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Height: 5'6"

Weight: 115

Hair: Chestnut

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EDUCATION

2021-2023	University of Nevada, Las Vegas	Bachelors of Fine Arts (Dance Production & Management)
2018-2019	Irvine Valley College, Irvine CA	Associates in the Art in Dance; Performance / Choreography & Ensemble)
2009-2012	California State University, Fullerton	Transferred Business Entertainment; Minor: Dance
2007-2008	American Music & Dramatic Academy, Los Angeles College of Performing Arts	Pre-Professional Certification in Commercial Dance
2005-2009	Buena Park High School, Buena Park CA	High School Diploma; Certification in Dance Production

COMMERCIAL/FILM

2018 Pinkies Up Mad Hatter Fashion Show Runway (Charity)	Featured Fashion Model & Stage Manager	Ghesi Stojanov (Fight for Breast Cancer hat brand & Coco Chanel)
2019 Hollywood Short Films New Years	T.V Personal (Talk Host & Resolutions; Interviewer)	Kevin Boot & Jeff Meacham (CEO & Director)
2019 Olisha V Shu clothing brand	Featured Sample Model	Olessya & AMA Studio 210; Photographer DeRosa
2019 "HUSTLIN" Music Video	Extra (actor/ dancer)	Bobby Newberry & Mel Mah (Director) Liane V., Bobby Newberry, Mel Mah (Production) Noel Maitland (Cinematography) Andrew Gust (Editor)
2020-2021 IDance Magazine	Featured Dancer	Talent Media Publishing Inc.
2021 Bentley Fortune Brand Commercial	Lead (Dancer) Featured (Model)	Bentley Fortune Luxury Brand & Luckystrike Films
2021 "The Dog In Me", the French Connection (Movie) Music Video Single featured artist Baky	Featured (Actor / Model)	bakypopile & LuckyStrike Films
2021 Ratdog, House of Blues Show at Mandalay Bay; Musical Artist: Rutherine & dancers	Choreographer	Rutherine Umali
2021 Liquid Death Mountain Water Promo	Product Model	ATN Agency
2021 World Music Trophy Commercial	Lead (Dancer) Featured (Model)	Vivez la Musique Company; Julia (Commercial Stage Manager), Levy Productions & John Cha Media Group
2022 World Peace Concert Presented World Music Trophy	Lead (Dancer), replacement & understudy	Vivez la Musique Company; Julia (Stage Manager & Casting)
2022 "TIME" Dance Film	Choreographer, Director, Producer, Cinematography, Editor	Madison Thomas (Soloist), Jenna Wurtzberger (Project Advisor)
2022 "Keep Me Up" by B.I (Dance Film) - Contest	Lead (Dancer) Coe-Choreographer	Angelo Mariveles (Lead Male Dancer) Coe-Choreographer; World of Dance Records
2022 WOD DV Global Dance Competition: "Pa Que Sude" by Jon Z, Shooter Ledo, Jadakiss	Featured; Dancer, Choreographer, Improvisationalist	World of Dance Records & Emmanuel Nunez (Cinematography)
2023 Carnival Barranquilla	International Guest Dancer & Movimark Production (Stage Manager); Choreographer	Movimark Production; Alex Nunez (Production Manager & Director)
2023 Spring Last Dance: "YOLO" Dance Film	Choreographer, Dancer, Director, Producer	Lighting Designer: Jordyn Cozart; Cinematographer & Editor: Jaden Morelli (Directed By Stal); Coe-Producers: Louis Kavouras & Jason Hortin; Dancer: Ally Chan

THEATER: DANCE

2022 In Full Bloom Dance Concert ("Dare To Dream")	Choreographer/ Dancer	Lighting Design by Chyna Shipp & Set Design by Lauren Coon; Louis Kavouras (Artistic Director)
2022 "Millennium Dance Complex, Las Vegas Fall Showcase: Dance; "Power Of Elements" & "Beautiful Chaos (Beau Chao)	Dancer	Ekaterina Pokrovskaya (EKat); Choreographer & Tom Le; Choreographer
2022 "Millennium Dance Complex, Las Vegas 5th Anniversary Showcase: Dance; Majesty	Dancer	Ekaterina Pokrovskaya (EKat); Choreographer
2022 Kinetic Languages ("Concerto for Beth")	Dancer	Choreographer & Artistic Director Louis Kavouras
2021 Last Dance (Virtual Concert) (Take 3; Stay Home)	Choreographer	Lighting Design by Michael Jarett; Co-Director Louis Kavouras
2019 Ritmo Nuovo	Choreographer	Lighting Design by Patric Taylor; Jennifer LaCuran (Artistic Director)
2019 Vertical Balance	Dancer	Patric Taylor, Don Formaneck & Christopher Kittrell; Jennifer LaCuran (Artistic Director)
2018 Equilibrium	Dancer	Patric Taylor, Don Formaneck, Crystal Shomph & Miranda Richard; Jennifer LaCuran (Artistic director)
2018 Reflect	Choreographer/ Dancer	RAWArtist (Brandon Scott)
2018 Heidi Latsky's Dance On Display	Improv	Segerstrom Center for the Arts

SPECIAL SKILLS & INTERESTS Experienced and skilled dancer in performance, choreography, improvisation dance, competitive dance and commercial dance. Dance styles: acrobatics, Latin Jazz, Hip Hop, Contemporary, Jazz dance, Modern dance, Cultural Diversity (Afro-Caribbean, Belly dance, Polynesian, Tahitian, West-African, samba, Competitive Salsa & Bachata; trained in ballroom, ballet, character, and tap. Experienced commercial model (portrait, print, promotional, product, athlete model, bikini, movement modeling, television, fashion and runway for charity events or Sample Modeling). Skilled in Interviewing, Television Commercial, Improvisation & Film acting. Skilled in Dance on Film Directing, Producing, Editing, Script Reading, Cinematography & Stage production management, lighting design, costume design, set design & projection or sound design.

TRAINING

<p>Acting for Camera Acting For Stage & Screen</p> <p>Auditions for Stage and Screen Audition Techniques Audition Techniques Building Your Team and Support Business of Entertainment Emotions of Acting Entertainment Management Film Acting Improvisational Acting Industry Networking Interview Skills Journey from TALENT INC to TV Joy of Improv Life On Set Making It On Broadway Making Your Agent's Job Easier. Moving To A Major Market Perfecting The Self-Tape Runway / Photo Movement Runway Technique TV Commercial Acting Working In The UK Market</p>	<p>Rachael Murray Rachael Murray</p> <p>Lynden & Teddy Orr Rich and Amy Hersey Arthur Massei Colby Lewis Shawn Carter Gentry White Rachael Murray Brianna Reed Elizabeth Byland Brooke Sorenson JoAnn Smolen Brett Zimmerman Craig Holzberg Rachael Murray Larissa Klinger Warren Bacci</p>	<p>TALENT INC USA</p> <p>AMDA / NY & LA New York Film Academy TALENT INC USA New York Conservatory for Dramatic Arts Los Angeles, CA TalentINK / NY & LA TALENT INC USA TALENT INC USA Los Angeles, CA TALENT INC USA Los Angeles, CA Virginia Commonwealth University Los Angeles, CA AMDA / NY & LA Rage Talent / LA Los Angeles, CA Avalon Artists / NY & LA TALENT INC USA Nomad Models Worldwide TALENT INC USA Top Talent Agency, London</p>
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Experienced and skilled dancer with 27+ years of performance, choreography, competitive and commercial dance with experience in commercial modeling. Awarded Star Performance (Soloist) & Best Choreography, Athlete Model of the Year (Dance Athlete), 2x IDance Magazine Featured Dancer, with 30+ productions dance pieces or dance film, from high school, college / university and commercial (tv) avenues. Experienced Coach & Specialized Dance Instructor in Contemporary, Classical, & HipHop Dance. Memberships: National Society Leadership and Success member; certified in Advanced & Executive leadership, The Society for Collegiate Leadership & Achievement member, Honor Society Foundation member, National Honor Society Member, American College Dance Association Baja-Conference alumni & former trainee, National Dance Alliance Alumni, Outstanding Cheerleaders/ Dancers in USA High School & Collegiate Athlete Dance Champion.

Training/Affiliations/References

<p>(2021-2023)</p> <p>Ari Mayzick, ARIM Dance (Modern/ Ballet)</p> <p>Danielle Maas, Nevada Ballet (Ballet)</p> <p>Christopher Huggins; Alvin Ailey (Jazz Dance)</p> <p>Alison Kravenko; Silver State Ballet Co. (Ballet)</p> <p>Laura Brennan; Photography Art: Black & White (Documentary, Self Portrait, True Lies/Fantasy, Editing)</p> <p>West Medowell; Film Production (Direction, Cinematography, Producing, Planning, Editing)</p> <p>Justin Velarde; Justin Velarde Designs (Costume Design)</p> <p>Jenna Wurtzberger, (Ballet & Dance of Film/ Choreography)</p> <p>Victoria Dale; Dunnum (Jazz Dance / Afro movement)</p> <p>Dolly Kelepecz; (Ballet)</p> <p>Cathy Allen; (Modern Dance/ Choreography)</p> <p>Louis Kavouras; Erick Hawkins, Modern Dance</p> <p>Michael Jarett; Stage Management & Production (Design: Lighting, Projection, Sound, Set, Business)</p> <p>Craig Smith; World of Dance (Commercial Dance; Company Training in Hip Hop/ Fitness)</p> <p>Ariana Rosado; World of Dance (Commercial Dance; Company Training WOD FXT program)</p> <p>American Ballet Theater; Leanne Underwood, Sarah Smith, Cynthia Harvey - 2020/2021</p> <p>Millennium Dance Complex - Los Angeles/ Las Vegas (2004 - Present)</p> <p>Culture Shock Las Vegas - Culture Shock Professional Dance Troupe (Trevontae Leggins & Ezra Johnson) (2022-Present)</p> <p>(DMD) DaniMaloneyDance Contemporary Dance Collective (2022-Present)</p>	<p>(2018-2019)</p> <p>Janice Rosario; Alvin Ailey</p> <p>Michael Nickerson Rossi (Modern Dance)</p> <p>Daniel Gwartzman; Gwartzman Dance (Modern Dance/ Choreography)</p> <p>Sarah Swenson; Director/Founder at Vox Dance Theater (Modern Dance)</p> <p>Heidi Latsky; Heidi Latsky Dance; Segerstrom Center of The Arts, (Modern Technique)</p> <p>Teressa Jankovic; BARE Dance Company/ Delineation Dance, Body Traffic, (Modern Dance)</p> <p>Monik Jones; Ka-Ron Lehman Dance Company, Monik's Creative Movement Co. (West African Dance/ Commercial Hip Hop)</p> <p>Gaby Angeles; The Syrenz/Fire & Ice Entertainment/Wilderbe/ Lux Aeterna (Acrobatics & Aerial)</p> <p>Raul Cruz; MTV / MADD TV (Commercial Jazz & Hip Hop)</p> <p>Jennifer LaCuran; IVC Artistic Director & Department Chair (Ballet/ Choreography/ Improv Dance)</p> <p>Michel Gervais; National Ballet School of Canada (Ballet)</p> <p>Victoria Barrett; (Ballroom)</p> <p>American College Dance Association (ACDA) - University of California, Irvine - Spring 2019</p> <p>Movement Dance Studio - Los Angeles (2006 - 2019)</p> <p>After Hours Dance Studio (2018-2019)</p> <p>Maxine; Freckled Frog Dance Co., (Ballet)(2017-2018)</p>	<p>(2009-2012)</p> <p>CSUF Salsa Competitive Team Member & Secretary /Competitive Sports Team Council Rep.: Summer 2011- 2013 Kazumi DeVarie; CSUF Salsa (Competitive/ Performance Salsa - On1, On2, Rueda)</p> <p>American College Dance Association (ACDA) - California State University, Long Beach - Spring 2010/2011</p> <p>(2009-2012)</p> <p>PHD Courtney Kross; (Cultural & Diversity Dance)</p> <p>Shay Layman; Dancing With the Stars (Technique/ Choreography)</p> <p>Gladys Kares</p> <p>(2011-2012)</p> <p>Jeff Slayton (Merce Cunningham Dance Co.) Alaine Haubert (American Ballet Theatre) Sophie Monat (National Ballet of Portugal) Michael Nickerson-Rossi (Nickerson-Rossi Dance Co. Artistic Director)</p> <p>(2010/2011)</p> <p>Colin Connor (Limón Dance Company) Sarah Swenson (Vox Dance Theatre, Artistic Director) Garfield Lemonious (Dallas Black Dance Theatre) Jeffrey Gerodias (Alvin Ailey) Alaine Haubert (American Ballet Theatre)</p> <p>(2009-2010)</p> <p>Tadej Brdnik, (Martha Graham Company) Nora Reynolds, (Bella Lewitsky Company, Lar Lubovitch & Dancers) Lionel Popkin (Trisha Brown Company) Carolyn Hall (Bessie Awarded soloist NYC) Melissa Gillespie, (Oni Dance, Artistic Director) Alaine Haubert (American Ballet Theatre) Marie de la Palme (Alvin Ailey, II) Aspen Santa Fe Ballet (Jean-Philippe Malaty, Executive Director) Colin Connor (Limón Dance Company) Sarah Swenson (Vox Dance Theatre, Artistic Director) Robert Wood (Merce Cunningham Co., Martha Clarke)</p> <p>Paso De Oro, Steps of Gold Dance Company: Summer 2006- 2010 (Latin Jazz Dancer Level 2-Performance Team)</p> <p>Erin Landry; Cypress College, Afro-Caribbean (2006/2008/2011/2019) (2005-2009) Framie Jaskovik; Buena Park High, Dance Production (Ballet, Jazz, Tap, Modern, HipHop, Cultural Dance) Studio One (2003 - 2006); Studio One: Ballet / Lyrical / Contemporary (2000)</p>
<p>Representation:</p> <p>ATN Agency (2019 - Present)</p> <p>Manikin Talent & Model Agency (August 2021 - Fall 2022)</p> <p>Talent Inc - USA (December 2020 - August 2021-Present)</p> <p>Talentine Agency (May 2020- Present)</p> <p>Koala Models Agency (2019 - Present)</p>	<p>American Models & Actors Agency, Orange County - (December 2019-Present)</p> <p>Atlas Global Entertainment (2012-2017)</p> <p>Casting360 (2000-2010)</p> <p>LA Casting (2000-2010)</p> <p>LCC Dance Krew/ Troupe (2000-2004)</p>	<p>Boogiezone (2000 - 2001) Ortiz; Nicolas Jr. High, HipHop / Lyrical / Ballet / Cheer (2002-2004)</p> <p>Roxanna Martinez; Valencia Park, HipHop / Drill (1999-2002)</p> <p>Farmers, San Diego, CA - Gymnastics Team (1996)</p> <p>California Ballet Company, San Diego, CA (1996)</p>

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