

Jordyn Waldo

Dance Artist | Performer | Choreographer

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Education

2017	High School Diploma, Fort Worth Academy of Fine Arts National Honors Society, Thespians, TriM, National Honors Society for Dance Arts, Top 10%
2021	BFA in Dance Performance Department of Dance, Chapman University Minors: Health Science and Disability Studies
2024	American College of Sports Medicine Certified Personal Trainer

Training

2009-2017	Student and Assistant to Aiesha Ashby Styles: ballet, jazz, contemporary, tap, and hip hop
2013-2018	Hollywood Vibe Touring Dance Company Teachers: Karen Chuang, Kent Boyd, Liz Imperio, Caitlin Kinney, Kevin Maher, David Moore, Alexa Anderson, Adrian Lee, and Brooke Lipton
2019	Training Abroad in Israel Residencies: Batsheva Dance Company, Vertigo Dance Company, Kibbutz Dance Company
2017-2021	Chapman University Dance Department Ballet: Ido Tadmor Charles Maple, Kimberly Olmos, and Lawrence Rosenberg Modern: Jennifer Backhaus, Elizabeth Curtis, Sean Green, Liz Maxwell, Wilson Mendieta, Julianna O'Brien, and Amanda White. Jazz: Alicia Guy, William Johnston, Wilson Mendieta, Jackie Sleight, and Steven Sofia Ballroom: Lorena Bravo Hip hop: Barry Youngblood
2023	Jojo Gomez IT Training Program Styles: jazz funk, heels, contemporary, and hip hop

2024 CPR Certification

2024 Margie Haber Acting Studio
Intermediate Intensive and Ongoing Classes with Iman Nazemzadeh

2025 Music 1 on 1 vocal lessons with Gerald White

Performance Experience

2015 All Shook Up the Musical Fort Worth Academy of Fine Arts
Role: Ensemble

2016 Carousel the Musical Fort Worth Academy of Fine Arts
Role: Ensemble and Soloist

2016 Alex Marie Brinkley “Broken” music video
Dancer/soloist/choreographer

2017 Fort Worth Academy of Fine Arts Ballet Paquita
Role: Íñigo choreographer Shayna Ferraro

2017 Chapman Dance Alliance Annual Show Orange, California
Choreographers: Eugenia Rodriguez, Brielle DeSimone, Ellie Edwards

2017 Chapman Fall Faculty Concert Orange, California
Piece: Clouded choreographer: Will Johnston

2017-2021 Chapman University Dance Team
4-year member, undefeated national team

2017-2021 Team Shaka, Chapman University hip hop crew
4-year member

2018 Chapman University Works in Progress Orange, California
Choreographer: Tara Abdi

2018 Chapman University Site Specific Concert Orange, California
Choreographer: Amanda White

2018 Chapman University Concert Intime Orange, California
Choreographers: Kai Ogawa, Jenna Ashley, and Annie von Heydenreich

2018 Chapman Celebrates Orange, California
Piece: Flashdance choreographer Wilson Mendieta

2018 Hounds of Love Movie Chapman University Senior thesis
Choreographer: Alli Esposito

2018 Chapman Dance Alliance Annual Show Orange, California
Choreographers: Azuki Umeda and Brian Golden

2019 Chapman University Site Specific Concert Orange, California
Choreographer: Liz Curtis

2019 Chapman University Concert Intimé Orange, California
Choreographer: Azuki Umeda

2019 Chapman University Mainstage Orange, California
Choreographer: Annie von Heydenreich

2019 Palm Desert Choreography Festival Palm Desert, California
Pieces: Gen Z choreographer Azuki Umeda and The Pit of the Cherry choreographer Brian Golden

2019 Chapman Celebrates Orange, California
Piece: Respect choreographer Brandee Lara

2019 Chapman Dance Alliance Annual Show Orange, California
Choreographers: Natalie Fadel and Brian Golden

2019 IAF Creators Exhibit Los Angeles, California
Pieces: For the Lord choreography Santiago Villarreal, Genius...
Choreography Azuki Umeda, Generally Happy choreography Brian Golden

2019 Capesio Ace Awards, Los Angeles, California
Piece: Genius... choreography Azuki Umeda

2019 New Century Dance Project Salt Lake City, Utah
Piece: Life is just a Bowl of Cherries choreographer Brian Golden

2019 Chapman Fall Faculty Concert Orange, California
Pieces: Greener choreographer Julianne O'Brien

2021 92Y Future Dance Festival, This is 22 Choreographer: Brian Golden

2021 Chapman University Mainstage Orange, California
Choreographers: Emma Wall and Taryn Zimmerer

2021 Battery Dance Festival This is 22 New York City, New York
Choreographer: Brian Golden

2021 Future Dance Festival at the Joyce Theater New York City, New York This is 22 Choreographer: Brian Golden

2021 Robin Hood the Panto Laguna Beach, California
Director: Bonnie Lythgoe Choreographer: Mason Trueblood

2022 Dance Captain for Step One Dance Company onboard Holland America Cruise line
Shows: Humanity, Musicology, In Tandem, and Off the Charts

2022 Reconstruct exhibition, Generally Happy
Choreographer: Brian Golden

2022 Palm Desert Choreography Festival Palm Desert, California
Piece: This is 22 Choreographer: Brian Golden 2nd place

2023 Kids Choice Awards
Choreographers: Nick Florez & RJ Durell

2023 Journey Dance Convention
Piece: Kiss Choreographer: Brian Golden
Piece: Bust Your Windows Choreographer: Amy Magsam

2023 Mt. San Antonio College guest performance with Golden Groves
Pieces: Smile and Wave, and This is 22

2023 The Shadow part one Workshop with Mixed eMotion Theatrix
Choreographer: Janet Roston

2023-2024 Step One Dance Company – Holland America Cruise Line
Dancer & Soloist
Shows: Humanity, Musicology, In Tandem, and Move

2024 The Shadow part two Workshop with Mixed eMotion Theatrix
Choreographer: Janet Roston

2024 American Woman Burlesque at Harvelle's Santa Monica

2025 Novartis Superbowl commercial

Choreographer: Monika Felice Smith

2025 Cocomelon's the Melon Patch Season 1
Ms Twist
Director: Shannon Flynn

2025 West Side Story with the LA Opera performed at the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion,
original Broadway choreography set by
Director: Francesca Zambello, Teresita

2025 Reconstruct Choreographers exhibit
Piece: I love Rock and Roll
Choreographer: Olivia Liberati

Choreography

2016 What Lies Beneath, Fort Worth Academy of Fine Arts annual Company show.
Piece exploring the senses of sound and touch.

2017 The Escape Artist, Fort Worth Academy of Fine Arts Senior Capstone presentation.

2019 Phases, Chapman University Works in Progress.
Trio exploring the effects of culture on our identity

2020 We Are Surviving, Chapman University Concert Intime.
A solo, duet, and trio exploring the events leading up to a family's home burning down.

2021 Cacophonous Silence, Chapman University, Mainstage
A piece exploring weight and its hold on our lives. Explorations done using various props.

2023 Delito, IT training Showcase
A solo choreographed to work both on film and on a live stage

2024 Assistant Choreographer for "Long Shot" by Jamie Miller and Rika
Director: Elise Schatz

2024 Assistant Choreographer for "Just a Minute" Music by Lila Forde
Director: Lex Lapp