KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Department of **Dance**



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WHY CHOOSE KSU?

Our collaborations and partnerships with the region's premiere dance companies and leading art venues serve as a way of giving our students professional experiences in the field of dance. These partnerships distinguish our program in the region and provide our students with opportunities to actively engage with professional artists in the community.

KSU dance students have opportunities to perform, choreograph, teach and study at professional venues through our partnerships with Atlanta Ballet, gloATL, Dance Canvas, the Cobb Energy Center and the Rialto Center of the Arts.

DANCE MAJOR REQUIREMENTS BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE

This liberal arts degree in dance is designed to provide students with a diverse and comprehensive curricular experience, preparing them for a variety of career options in dance and other related fields. Students audition to be accepted into the program and have the option of pursuing a concentrated study in modern and ballet dance forms. The core curriculum prepares students with a theoretical and practical experience of dance, while the 15-hour concentration allows students to develop technical proficiency in the area selected.

The 3-credit applied professionals skills requirement allows students to receive academic credit for professional internships and practical experience in the field. The senior seminar and senior project requirements ensure that graduates gain a creative and scholarly understanding of the art form, emphasizing a scholar-artist approach that is central to the Department's educational mission.

AUDITION REQUIREMENTS

Applications will be available for submissions beginning Wednesday, August 26th. Due to the social distancing guidelines of Covid-19, we are only accepting video audition submissions for the 2020-2021 academic year.

In order to ensure that we can accurately evaluate technical proficiency and personal potential, you will be asked to learn a condensed class in ballet technique and contemporary combinations through a video link. You will then record your performance of both the ballet and contemporary material and upload it as a single file to YouTube or Vimeo. Then, please include your video link to your audition in your Dance Audition application form.

Transfer Auditions

Students who wish to transfer to the Department of Dance at KSU from another institution or from another department follow the same audition procedures as new students. A special audition may be scheduled for students who wish to enter the program at a time when regular auditions are not scheduled.

DANCE WITH US

Ready to take the stage as part of the Department of Dance?

We invite you to attend a performance, schedule a visit, and watch a live stream event via ArtsKSU Virtual.

Learn more: KSUdance.com Department of Dance | 470-578-2852