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EDUCATION

Columbia College Chicago - Chicago, IL - May 2018

Bachelor of Arts: Dance

Bachelor of Arts: Live & Performing Arts Management

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Dance Center of Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, Spring 2018

Student Teacher for Modern Technique Class under the direction of Master teacher, Dardi McGinley-Gallivan. Led exercises, demonstrated, & corrected.

Just For Kix, Waterman, June 2016 - 2018

Head Instructor of dance program. Manages & teaches kick, jazz, lyrical & hip hop dance classes to children ages three to adult. Choreographed & taught dance combinations/routines.

Just For Kix, Rochelle, April 2018 - Present

Director & Head Instructor of dance program.

Just For Kix, Waterman, Sept 2019 - Present

Director & Head Instructor of dance program.

DANCE TRAINING

Dance Center of Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, Fall 2014 - May 2018

Technique: Tosha "Ayo" Alston, Keesha Beckford, Malik Camara, Zineb Chraibi, Margi Cole, Paige Cunningham, Allen Desterhaft, Emma Draves, Nan Giordano, Jeffrey Hancock, Darrell Jones, Onye Ozuzu, Pamela "Amaniyee" Payne, Michel Rodriguez, Joanna Rosenthal, Sarah Schafer, Trae Turner, & Meghann Wilkinson

Dance History: Emma Draves & Peter Carpenter

Dance Making: Darrell Jones & Colleen Halloran

PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

Dance Center of Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, Spring 2017

Faculty Concert, *Development* by Shannon Grayson

Dance Center of Columbia College Chicago, Chicago, Fall 2017

Choreographic Project, *Loss* by Taylor Kaurin

AWARDS

Columbia College Chicago Dean's List 2014-2018

Columbia College Chicago Achievement Award 2014-2018

Just For Kix Summer Dance Intensive, Heather Habeck Award, Summer 2017

Columbia College Chicago Dance Team, Most Outstanding Dancer 2014-2015

Hinckley-Big Rock High School Dance Team, Most Outstanding Dancer 2012-2014

OTHER

LA Tan Salon Manager, Chicago/Naperville, January 2015 - September 2018

Responsible for all operations, administration, management of nine employees, machinery maintenance, marketing, & upkeep of salon.

Columbia College Student Athletics Board, Chicago, May 2015 - Spring 2017

Manage ten sports organizations. Assist Columbia students in joining an existing organization. In charge of all social media & marketing. Record all minutes.

Hinckley-Big Rock High School Dance Team Captain, Hinckley, 2012 - 2014

Choreographed & performed in multiple routines including state qualifying competitive dance routines. Cut & edited music. Managed dancers. Led practices.