

EDUCATION

First year MFA in Dance at Arizona State University, School of Music, Dance, and Theater

Distinctions: Herbert Smith fellowship scholarship, University Graduate fellowship scholarship, Americorp National service scholarship

Arizona State University - Tempe, AZ

B.A Communication, Minor in Dance & Certificate in Brazilian Studies

Distinctions: ASU Early Outreach program scholarship, Hispanic Mother Daughter Program scholarship, Ronald Mcdonald house of Phx, scholarship, Church of God in Christ scholarship

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Grand Canyon University, College of Arts and Media
Adjunct Assistant Professor

09/2021-present

Arizona State University, Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts
Faculty/Teaching Assistant

COURSES TAUGHT

DAN-215 Dance Ensemble

DAN-305 Hip Hop 1: Students will explore Hip Hop styles with emphasis on freestyle development, cultural understanding, and the five elements of Hip Hop.

DAN-313 Vernacular Dance: Urban & Hip Hop 1: Students will explore street dance styles with emphasis on increasing movement capabilities and personal expression.

DAN-380B Dance Ensemble 3

DAN-405 Hip Hop 2

DAN-413 Vernacular Dance: Urban & Hip Hop 2

DCE - 100 Introduction to Dance

INSTRUCTIONAL ACTIVITY

The Realist Crw - Director 08/2023-present
Create artistic direction, Choreograph and set dances, negotiate performance deals and securing contracts, oversee rehearsals and dance training for team

Bravo Dance Family LLC - Dance Instructor 01/2022-present
Teach the following classes - Hip Hop levels 1-4, Hip Hop Tumbling, Jazz 1 + 2, Lyrical 1 + 2, Various company classes.

Free Arts' for Abused Children - Hip Hop Teaching Artist 04/2016-present
Trauma informed Art therapy for kids between the ages of 5-18 through Hip Hop dance. Focus on Confidence, Self-esteem, Identity, Culture and Joy.

CF Fitness - Dance instructor 09/2025-12/2025
Partner with Paradise Valley Elementary district teaching Hip Hop dance to 7 students.

Life of a Young Realist - Founder 02/2008-2023
Choreograph dances for Quinceañera, studios, socials, and musicals. Focuses on individuality and self-expression. Director and Choreographer for "The Show", Director for Artists' for change 1, 2, and 3.

Desert West Dance Academy - Dance Instructor 07/2022-11/2023
Teach Hip Hop levels 1-6, choreograph company Hip Hop competition routines.

Edna Vihel Arts Center – Dance Instructor 08/2019-05/2022
Teach the culture, history, and art form of Hip Hop dance.

Dance 101 - Dance Instructor 01/2021-06/2022
Teach Hip Hop and Street style dance to young kids, teens, and adults, co-wrote Hip Hop curriculum for all levels, support Acro classes for all levels.

Edna Vihel Arts Center – Dance Instructor 08/2019-05/2022
Teach the culture, history, and art form of Hip Hop.

Arizona School for the Arts (ASA) – After school program teacher 09/2020-12/2021
Teach Hip Hop dance for middle school and high school students.

Experience Arts School – Synergy Company Co-Director 01/2018-12/2018
Choreograph competition pieces on company members, lead leadership and technique training for company members .

Elevate International – Dance Instructor 09/2017-09/2018
Create curriculum and development strategy for a total of 6 dance classes, hosting approximately 56 students.

Take the Floor Dance Studio - Dance Instructor 05/2014-08/2016
 Choreograph dances for Hip Hop, Zumba, Broadway, and Burlesque classes for over 50 students, create the syllabus for all Hip Hop and Zumba fitness classes.

RESIDENCIES/MASTER CLASSES

AZDEO	2025
Third space dance project community class	2023
ACDA - Arizona State University	2023
Hip Hop camp - South Pointe H.S.	2022
American College Dance Association (ACDA) - Lamar University	2022
Movement 4 MVMT Small Dance Collective - Arizona	2020
Hip Hop camp - Free Arts of AZ	2022, 2021, 2020, 2019

CREATIVE WORK DIRECTING

Prayer Assembly Christmas play	2019-present
Prayer Assembly Easter play	2019-present
"Shame" Easter - Arizona	2022
The Show Exploring Intergenerational Trauma in Families of Color	2018
Artists for Change Vol. 1, 2, & 3	2017-2018

CREATIVE WORK CHOREOGRAPHY

"Live at the..." - Gisolo Theater	2026
"Club Resistance" - Gisolo Theater	2025
NueWork dance festival	2025
"God Speed" - Ethington Theater	2025
"Worlds on fire" - Ethington Theater	2024
"Rain" - Ethington theater	2023
Blaktinx Emerging artist Presentation	2023
Grand Canyon dance intensive	2025, 2024, 2023, 2022
DWDA competition piece Sunflowers	2022
Desert West Dance Academy (DWDA) competition piece Wildflowers	2022
"Back in the day" - Ethington theater	2022
Desert Dance Theater Festival	2018
The Show Exploring Intergenerational Trauma in Families of Color	2018

CREATIVE WORK PERFORMANCE

ASU Transitions ii - Nicole Love	
Arizona Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction convocation	2024, 2025
Blaktinx festival - Toledo	2026
COGIC National AIM conference	2025

Life in Motion festival	2024
Doxology Dance conference	2024, 2023
"Shame" Easter - Arizona	2022
Mass Liberation Freedom - Arizona	2020
Mass Liberation Black August - Arizona	2020
Desert Dance Theater Festival	2018
Chicago Hip Hop Festival	2018
Anomalous Dance Crew (Captain)	2016-2018
Elevate International Illustrated Sermon performance team	2019, 2017
Mother's day - De Clores Family Shelter	2018, 2017, 2016
Boogie Da Beat Competition	2017, 2016
Mother's day- Estrella Mountain Community College	2016

COMMERCIAL EXPERIENCE

STAGE

SkinnyBlk - Dancer	2019 (Phoenix) , 2018 (Chicago)
WNBA Phoenix Mercury Hip Hop Squad	2017
Eloni Yawn - Dancer	2016
Brandon Greer - Dancer	2016
Suzanne Pullen - "To the In/Famous members of the secret club: Letters when pregnancy ends" - Ensemble	2014

MUSIC VIDEOS

I am Root co The Anthology - Dancer	2020
Jaye V. - "Twisted" - Dancer	2019
Ronnie - "Icontact" - Dancer	2016

AWARDS

NueWork dance festival	2025
Heart heals - Life in motion	2024
Blaktinx Emerging Artist	2023
Tempe grant panel	2018
Tempe Vibrant city grant	2018

SERVICE

Nested Healing podcast	2026
The Realist Crw - <i>Director</i>	2023-present
Prayer Assembly Pure Praise Dance - <i>Director</i>	04/2014-present

Arizona Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction convocation - <i>Co-director</i>	2024-present
Adjudicator for student work at GCU	2021-present
AmeriCorps Public Ally program graduate	2017-2018
Elevate International Antioch Discipleship and Arts program graduated	2016
MC Prayer Assembly COGIC	2024, 2023, 2019, 2018
Guest All in purpose podcast	2025
Host Diggin in w/ Niamey podcast	2019-2023
MC Nueva Vida Youth	2019
MC Maryvale Cartwright school district partnership event	2018
Arizona School for the Arts Inclusivity Symposium	2019
Panelist Trayvon Martin Screening, partnership with Emancipation Arts	2018
MC/Host Trayvon Martin Discussion/Screening	2018
Host Panel Discussion Artists for Change Vol 2	2018
MC Power of Us: Woke, Willing and ready to win	2018
Performer/Panelist at the Chicago Hip Hop Festival	2018
Hispanic Mother Daughter Program Presenter/Panelist	2015, 2014, 2013, 2012