

Jacqueline Urquidez

Dancer, Choreographer, Teacher

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EDUCATION

Colorado State University | 2022– May 2026 (anticipated graduation year)

B.F.A in Dance with a Concentration in Education

- Dance Technique
- Performance
- Choreography
- Pedagogy
- Teach in community spaces, studios, open classes, and observe and assist in K-12 classrooms

Villa Park High School | 2018– June 2022

High School Diploma, 4.48 G.P.A

- Varsity and Junior Varsity Dance Team, Dance Captain
 - Advanced and Jazz Choirs, Choir President
 - Marching Band
 - Honors and AP
 - ASB
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DANCE RELATED COURSEWORK

Colorado State University| 2022– ongoing

Fall 2022

- D 126– Dance Improvisation
- D 186– Production Practicum
- D 182– Dance First Year Seminar
- D 220A– Dance Techniques III: Modern
- D 220B– Dance Techniques III: Ballet
- D 220C– Dance Techniques III: Jazz
- D 286– Performance Practicum
- Best Thesis Awardee
- Recognition for Extended Research Paper

Spring 2023

- D 180A2– Dances of the African Diaspora
- D 220D– Dance Techniques III: Pointe
- D 221A– Dance Techniques IV: Modern
- D 221B– Dance Techniques IV: Ballet
- D 224– Music for Dance
- D 226– Dance Choreography I
- D 487– Dance Internship

Fall 2023

- D 220A- Dance Techniques III: Modern
- D 220B- Dance Techniques III: Ballet
- D 286- Performance Practicum
- D 286- Performance Practicum
- D 326- Dance Choreography II
- D 330- Dance Repertory Ensemble
- D 487- Dance Internship
- TH 264- Lighting Design I

Spring 2024

- D 221A- Dance Techniques IV: Modern
- D 221B- Dance Techniques IV: Ballet
- D 286- Performance Practicum
- D 292- The Dancing Body
- D 324- Teaching Creative Movement
- D 340- Dance Repertory Engagement

Fall 2024

- D 220C- Dance Techniques III: Jazz
- D 220E- Dances of the African Diaspora
- D 320A- Dance Techniques V: Modern
- D 320B- Dance Techniques V: Ballet
- D 486- Practicum --Concert Direction

Spring 2025

- D 286- Performance Practicum
- D 286- Performance Practicum
- D 321A- Dance Techniques VI: Modern
- D 344- Methods of Teaching Dance
- D 392- Dance Seminar
- D 428- History of Western Dance Forms

**MASTER
CLASSES**

Colorado State University | 2025

- BBOY Ronnie
- Dance Aspen
- American Dance Festival
- Beth Twigs

Colorado State University | 2024

- RUBBERBAND Dance
- American Dance Festival
- Tony Testa
- Urban Bush Women
- Momix

Colorado State University | 2023

- Cleo Parker Robinson
- JoAnna Mendl Shaw

Colorado State University | 2023

- Francesca Genovese
- JoAnna Mendl Shaw

Colorado State University | 2022

- André Megerdichian
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**GUEST
RESIDENCIES****REGIONAL/NATIONAL
CONVENTIONS &
CONFERENCES****American College Dance Association Conference | University of Wyoming, 2025**

Adjudicated Choreographer and Performer

National Dance Education Organization Conference | 2023

Presenter and Participant

American College Dance Association Conference | Weber State University, 2023

Performer

**EARLY DANCE
TRAINING****The Dance Centre | Orange, CA | 2007–2022**

- Eugenia Estrin
- Leah Estrin
- Candi Sphar
- Emily Seabourne
- Kira Bessey

Villa Park Dance Team | Villa Park, CA | 2018–2022

- Jennifer Howerton
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**PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE****Authentic Grooves | Denver, CO | 2025**

Dance Film, The Warehouse Denver

Authentic Grooves | Denver, CO | 2025

Collections Showcase, Ellie Caulkins Opera House

gracegallagherdance | Fort Collins, CO | 2025

Versatility Dance Festival, Boulder CO

**PERFORMANCE
EXPERIENCE**

Spring Dance Capstone Concert | CSU | 2025

- *A Mind In Isolation*, choreographed by Liam Teagarden

Spring Dance Concert | CSU | 2025

- *Muyè*, choreographed by Hannah Essige
- *Behind the Ocean*, choreographed by Godwin Abotsi
- *Fractured*, choreographed by Jordan Santry
- *From the Morning*, choreographed by Madeline Harvey (understudy)

American College Dance Association Conference| University of Wyoming | 2025

- *Facade*, choreographed by Jacqueline Urquidez

Authentic Grooves Collections Showcase| Ellie Caulkins Opera House| 2025

- *Raw Existence*, choreographed by Layla McRae

Versatility Dance Festival | Dairy Arts Center | 2025

- *of, Becoming*, choreographed by Grace Gallagher

Fall Dance Capstone Concert | CSU | 2024

- *anchored*, choreographed by Brianna Smith
- *Raw Existence*, choreographed by Layla McRae

Spring Dance Capstone Concert | CSU | 2024

- *Worst Best Thing*, choreographed by Tamia Fair
- *Incipience*, choreographed by Faith Brock

Spring Dance Concert | CSU | 2024

- *to move forward*, choreographed by Emily J. Morgan

American College Dance Association Conference| Weber State University | 2024

- *Class Divides*, choreographed by Grace Gallagher
- *Day of Wrath*, choreographed by Morgan Militare
- *Fly as Me*, choreographed by Madelyn Caviness

Fall Dance Capstone Concert | CSU | 2024

- *Right Place, Right Time*, choreographed by Barbara Bertrand
- *Visceral*, choreographed by Cassidy Faulhaber

Fall Dance Concert | CSU | 2024

- *Class Divides*, choreographed by Grace Gallagher
- *Endeavor*, choreographed by Camryn Martin
- *This is a nice place*, choreographed by Joy Prendergast
- *La Douler Exquise*, choreographed by Brianna Smith
- *It's What You Look For*, choreographed by Grace Gallagher

Spring Dance Concert | CSU | 2023

- *Haven't A Clue*, choreographed by Charva Jamison
- *Fly as Me*, choreographed by Madelyn Caviness

Fall Dance Concert | CSU | 2023

- *Tenacity*, choreographed by Susie Garifi

**CHOREOGRAPHY
EXPERIENCE**

Fall Dance Concert | CSU | 2025

Facade, tap and jazz funk fusion

American College Dance Association Conference | University of Wyoming | 2025

Facade, tap and jazz funk fusion (adjudicated choreographer and performer)

Spring Dance Concert | CSU | 2024

Ceaseless, contemporary and modern fusion

Dance Lab Showcase | CSU | 2023

Provocation, co-choreographer

Choreography Collage, arranger

**TEACHING
EXPERIENCE**

Studio West Workshops | 2025

Jazz Funk and Contemporary

Impulse Dance and Fitness | 2025

Contemporary Instructor

Production Company Dance | 2025

Hip Hop Sub

CSU D221 Modern Technique | 2025

Guest teacher

CSU Community Classes | 2022-2025

Hip Hop, Lyrical, Jazz, Commercial Fusion Dance Film

Community Engagement | 2024-2025

Campus Connections, CSU Day of Dance

K-12 | 2023-2025

Laurel Elementary School, Leshner Middle School, Boltz Middle School

**PRODUCTION
AND TECHNICAL
PRODUCTION
EXPERIENCE**

D 186- Production Practicum | 2022

TH 264- Lighting Design | 2023

D 486- Practicum--Concert Direction | 2023

**SERVICE AND
ENGAGEMENT/
OUOUTREACH**

D 340- Dance Repertory Engagement | 2024

Moving through Parkinsons | 2024

BRAINY | 2024

Campus Connections | 2025

**HONORS AND
AWARDS**

Colorado State University 2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25, 2025-26 Deans List Recipient

Colorado State University 2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25 School of Music,
Theatre, and Dance Performing Arts Scholarship Recipient

Colorado State University 2024-25 Jane Sullivan Scholarship in Dance Education

Colorado State University 2024-25, 2025-26 Dance Merit Scholarship Recipient

ACDA Adjudicated Choreographer and Performer 2024-25

REFERENCES

Grace Gallagher

Founder, gracegallagherdance
Assistant Professor of Dance,
Colorado State University

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Jenna Smith

Co-Director, The Soda Shop
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