

Kiana Thoreson

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Education

The Boston Conservatory at Berklee

	Bachelor of Fine Arts in Contemporary Dance 2021
	Minor in Creative Entrepreneurship
	Summa Cum Laude and Dean's List
Ballet/Pointe	Tai Jimenez, Denise Pons Leone, Marcus Schulkind, Dean Vollick, Gemma Williams, Russel Clarke
Modern	Diane Arvanites (Spiral Technique), Alissa Cardone (Release Technique), Danielle Davidson (Release Technique), Joy Davis (Counter Technique), Kurt Douglas (Limón), Leslie Koval (Laban), Brian McGinnis (McGinnis Method), Jim Viera (Horton Technique), Ruka White (Graham Technique)
Jazz	Jim Viera
Composition/Improvisation	Brian McGinnis, Mary Wolff, Olivier Besson, Danny McCusker
Salsa	Francois Noel
Swing	Katie Piselli
Upside Down/Partnering	Jun Kuribayashi
Tap & Hip Hop	
<u>Intensives</u>	Bradley Shelver, Yusha Sorzano, Max Stone, Allison DeBona, Adam Sklute, Andrew Brader, Ahn Dillon, Josie Walsh, Africa Guzman, Levi Marsman, Jon Ole Olstad, Tiffany Rae Fisher, Francesca Harper, Jennifer Muller, Margo Sappington, Joshua Beamish, Andrew Black, Desmond Richardson

Training

Commercial Dance Intensive	2019
Steps on Broadway Contemporary Intensive	2018
Joffrey San Francisco	2015, 2016, 2017
Joffrey Experience New York	2016
Rockettes Summer Intensive	2015

Performances

Boston Conservatory at Berklee 2017-2021

<i>Again and Again</i>	Hannah Cyr
<i>Collide</i>	Loni Landon
<i>Step Out of Love</i>	Margo Sappington
<i>Luza</i>	Catherine Coury
<i>God Be With Us</i>	Brittany Brown
<i>May You Always Find Goodness</i>	Margaret Falcone
<i>The Red Walls</i>	Joe Chvala
<i>Sankofa</i>	Adrienne Hawkins

Summer Intensives 2014-2021

<i>Talisman</i>	Josie Walsh
<i>Boundless</i>	Levi Marsman

Choreography

<i>Concurrence</i>	2019
<i>The Green Line</i>	2019
<i>Transitory</i>	2018
<i>Clay</i>	2018
<i>Bels Vireo</i>	2015

Teaching

Expressions School of Performing Arts	2015-2019
Collective Dance Artistry	2018-current
Dorothy Keck Dancers	2021-current
Progressive Ballet Technique certification	2019-current

Special Skills

Aerial silks, minor tumbling/acro, ceramics, drivers license, reception skills, barista skills