

2017 Scholarship Opportunities for Summer & College Dance Programs

These opportunities are available for dancers who have registered online for one of the following audition classes on January 27: 1) **Scholarship Audition: Summer Intensives & College Programs (High School Seniors - College)**, 2) **Audition: Summer Intensive Programs (Ages 15-High School Juniors)** OR 3) **Audition: Summer Intensive Programs (Ages 11 - 14)**. Dancers who are registering for a package in the Purple, Red, or Green Tracks may select the audition at no additional cost. Dancers who are only attending the auditions must register online for these Audition Classes under the **Single Class Registration Option**. The cost is \$35 for nonmembers and \$30 for members. Online registration is open until January 18, 11:59 pm. After dancers have registered, they will receive a link by email to complete the online Audition Form. The audition form is due on January 20, 5:00 pm. **Register Now:** www.alabamadancefestival.org.

Scholarship Provider	Scholarship Details and College Info	Program Dates or Info
Alabama Ballet Contact: Libba Owen libba@alabamaballet.org 205-322-1874 www.alabamaballet.org	Two full tuition scholarships for either ages 15-up or ages 11-14. Housing not included.	June 5-July 1, 2017
Alabama Dance Academy Contact: Pamela Merkel aladanceacademy@yahoo.com 205-978-6830 www.alabamadanceacademy.com	One full tuition scholarship for ages 11-14 and ages 15-high school juniors. Housing is not included. Must attend all four weeks.	July 10-August 4, 2017
Alabama Dance Theatre Contact: Kitty Seale ADTDance1@aol.com 334-241-2590 www.alabamadancetheatre.com	One full tuition scholarship each for high school seniors-college and ages 15-high school juniors. Housing is not included. Please contact for information on housing.	July 17-31, 2017
Alabama Youth Ballet Theatre Contact: Keren Gibb Hilliard keren@alabamayouthballet.org 256-881-5930 www.alabamayouthballet.org	One 50% scholarship in each age group. Housing not included. Home stays may be arranged.	June 12-17 and June 26-July 1, 2017 Ballet Intensive with Luba Gulyaeva, Intermediate and Advanced
American Dance Festival Contact: Nicolle Wasserman school@americandancefestival.org 919-684-6402 www.americandancefestival.org	Scholarships are possible for each age group. Housing is not included. Additional information about the American Dance Festival and each program is available at http://www.americandancefestival.org/education/school/ .	Six Week School (ages 18+): June 15-July 29, 2017 Three Week School (ages 13-17): July 8-29, 2017
Andalusia Ballet Contact: Alicia Morgan alicia@andalusiaballet.com 334-488-4437 www.andalusiaballet.com	One full tuition scholarships in each age group. If you would like information about host families and/or housing options please contact Andalusia Ballet at 334-222-6620.	June 5-9, 2017
Atlanta Dance Connection Contact: Allyne Gartrell Allyne@AtlantaDanceConnection.com 404-600-4255 www.AtlantaDanceConnection.com	Two full tuition scholarships for ages 15-up. Housing not included. Housing is the sole responsibility of the Artist. Additional information about Atlanta Dance Connection is attached.	July 2-29, 2017
Belhaven University Contact: Erin Rockwell erockwell@belhaven.edu 601-965-1400 http://www.belhaven.edu/dance/Default.htm	The Belhaven University Dance Department's national accreditation, experienced faculty, biblical worldview, and beautiful facilities set it apart from other college dance programs. Degrees offered include a Master's of Fine Arts in Dance, Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance, Bachelor of Arts in Dance, and Dance Minor. The mission of the Belhaven University Dance	Link to admissions info: http://www.belhaven.edu/admission/application.htm Link to financial need info: http://www.belhaven.edu/financial_aid/Default.htm

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<p>Brenau University Contact: John Streit jstreit@brenau.edu 770-534-6245 www.brenau.edu</p>	<p>Department is to prepare students spiritually, technically, academically, and artistically to move into the world of dance and affiliated careers.</p> <p>Two full and two partial tuition scholarship for ages 15-high school juniors for the Summer Intensive. Partial scholarships are available for high school seniors and college students. See additional info about the college dance program.</p>	<p>Summer Intensive: June 5-9, 2017</p> <p>College Admission Requirements: www.brenau.edu/admissions/</p> <p>Financial Aid Info: www.brenau.edu/admissions/financialaid/</p>
<p>CONTRA-TIEMPO Contact: Diana Toledo Community Engagement Specialist toledo@contra-tiempo.org 424-201-9071</p>	<p>Possible scholarships for ages 16-up for <i>Futuro</i>, CONTRA-TIEMPO's pre-professional summer dance intensive in Los Angeles. Assistance to find housing is available. More information: http://www.contra-tiempo.org/futuro/#summer-dance-intensive</p>	<p>August 6-19, 2017</p>
<p>Dance Theatre of Harlem Contac: Kenya Massey-Rodriguez krodriguez@dancetheatreofharlem.org 212-690-2800, ext. 458 www.dancetheatreofharlem.org</p>	<p>Dance Theatre of Harlem School's Summer Intensives provide a challenging exploration of classical ballet in a diverse and nurturing environment. Students are steeped in all aspects of classical ballet training and preparation, and take supplemental classes in Contemporary, Modern, West African, Hip Hop, Choreography and Dance History. Possible scholarship offers. More information: http://www.dancetheatreofharlem.org/school/summer-intensive</p>	<p>Washington, DC Session: June 19-30, 2017</p> <p>NYC Sessions: Session I: June 26-July 14, 2017 Beginner - Intermediate</p> <p>Session II: July 17-Aug 12, 2017 Intermediate – Advanced</p>
<p>Eglevsky Ballet Contact: Maurice Curry mcurry@eglevskyballet.org 516-746-1115 http://eglevskyballet.org/</p>	<p>Two half-full tuition scholarship for ages 15-high school juniors. Housing not included. Housing available with host families and college dormitories.</p>	<p>June 26-July 22, 2017</p>
<p>Grebel Center for Dance Deborah Grebel dgrebel@grebeldance.com 205-620-0800 www.grebeldance.com</p>	<p>Two full and two partial (50%) scholarships each for ages 11-14 and 15-high school juniors. One full and one partial (50%) scholarship for high school seniors-college. Housing is available with host families for \$100/week.</p>	<p>June 5-30, 2017 July 10-August 4, 2017 Scholarships are for 2 chosen weeks</p>
<p>Huntsville Ballet Contact: Rachel Butler rachel@huntsvilleballetschool.org 256-539-0961 www.huntsvilleballetschool.org</p>	<p>One full scholarship and two partial scholarships (50%) in each age group. Possible housing with host family upon request.</p>	<p>June 5-16, 2017 July 24-28, 2017</p>
<p>Indiana University Contact: Michael Vernon vernonm@indiana.edu 812-855-1382 www.indiana.edu</p>	<p>One partial scholarship for a dancer ages 15-17 for the 2017 Summer Ballet Intensive. Session I, Session II, and Session III will be devoted to working on ballet technique and learning choreography, both existing and new. More information: http://music.indiana.edu/precollege/summer/ballet/index.shtml</p>	<p>Session 1: June 4-June 10, 2017 Session 2: June 11-17, 2017 Session 3: June 18-24, 2017</p>
<p>Joffrey Jazz and Contemporary Program Contact: Shannon Monticciolo Email: shannon@joffreyballetschool.com Phone: 214-306-9227 http://summer.joffreyballetschool.com/</p>	<p>One tuition only scholarship for summer Jazz/Contemporary to the NYC Intensive for 3 weeks (ages 9-14). One tuition only scholarship for summer Jazz/Contemporary to the NYC Intensive for 4 weeks (ages 15-25). This intensive focuses on Jazz, Contemporary and Modern Dance forms culminating in a professionally produced theater performance. Classes also include Ballet Technique (both classical and contemporary), Hip-hop, Pilates</p>	<p>July 17-August 11, 2017</p>

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	and Theater Dance and Improvisation. The Jazz & Contemporary Program was developed for students that want to push beyond the realm of technique and tradition. It is designed for dancers who are interested in exploring new ideas and approaches to movement. The program immerses students in the new emerging dance world, forging excellence and creating the art of motion.	
Mobile Ballet Contact: Kendra Utsey office@mobileballet.org 251-342-2241 www.mobileballet.org	One full and one partial tuition (50%) scholarship in each age group. Mobile Ballet will help assist with housing.	June 5-16, 2017
Richmond Ballet Contact: Rebecca Weger rweger@richmondballet.com 804-344-0906 x231 www.richmondballet.com/school/summer-programs/	One full tuition scholarship for ages 15-17. Room and board is additional. The Summer Intensive Program includes ballet, pointe, partnering, variations, men's technique, jazz, modern, character dance, enrichment courses, and performance opportunities. Housing not included.	June 26-July 29, 2017
Sarasota Contemporary Dance Contact: Melissa Coleman Sperber melissa@sarasotacontemporarydance.org 941-345-5755 www.sarasotacontemporarydance.org	One partial tuition (50%) for ages 11-14, two partial tuition (50%) for ages 15-high school juniors, three partial tuition (50%) for high school seniors-college. Housing not included. Available on campus for \$35/per night.	July 22-29, 2017 (minimum age 14)
Southeast Alabama Dance Company Contact: Rosa Kulik seadac@graceba.net 334-702-7139 http://southeastalabamadancecompany.org	Twos full tuition scholarships for ages 15-up. Housing not included.	July 24-28, 2017
The Dance Center of Columbia College Chicago Contact: Paige Cunningham Associate Chair, Associate Professor pcunningham@colum.edu 773-558-2943 http://bit.ly/2i7ZkL7	At the Dance Center of Columbia College Chicago, we value the learning partnership between the diverse student body and our award-winning, innovative faculty. Together we continuously examine the evolving field of dance. Specifically, we investigate contemporary dance as it is informed by the relationship between modern dance, ballet and West African dance. If recommended for a scholarship, students must apply and be accepted to the school in order to receive the scholarship.	Admission Link: http://www.colum.edu/admissions/requirements/ Financial Aid Info: http://bit.ly/2iX1ZnT
Troy University Contact: Deborah Hicks dhicks@troy.edu 334-372-0203 http://troytheatre.org	Summer Program: Three full scholarships (15-up) with room and board. July 23-29 students are housed in a dormitory; July 30-August 5, they are housed with upper classmen in their apartments. Troy University will audition for admission into the BFA in Dance, TROY Dance Theatre, and Scholarships. College Program Description: http://troy.edu and http://troytheatre.org College Admission Requirements: http://www.troy.edu/admissions/ Financial Aid Info: http://www.troy.edu/financialaid/	Two separate intensives: July 23-29 Summer Spotlight Performance Intensive July 30- August 5 Dance Intensive
University of Alabama Contact: Nancy Calvert ncalvert@ua.edu 205-348-5283	UA Theatre and Dance offers a BA in dance with coursework in ballet, modern and jazz dance techniques, kinesiology, history, pedagogy and choreography. Acceptance to the program is by audition only. The program produces three concerts each semester including works by faculty & guest artists through the Alabama Repertory Dance Theatre, UA's pre-professional dance company in residence, and student works through Dance Alabama.	College Program Info: http://theatre.ua.edu/ba-programs/ba-in-dance/ College Admission Requirements: https://gobama.ua.edu Financial Aid Info: http://financialaid.ua.edu

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<p>University of Southern Mississippi Contact: Stacy Reischman Fletcher stacy.reischmanfletcher@usm.edu 601-266-4161 www.usm.edu/dance</p>	<p>The mission of the Dance Department at The University of Southern Mississippi is to provide students with a comprehensive, individualized and rigorous study of dance. Through mentoring and attentive faculty-student interactions, we aim for our students to be skillful and knowledgeable performers, choreographers, licensed dance educators and advocates. Our graduates will experience dance as an artform and as a career path. We combine technique, dance theory courses, choreographic and performance opportunities, and teaching experiences to engage students in creative and critical thinking, preparing them to successfully participate in the field of dance with conviction and integrity. Just as we commit to our students, we are committed to bringing dance experiences to our community through performance and education.</p>	<p>College admission requirements: http://choose.usm.edu/#undergrad Financial Aid Info: http://choose.usm.edu/page.php?id=21061</p>

Brenau University

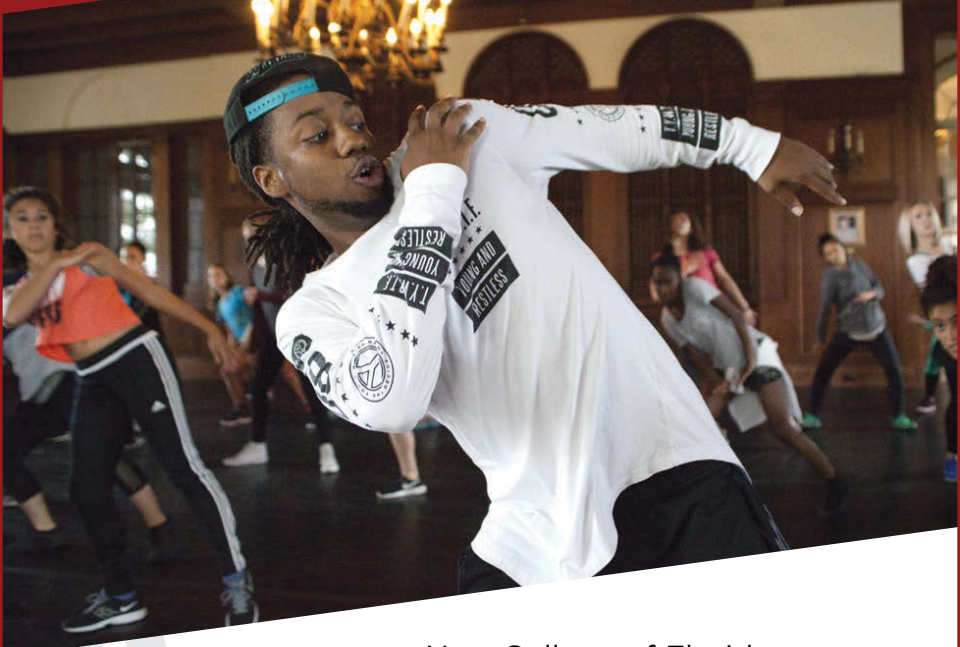
The Department of Dance at Brenau University educates the individual as a dance practitioner, scholar, and artist in a creative, supportive, and challenging environment. The department provides a solid foundation in classical ballet, modern, and jazz dance. Students are encouraged to explore their values while creating a personal philosophy as an artist with responsibility and integrity.

Certain courses are common ground to dance majors at Brenau regardless of their areas of specialization. A solid core of technical training with additional courses in choreography, production, pedagogy, dance history, and courses related to the major give a foundation and depth to students' knowledge of the art form. Performing gives the students the background and experience to begin making works of their own.

Dance students have opportunities to attend the American College Dance Association conference along with other national festivals. Brenau offers a B.A. in Dance with emphasis in Performance, Pre-OT, Pre-PT, and Dance Pedagogy. In addition, we also offer minors in business and Entertainment Management for those students looking to develop and use entrepreneurial skills in the dance industry.

Brenau University is only one hour north of Atlanta, so a variety of dance concerts and events are easily accessible.

SUMMER DANCE INTENSIVE



New College of Florida campus

Sat July 22 – Sat July 29, 2017

Emerging Choreographer Program, open
to 4 selected participant choreographers

Open to High School students through
professionals (minimum age 14)

To apply or for more info, email:
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Dance Program at University of Southern Mississippi

The Southern Miss dance major program was the first program in Mississippi to offer the professional B.F.A. degree in dance. It is the only program in the five-state region that offers a dance education K-12 emphasis and is an accredited institutional member of the National Association of Schools of Dance (NASD), which is recognized by the United States Department of Education.

The challenging and intensive four-year dance major program is grounded in a comprehensive curriculum of dance technique (ballet and modern), choreography and performance. The dance education emphasis is designed to provide students with the credentials necessary to teach dance in the Mississippi public school system. Course offerings include dance appreciation, dance in cultural context, 20th century dance forms, improvisation, composition, rhythmic analysis and accompaniment, music analysis and resources, methods of teaching K-12, labanotation, junior choreographic project, senior choreographic research project, dance repertory, dance production, modern, ballet, and jazz.

Southern Miss students may elect to minor in dance by participating in a selected course of study within the dance major curriculum.

Southern Miss is located in Hattiesburg, MS, population approximately 52,000. The dance program is housed in the Theatre and Dance Building on the western side of the campus. The building is 70,000 square feet and houses all of the Theatre and Dance Departments' classrooms, studios, theatres, conference room, departmental library, offices, and shops. There are two dance studios: Studio 115 (2,733 square feet), which converts into a theatre and Studio 117 (1,800 square feet). There are seven full-time faculty members with a consistent enrollment of 70 to 75 students a year.