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University College School, 2018-2020, GPA: N/A, ACT: 30

Dance Training

Ballet	Ballet Arts Project	2018-2020	Kim White	2 hours/week (pre Covid 12 hours/week)
	Finchley Ballet School	2006-2018	Helen Melissinou	4 hours/week
Contemporary	Ballet Arts Project	2018-2020	Celine Barreau	2 hours/week
	Spirit YDC	2013-2020	Katherine Elward	2 hours/week
Jazz	Spirit YDC	2013-2019	Katherine Elward	2 hours/week
Hip Hop	Spirit YDC	2013-2019	Rhys Wilkinson	1 hour/week

Due to the reduced timetable at my studio, I am now taking open classes in all of these disciplines at: Danceworks, Pineapple, The Hub, Base Studios and Fieldworks

Summer Programmes and Intensives

- Ballet Arts Project 2 week Summer intensive (online) 2020
- GagaLab 10 day winter intensive (Tel Aviv, Israel) 2019
- Rambert School 1 week intensive (London, England) 2019
- Kibbutz Contemporary Dance Company 2 week summer intensive (Ga'aton, Israel) 2019
- Danceworks Ballet Academy 2 week summer intensive (London, England) 2019
- ENByouthCo 1 week summer intensive (London, England) 2019
- Joffrey Ballet School 2 week Joffrey Experience intensive (New York, NY) 2017

Performance Experience

- 'Stars of the future' show with Spirit YDC, March 2017, Hackney Empire theatre
- Joffrey Experience Summer Intensive final performance, August 2017, Gelsey Kirkland theatre.
- Various competitions (groups and solo) with Spirit YDC, 2017-2019
- Danceworks Ballet Academy Intensive performance of Balanchine's *Walpurgisnacht*, 2019, RADA theatre.
- English National Ballet Youth Company Intensive performance, August 2019, English National Ballet Studios
- *Nutcracker* with Danceworks International Ballet Academy, 2019, Greenwood Theatre

Choreographic Experience

- *Ultralife* (contemporary Group) Spirit YDC competition team: 2018
- *No Light, No Light*. (Contemporary Solo) Spirit YDC for various competitions: 2018-19
- *Thriller* (Jazz Group) Interhouse dance competition at University College School: 2019
- *Dancing Queen* (Jazz ensemble film) Interhouse dance competition at University College School: 2019
- *Do You?* (Contemporary Solo) College audition piece: 2020

Awards and Scholarships

- Merit Scholarship, Ballet Arts Project: 2019/2020
- Awarded title of Ballet Mistress, Ballet Arts Project: 2019
- Competition titles with Spirit YDC: first place solo, Starpower National Competition, highest overall group, Dynamite Dance National Finals: 2019

Other activities

- Acting and singing for school plays, musicals and concerts: 2012-2020
- Founder of Mia-licious Cakes, specialising in cakes for people with dietary requirements: 2020
- Welford Prize for Art winner, created artwork for school exhibitions, and visited galleries: 2012-2020
- Soccer player for the UCS Girls 1st XI team: 2018-2020