

KAYLA MARIE TAYLOR

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OFF BROADWAY WORKSHOP PRODUCTION

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| "The Oscar Micheaux Project", Baruch Performing Arts Center | Featured dance role in "Within Our Gates" | Choreographer, Chloe Davis |
| CrazySexyCool: OBC Workshop | Observer (Choreographer shadow) | Director, Kwame Kwei-Armah, Choreographer, Chloe Davis |

PRE-PRODUCTION

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| La Cage aux Folles | Director Robert O'Hara | Choreo. Edgar Godineaux, Dormeshia Sumbry-Edwards, Jessica Ilia Castro |
| CrazySexyCool: OBC Workshop | Director Kwame Kwei-Armah | Choreographer Chloe Davis |
| Little Miss Perfect | Director Zhailon Levingston | Choreographer Chloe Davis |
| Picnic at Hanging Rock | | Choreographer Mayte Natalia |
| "The Oscar Micheaux Project" | | Choreographer Chloe Davis |

DANCE EXPERIENCE

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| New York Live Arts, Inc. | Dancer | Choreographer Ronald K. Brown |
| 92NY Harkness Mainstage, "Uptown Rythm Dance Festival" | Dancer | Director, Derick Grant Choreographer Ivyana Yvette |
| The Carnival "Choreographers Ball", New York | Tap Dancer | Choreographer, Jessee Robinson |
| 92NY Harkness Mainstage, "Ladies in the Shoe" | Tap Dancer | Collective Choreography |
| New York Live Arts, Inc. | Hip-hop Dancer | Choreographer, BoPark |
| IR Magazine Governance Awards | Opening Act- featured Tap Dancer | Kayla Taylor, Kaiden Currie |
| "Anything Goes" Music Video for RuPaul's, Plasma | Performer | Choreographer, Michael McCrary |
| Hollywood Tap Festival- All Star Showcase | Performer | Kayla Taylor, Kaiden Currie, Chloe Arnold, Alaman |
| Miller Theatre, Barnard Dance | Modern Dancer | Choreographer, Francesca Dominguez |
| The Carnival "Choreographers Ball", New York | Tap Dancer | Choreographer, Sydney Burtis |
| 9th Annual Bald Ballerina Benefit Concert | Dance Performer | Excerpt from "FOOTFALL" |
| Bank of NH Stage, Ms. Vee & A Bad Ass Band | Featured Tap Performer | Improvised |

REGIONAL THEATRE

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| Guys & Dolls Jr. | Female Ensemble | Concord Community Players |
| High School Musical Jr. | Taylor McKessie | Concord Community Players |
| Seussical Jr. | Sour Kangaroo | Concord Community Players |

DANCE INSTRUCTION

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| Little Shop of Horrors | Columbia Black Theatre Ensemble | Choreographer |
| Concord Dance Academy 2019-Current | Instructor/Choreographer | Award Winning Tap & Hip Hop |
| Independent Work in New England | Private Lesson/Guest Teacher/Master Classes | Tap / Hip Hop / Jazz / Contemporary |

DANCE TRAINING

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| Columbia Universty | BA in Dance and Black Studies | |
| Instructors: Tap, Dormeshia Sumbry-Edwards Jazz, Ehizoje Azeke Hip Hop, Candace Brown & BoPark Ballet, Juan Rodriguez Modern, Tamisha Guy | | |
| Concord Dance Academy | Award Winning Competition Member | |
| Subjects: Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Hip Hop, Contemporary, Musical Theatre | | |
| Boston Tap Party | Advanced Residency | Instructor: Demi Remick |
| The Tap Intensive | Advanced Program | Mentor: Derick Grant |
| Additional Instructors: Aaron Tolson, Jason Samuel Smith, Dormeshia Sumbry-Edwards | | |
| Chloe Arnold Residency | Hollywood Tap Festival | Chloe Arnold |
| American Tap Company | Team USA | Kelli Carberry |

AWARDS

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| IDO World Tap Championship Reisa Germany | World Champion Gold Medalist - Duo | Choreographed by Kelli Carberry |
| | World Champion Silver Medalist - Solo | Choreographed by Kelli Carberry |
| Showbiz Talent | Elite Tap and Contemporary Icon Winner | Choreography Kayla Taylor (Tap) |
| Elite National Dance Challenge | Elite National Grand Champion | Choreography Hillary Fuller (Tap) |
| Poetry Out Loud | NH State Calibrator / School Champion | "A Song in the Front Yard" by Gwendolyn Brooks |

VOICE

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| Cameron Richardson-Eames | Columbia University, Jean-Paul Björli | Boston Conservatory, Craig Juricka |
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EDUCATION

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| Columbia University Class of 2027 | Double Major: Dance & Black Studies | Area of Study: Black Social Dance and Tap |
| Concord High School Class of 2023 | Class President / Top Student Athlete / Varsity Field Hockey / Track & Field | President of Spanish Club / Member of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Club |