

# KAYLA LAUFER

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## **LIVE EVENTS**

|                                     |                      |                          |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| ETD New Choreographer Grant Concert | Dancer/Choreographer | Kayla Laufer             |
| Young Choreographer Festival        | Dancer/Choreographer | Kayla Laufer             |
| Bloom Emerging Artist Festival      | Dancer/Choreographer | Kayla Laufer             |
| PMT Spring Show                     | Dancer/Choreographer | Kayla Laufer             |
| RADFest Dance Festival              | Dancer/Collaborator  | Lourdes del Mar Santiago |
| The Croft Residency                 | Dancer/Collaborator  | Lourdes del Mar Santiago |
| Jacob's Pillow Gala                 | Flash Mob Dancer     | Maleek Washington        |
| Moons                               | Dancer               | Vivake Khamsingsavath    |
| B&B Italia Immersive Event          | Dancer               | Vivake Khamsingsavath    |
| IHRAF                               | Dancer               | Chris Ferris             |
| Fertile Ground                      | Dancer               | Chris Ferris             |
| Forza                               | Finale Dancer        | Michaela Barron          |
| Steps Industry Showcase             | Dancer               | Madison Hicks            |
| Koresh Artist Showcase              | Dancer/Choreographer | Kayla Laufer             |
| Spark Theatre Festival              | Dancer               | Sam Paulik               |
| American College Dance Association  | Dancer/Choreographer | Kayla Laufer             |

## **DANCE COMPANIES**

|                                                   |                                |                           |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Eryc Taylor Dance ( <i>2025-Present</i> )         | Dancer/Rehearsal Director      | Eryc Taylor               |
| Rebecca & Mats van Rossum ( <i>2024-Present</i> ) | Dancer/Assistant/Stage Manager | Rebecca & Mats van Rossum |
| Chris Ferris & Dancers ( <i>2024-Present</i> )    | Dancer                         | Chris Ferris              |
| Melody in Motion ( <i>2023-Present</i> )          | Cofounder/Dancer               | Kayla Laufer              |
| Chutzpah Dance Company ( <i>2023-2024</i> )       | Dancer                         | Erica Isakower            |

## **FILM**

|                                |                         |               |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| <i>Converging Frequencies</i>  | Director/Soloist Dancer | Kayla Laufer  |
| <i>Code</i>                    | Director                | Kayla Laufer  |
| <i>Untethered</i>              | Director/Soloist Dancer | Kayla Laufer  |
| <i>Unpleasant Satisfaction</i> | Dancer                  | Sophia Perone |

## **EDUCATION + TRAINING**

**Johns Hopkins Peabody Conservatory** - BFA in Dance, Class of 2023

*Training: Muller, Horton, Counter Technique, West African, Afro Fusion, Tap, Hip Hop, Jazz, Partnering, Contemporary, Ballet*

Gaga Lab – Winter 2025

Jacob's Pillow ChoreoTech Lab – Summer 2024

Gallim Intensive – Winter 2024 & Summer 2023

David Dorfman Dance Intensive – Winter & Summer 2024

Orsolina28 with Jacob Jonas – Summer 2023

Sidra Bell Module – Summer 2022

## **SPECIAL SKILLS**

Choreographing, collaboration, improvisation, partnering, leading rehearsal, organization, tap, computer programmer