NY**
After school dance instructor for pre-k- 2nd grade students
I taught jazz, ballet, and hip hop which were shown in culminating performances each winter and spring.
- 2013- 2016 **Brooklyn Dance Centers II and III - Brooklyn, NY**
Recreational and competitive dance instructor for students 3- 18 years old
I taught jazz, pre-ballet, ballet, hip hop, modern, and competitive level technique classes. My students competed 3 times a year and performed in a winter holiday show as well as end of the year recital every June.



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Choreographed Projects and Research

- 2021 **guts** ; 8 performers, site-specific. Work-in-progress thesis fall showing.
- CSULB courtyard and lounge. Long Beach, CA.
- 2020 **good. and you?** ; solo for dance on film. Collaborated with local musician, Craig Martinson.
- Premiered remotely. Brooklyn, NY.
- 2019 **silent voices** ; commissioned for Oakland University pre-professional company.
- Oakland University. Rochester Hills, MI.
 - American College Dance Festival. Akron, OH.
- 2018 **changes** ; solo, site-specific. Commissioned for the Creators Collective Spring Party.
- Rooftop at Brooklyn Works at 159. Brooklyn, NY.
- 2018 - 2019 **miscellaneous episodes of being alone, together** 6 performers, evening length work co-produced with The Creators Collective and supported by Mark Morris Dance Center.
- Emerging Artists Theatre Spring New Series. New York, NY. Duet excerpt.
 - Berg'n. Brooklyn, NY.
- 2017 **salt for sugar** ; solo, site-specific. Commissioned work by The Creators Collective.
- AMPLIFY Artists Gallery. Bushwick, NY.
 - Featured on the AirBnB Experience Page. Brooklyn, NY.
- 2017 **shame, shame, shame** ; duet, site-specific and stage. Originally created for a proscenium stage and adapted for site-specific space.
- WAXworks at Triskelion Arts. Brooklyn, NY.
 - Ready Freddy's. Brooklyn, NY.
- 2016 - 2017 **donna** ; solo, site-adaptive. Created for site-adaptive spaces presented by The Creators Collective.
- RESIST ACLU Fundraiser Event. Brooklyn, NY.
 - Site Move Series - The Physical Plant. Queens, NY.
 - Halyards Dance Event. Brooklyn, NY.
 - Artist & Fleas Market. Brooklyn, NY.
- 2015 - 2016 **deep, right field** ; solo, stage. Created as part of Alexandra Beller's Winter ChoreoLab in 2015.
- Triskelion Arts Summer Shake-Up. Brooklyn, NY.
 - White Wave Dumbo Dance Festival. Brooklyn, NY.
 - Mark Morris Dance Group. Brooklyn, NY (2015).
- 2015 **other worlds** ; 6 performers, stage. Selected as 1 of 10 choreographers by Doug Varone for his Choreographic Intensive Mentorship and curated performance.
- 92 Y in the Buitenhuis Hall. New York, NY.

References

Ali Woerner - Take Root Dance

Director of Take Root Dance and associate professor in dance at Oakland University

Thayer Jonutz - Oakland University

Associate professor in dance at Oakland University

Darielle Petrucci - Success Academy Charter School

Principal at SA Prospect Heights

Scott Horowitz - Brooklyn Prospect Charter School

Former director of after-school programs