

Megan Wurtz

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Currently a contracted Company Apprentice with Deeply Rooted Dance Theater | Chicago, IL | June 2021-Present

PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

Oct. 2021 *GOSHEN* | Deeply Rooted Dance Theater's 25th Anniversary Performance "Roots & Wings"
Oct. 2021 *Deliver Me* | Deeply Rooted Dance Theater on Good Morning America 3 Faith Friday
July 2021 *Black Edition* | Deeply Rooted Dance Theater film project and Chicago Parks Performances
July 2020 *BOUNCE!* Virtual Intensive Film Performance | Maleek Washington, Christopher Ralph
July 2020 *Trilogy* | Megan Wurtz and Jennifer Golonka | BFA Senior Project Solo
Summer 2019 *Out of Breath* | Sofie Clemmensen | Dance Denmark Study Abroad Program
Fall 2018 *KIPUKA* | Edward Taketa | OSU Department of Dance 50th Anniversary Concert
Spring 2018 *5 Pieces* | Various Choreographers | OSU Department of Dance School Tour Company 2018
Fall 2017 Cunningham MinEvent | Part of *Parallel Connections* with BalletMet, OSU Dept. of Dance, and the Wexner Center for the Arts
Fall 2017 Cunningham MinEvent | BalletMet's *Rhythm on the River*
July 2015 *One Layer Deeper, One Memory Further* | Yin Yue | Perry Mansfield Summer Intensive

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

June 2021 Company Apprentice Contract with Deeply Rooted Dance Theater | Chicago, IL
Spring 2021 Various virtual intensives, labs, masterclasses, and class series
Summer 2020 Various virtual intensives, labs, masterclasses, and class series
Summer 2019 Dance Denmark Study Abroad Program | The Ohio State University Department of Dance
Aug. 2018 Ignite! Summer Dance Program | Toronto, ON
Summer 2017 Lehrer Dance Company Classes | Buffalo, NY
Summer 2016 Lehrer Dance Summer Intensive | Buffalo, NY
Aug. 2015 Joffrey Jazz and Contemporary Summer Intensive | New York, NY
July 2015 Perry Mansfield Performing Arts School & Camp Summer Intensive | Steamboat Springs, CO
Aug. 2014 River North Dance Chicago Elite Choreographic Initiative | Chicago, IL
Aug. 2013 River North Dance Chicago Summer Teen Intensive | Chicago, IL

TEACHING, CHOREOGRAPHY, RELATED EXPERIENCE

Dec. 2021 Choreographer of four pieces at Karyn Kelly Dance Center | Buffalo, NY
July 2021 Assistant Instructor at Deeply Rooted Dance Theater's Summer Dance Intensive | Chicago, IL
April 2021 Choreographer of two pieces at Karyn Kelly Dance Center | Buffalo, NY
March 2021 Creator and Editor of *FALLING* dance film for DanceWorks Chicago DanceChance | Buffalo, NY
Summer 2020 Virtual Teacher at Karyn Kelly Dance Center | Zoom
2019/2020 Creator and Choreographer of *Trilogy* | BFA Senior Project | with choreography by Jennifer Golonka
Director, editor, performer in film portion of the work
Choreography in collaboration with Jennifer Golonka for stage performance of the work
Dec. 2019 Choreographer of two pieces at Karyn Kelly Dance Center | Buffalo, NY
2018 Assistant to Jennifer Golonka | Conservatory for the Ballet Arts Summer Intensive | Scottsdale, AZ
Assisted instruction/demonstration of classes
Photographed/filmed classes and work for documentation and media outlets
Created Golonka's professional website, jennifergolonka.com
2018 Sound Technician, Film/Photograph documentation, Administration | OSU Department of Dance School Tour Company 2018
2017 Faculty Instructor | Classical Ballet of WNY Summer Intensive
2016 Instructor | Karyn Kelly Dance Center

EDUCATION

The Ohio State University, College of Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Major in Dance, *Magna Cum Laude*

Columbus, Ohio
May 2020

RELEVANT SKILLS

B.S.B.A. Marketing from The Ohio State University, Updated Passport, Website creation and design, Photography, Videography, Final Cut Pro X, iMovie, Microsoft Excel, PowerPoint, Basic knowledge of GarageBand, Basic knowledge of Photoshop