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Curriculum Vitae

## **EDUCATION**

2009-2011

**Hollins University/American Dance Festival- Roanoke, VA**

Jeffery Bullock/ Donna Faye Burchfield (Dean)

Three Summer Track

Master of Fine Arts/Dance

Thesis Mentor: Thomas DeFrantz

GPA: 3.98

2002-2007

**The Ruth Page Center for the Arts- Chicago, IL**

Venetia Stifler (Program Head)

**Ballet Technique-** Larry Long, Birute Barodicaite

Summer 2001

**The American Dance Festival- Durham, NC**

Donna Faye Burchfield (Dean)

**Ballet Technique** – James Sutton

**Modern Technique** – Gerri Houlihan, Donald McKayle, Doug Nielson,

**Yoga-** Tracey Bogart

Winter 2000

**The American Dance Festival (winter session)- New York, NY**

Donna Faye Burchfield (Dean)

**Ballet Technique** - Svie Gothemier, James Sutton

**Modern Technique-** Gerri Houlihan, Pamela Pietro, Sean Curran, David Dorfman,

Doug Verone, Nicholas Leichter, Elizabeth Streb

Summer 1999

**The American Dance Festival- Durham, NC**

Donna Faye Burchfield (Dean)

**Ballet Technique** – James Sutton, Jeffrey Bullock

**Modern Technique** – Nicholas Leichter, Gerri Houlihan,

**African Technique** – Sherone Price

**Tai Chi-** Jay Dunbar

1997-1999

**Deeply Rooted Productions- Chicago, IL**

Kevin Iega Jeff (Artistic Director)

**Ballet Technique-** Emily Stein

**African Polyrhythm Modern Technique** – Kevin Iega Jeff,

**Modern Technique-** Gary Abbott,

**Horton Modern Technique-** Elaina Anderson,

**Graham Modern Technique-** Linda Spriggs,

**Dunham Modern Technique-** Andrea Johnson

1996- 2009

**The Joel Hall Dance Center- Chicago, IL**

Joel Hall (Artistic Director)

**Ballet Technique-** Birute Barodicaite, Pam Tanis, Betsy Herskind, Mike Gosney, Nancy Teinowitz, Amy Tye

**Jazz Technique-** Joel Hall, Kirby Reed, William Gill

**Horton Modern Technique-** Levon Campbell

**Graham Modern Technique-** Merrick Mitchell

1995-2002

**Northeastern Illinois University- Chicago, IL**

Venetia Stifler (Program Head)

Bachelor of Arts/ Dance Minor

GPA: 3.24

## **Major Awards and Outstanding Recognition**

- 2017 Boston Dance Alliance Rehearsal and Retreat Fellowship
- 2016 Boston Center for the Arts Choreographic Residency
- 2015 The Helen Coburn Meier and Time Meier Foundation Achievement Award
- 2014 Massachusetts Cultural Council Fellow in Choreography
- 2013 Bates Dance Festival Teacher Fellowship
- 2012 SOLO Choreographer Commissioned for McKnight Dance Fellow (Stephen Schroeder)
- 2012 Movement Research at Judson Church

### **DANCE ON FILM- WHEN WALT WHITMAN WAS A LITTLE GIRL**

- 2012 Jury's Choice (1st place) - Black Maria Film Festival (touring)
- 2012 Best in Festival- Magnolia Film Festival Starkville, MS
- 2012 Best Experimental/Animation -West Virginia Mountaineer Short Film Festival Morgantown, WV
- 2012 Right Stuff award (Best in festival)- South Texas Underground Film Festival Corpus Christi, TX
- 2012 Most Creative Storytelling- Carrboro Film Festival Carrboro, NC
- 2012 Honorable Mention- Short Narrative, Athens International Film Festival

- 2009 MFA Fellow Hollins University
- 2008 Chicago Cultural Center Dance Bridge Residency
- 2006 Mordine and Co. Mentoring Project
- 2001 Artist Ambassador Award to Northeastern Illinois University

## **CHOREOGRAPHY**

“11”

September 28&29, 2018. The Harvest Chicago Contemporary Dance Festival. Ruth Page Center for the Arts. Chicago, IL.

October 19&20, 2018. The Theorist Present: *The Theorist Festival*. Mexican American Cultural Center. Austin TX.

November 11&12, 2016. Boston Center for the Arts Presents: *james morrow/ The Movement* Martin Hall. Boston, MA

October 21&22, 2016. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement/ Jacksonville Dance Theatre's Stakes is High*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

September 23 & 24, 2016. Harvest Chicago Contemporary Dance Festival. Ruth Page Center for the Arts. Chicago, IL

August 29, 2015. Episcopal School of Jacksonville presents: *LEAD THE WAY 50 years*. Jacksonville, FL

December 1, 2014. Salem State University presents: *Introductions: An Informal Concert*. Salem State University. Salem, MA

January 11, 2014. Jacksonville Dance Theatre presents: *IN HERE*. Theatre Jacksonville. San Marco, FL

January 3&4, 2014. The Dance Complex presents: *Winter Wonder Dance*. Cambridge, MA

September 19-21, 2013. *Slippage Presents: Theoryography 4.5: We Queer Here*. Duderstadt Center. University of Michigan. Ann Arbor, MI

August 17, 2013. Windsor Arts Center presents: *The Streets is Talkin*. Windsor, CT

January 4, 2013. *CATALYST DANCE-A-THON*. Florence, MA

November 10, 2012. *Scapegoat Garden presents: Open Studio Hartford*. Hartford, CT

July 13, 2012. The American Dance Festival. Nelson Music Room. Durham, NC

June 2/3, 2012 *Wire Monkey Presents: springWIDEopen*. Holyoke, MA

May 24, 2012. "11" Belcourt Theater. Nashville, TN

May 7, 2012. "11" *Movement Research at Judson Church*. Judson Church, New York, NY

April 12, 2012. Universidad de las Américas, Puebla, Mexico

July 23, 2011. *THESIS CONCERTS*. The American Dance Festival, Reynolds Industries Theater. Durham, NC

May 20, 2011. *HIP-HOP LITERACIES CONFERENCE: We All in the Same Game*. The Ohio State University. Columbus, Ohio

April 24, 2011. *Isadora Festival*. Krasnoyarsk, Russia

November 5,6, 2010. *Hollins Fall Dance Gathering*. Hollins Theater, Hollins University, Roanoke, VA

December 11, 2010. Ulla's House. Brooklyn, NY

July 9 & 10, 2010. *Faculty Concert*. Reynolds Industries Theater. The American Dance Festival, Durham, NC

April 16, 2010. *Off The Grid*. PAN, Page Not Found, Brooklyn, NY

March 19& 20, 2010. WUK\_im\_flieger, Vienna Austria

January 5, 2010. *Tami Stronach Dance and GUESTS*. Galapagos Arts Space, New York, NY

"Evolve"

August 4, 2018. Bates Dance Festival presents: *Youth Arts Program Dance Concert*. Bates College. Lewiston, ME.

"A Free Man of Color" by John Guare

April 19-22 & 26-29, 2018, Salem State University. Sophia Gordon Center . Salem, MA. Directed by Peter Sampieri, Choreography by James Morrow.

"NONFICTION"

November 14-17, 2018. Old Dominion University presents: *University Dance Theatre's Fall Concert*. University Theater. Norfolk, VA.

December 16/17, 2017. Salem State University Presents: *The Other Side of the Crowd*. Sophia Gordon Center for the Performing Arts. Salem, MA.

“A Quarter Past Midnight”

September 16, 2017. Salem State University Presents: *Dance Faculty Concert*. Sophia Gordon Center for the Performing Arts. Salem, MA.

November 11&12, 2016. Boston Center for the Arts Presents: *james morrow/ The Movement* Martin Hall. Boston, MA

“I met my soul walking along the path”

November 5, 2017. The Dance Gallery Festival. Ailey Citigroup Theatre. New York, NY

November 3, 2017. The Dance Gallery Festival. Gelsey Kirkland Theatre. Brooklyn, NY

October 27&28, 2017. The Dance Gallery Festival. Sam Houston State University. Huntsville, TX

September 22, 2017. World Music/Crash Arts Presents: *Dance Up*. The Institute of Contemporary Art. Boston, MA

September 16, 2017. Salem State University Presents: *Dance Faculty Concert*. Sophia Gordon Center for the Performing Arts. Salem, MA

July 15&16, 2017. *Tracks Boston*. Green Street Studios. Cambridge, MA June 20, 2017. DANCE MARTHON FESTIVAL. Toronto, Ontario

June 6, 2017. Boston Center for the Arts Presents: Boston Pride Lights. Boston, MA

April 1, 2017. Kathy Dunn Hamrick Dance Company present: Austin Dance Festival. Austinventures Studio Theater. Austin, TX

January 28, 2017. CONDOR/ Dance presents: *Breaking Ground Festival*. Tempe Center for the Arts. Tempe, AZ

November 11&12, 2016. Boston Center for the Arts Presents: *james morrow/ The Movement* Martin Hall. Boston, MA

October 21&22, 2016. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement/ Jacksonville Dance Theatre's Stakes is High*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

March 5, 2016. Duke University Presents: Feminist Theory Workshop. Keynote Presentation. SLIPPAGE. Duke Convention Center. Durham, NC

October 23&24, 2015. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement's Sweaty Epiphany*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

October 2 & 3, 2015. The Dance Gallery Festival. Sam Houston State University. Huntsville, TX

September 18&19, 2015. Harvest Chicago Contemporary Dance Festival. Ruth Page Center for the Arts. Chicago, IL

May 13, 2015. Salem State University presents: *Undergraduate Research Symposium*. Salem State University Recital Hall. Salem, MA

May 15, 2015. Trident Gallery presents: 3. Gloucester, MA

December 1, 2014. Salem State University presents: *Introductions: An Informal Concert*. Salem State University. Salem, MA

September 27, 2014. Third Life Studios presents: *Choreographer's Showcase*. Third Life Studios, Somerville, MA

September 13, 2014. Boston Center for the Arts presents: *Peter Dimuro's Art Residency*. Boston, MA

October 4&5, 2014. McKnight Fellow/ NORTHROP presents: *SOLOS*. Carson FamilyStage. Minneapolis, MN

June 13, 2014. Hollins University presents: *Hollins Alumni Concert*. Hollins University Theater. Roanoke, VA

May 29, 2014. The Northampton Community Trust and The School For Contemporary Dance and Thought presents: *POP! Promoting Ongoing Performance (ART)*. The Arts Trust Building. Northampton, MA

February 7-9, 2014. Pioneer Valley Performing Arts presents with Catalyst Dance: *Estimate the Impact*. The Academy of Music. Northampton, MA

January 11, 2014. Jacksonville Dance Theatre presents: *IN HERE*. Theatre Jacksonville. San Marco, FL

November 16, 2013. Scapegoat Gardens Presents: *Salon Performances*. Hartford, CT

February 22, 2013. *DNA Presents: dancing at the New Media Center at The Secret Theater*. Long Island City, NY

“Neither Lost Nor Found”

October 7, 2017. Dancing Wheels Presents: *Past Present and Future of Integrated Dance*. Ailey Citigroup Theatre. New York, NY

June 30, 2017. Dancing Wheels Presents: *Dancing Wheels Summer Intensive*. Cleveland, OH

December 10&11, 2016. Salem State University Presents: *Dear Diary* Toewig Gymnasium. Salem, MA

March 24, 2017. SUNY Potsdam presents: *American College Dance Association Conference*. Potsdam, NY

“A Quarter Past Midnight”

November 11&12, 2016. Boston Center for the Arts Presents: *james morrow/ The Movement* Martin Hall. Boston, MA

“Switching Code”

November 11&12, 2016. Boston Center for the Arts Presents: *james morrow/ The Movement* Martin Hall. Boston, MA

October 21&22, 2016. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement/ Jacksonville Dance Theatre’s Stakes is High*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

June 11, 2016. Hollins University Presents: *Alumni Weekend* Roanoke, VA

“Stakes Is High”

October 21&22, 2016. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement/ Jacksonville Dance Theatre’s Stakes is High*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

June 25, 2016. Jacksonville Dance Theatre. The Florida Theater. Jacksonville, FL

November 22nd, 2015. "MOVE!" through Jazz Theatre of Illinois, Libertyville IL

September 5th, 2015. "Hope Through Dance" Festival: Woodstock Opera House, Woodstock IL

October 15th, 2015. McAninch Arts Center at College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn IL

April 24th, 2015. Lecture/Demonstration at Loyola Academy, Wilmette IL



February 19-21, 2015. The Dance Center of Columbia College presents: Chicago Dance Crash. Chicago, IL

“STAY WOKE! I GOT YOUR BACK... YOU GOT MINE?!?”

April 30 & May 1, 2016. Salem State University Presents: *Exhale Joy*  
Toewig Gymnasium. Salem, MA

May 7-10, 2016. Dean College Presents: *Spring Concert* Franklin, MA

“Pick Up”

November 12, 2015. Salem State University Toewig Gymnasium. Salem, MA

“I Know You Got Soul”

May 7-9, 2015. University of Wisconsin Eau Claire presents: *Danceworks 2015*.  
Kjer Theatre. Eau Claire, WI

“and there a stillness fell upon them”

October 23&24, 2015. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement's Sweaty Epiphany*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

June 5-7, 2015. Across The Ages Dance Project presents: *going forward.....some digressions*. The Dance Complex. Boston, MA

March 13, 2015. *American College Dance Festival: NEW ENGLAND*. Rhode Island College. Providence, RI.

December 6&7, 2014. Salem State University presents: *Outside/ In*. Salem State University. Salem, MA

December 6-8. Springfield College Presents: *Fall Dance Concert*. Springfield, MA

December 5, 2014. Kimball Union Academy presents: *james morrow/ The Movement*. Meridian, NH

April 5, 2014. National High School Dance Festival presents: *Showcase Concert*. OlympiaTheater at the Gusman Center for the Performing Arts. Miami, FL.

February 28, 2014. Pioneer Valley Performing Arts presents: *Black History Month*. PVPA Stage. South Hadley, MA

February 7-9, 2014. Pioneer Valley Performing Arts presents: *Estimate the Impact*. The Academy of Music. Northampton, MA

“Scar Tissue”

October 23&24, 2015. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement's Sweaty Epiphany*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

December 5, 2014. Kimball Union Academy presents: *james morrow/ The Movement*. Meridian, NH

November 1, 2014. Salem State University presents: *Dance Studio Day*. Salem State University. Salem, MA

“as I reminisce over you”

October 23&24, 2015. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement's Sweaty Epiphany*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

December 5, 2014. Kimball Union Academy presents: *james morrow/ The Movement*. Meridian, NH

December 1, 2014. Salem State University presents: *Introductions: An Informal Concert*. Salem State University. Salem, MA

November 1, 2014. Salem State University presents: *Dance Studio Day*. Salem State University. Salem, MA

“Passage Hawk”

October 23&24, 2015. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement's Sweaty Epiphany*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

May 23-25, 2013. 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring to Dance Festival. Touhill Performing Arts Center. St. Louis, MO

May 17&18, 2013. Access Living's Disability Arts and Culture Project. Access Living. Chicago, IL

July 7, 2010. *The Arc*. The American Dance Festival, Durham, NC

January 5, 2010. “Passage Hawk” *Tami Stronach Dance and GUESTS* Galapagos Arts Space, New York, NY

February 29- March 2, 2009. *MOMENTA Spring Concert*. Commissioned by MOMENTA. Academy of Movement and Music Doris Humphrey Theater, Oak Park, IL

March 7-9, 2008. “Passage Hawk.” *MOMENTA Spring Concert*. Commissioned by MOMENTA. Academy of Movement and Music Doris Humphrey Theater, Oak Park, IL

May 1-4, 2014. Pioneer Valley Performing Arts presents: *Chicago, The Musical*. The Academy of Music. Northampton, MA.

“Tipping Point”

April 11-13, 2013. *PVPA's CATALYST Presents: Dancing In The Eye Of The Storm*. Academy of Music Theater. Northampton, MA

“CHICAGO. –The Musical”

October 5, 2012 Pioneer Valley Performing Arts High School. South Hadley, MA

“Walking Between the Raindrops”

December 4-7. Kimball Union Academy presents: *The Space In Between*. Flickinger Auditorium. Meridian, NH

June 1&2, 2013. Nancy Evans Dance Theatre presents: *Works 2013*. Porticos Art Space. Pasadena, CA

May 25, 2013. *Jacksonville Theater Dance Theater in Concert*. Episcopal School of Jacksonville. Jacksonville, FL

March 6, 2013. *Art Walk*. Museum of Contemporary Art Jacksonville. Jacksonville, FL

February 11, 2012. *Chicago Dance Crash presents: Duets for My Valentine*. Athenaeum Theater, Chicago, IL

“See Me”

February 13-16, 2014. *American College Dance Festival: NEW ENGLAND*: Boston University. Boston, Massachusetts 02215

December 6-8. Springfield College Presents: Fall Dance Concert. Springfield, MA

October 21, 2013. Q Hugo Film Awards. The Center on Halsted. Chicago, IL

April 4, 2013. Music + Movement Festival. Auditorium Theater. Chicago, IL

February 26, 2012. *The Joel Hall Dancers present: Phoenix Rising*. The Raven Theater. Chicago, IL

December 28, 2011. *Informal Sharing(s)*. The Joel Hall Dance Center. Chicago, IL

“living in oblivion”

April 29 – May 1, 2011. *AHSAS 2011 – EMDC's Modern Dance Festival*. Mumbai, India

- December 25, 2010. *Expressions Modern Dance Company*. Deshpande Maharashtra Kala Academy, Mumbai, India
- “In Between Classes” April 7, 8, 2011. *Episcopal High School Spring Show*. Episcopal High School. Munneryn Theater. Jacksonville, FL
- “Spoken Soles” April 7, 8, 2011. *Episcopal High School Spring Show*. Episcopal High School. Munneryn Theater. Jacksonville, FL
- “Circles: A Tribute to Rosemary Fletcher” March 25, 26, 2011. *danceWORKS Spring Concert*, Florida State College at Jacksonville. Wilson Theater. Jacksonville, FL
- “Eleven Years After”  
March 25, 26, 2011. *danceWORKS Spring Concert*. Florida State College at Jacksonville. Wilson Theater. Jacksonville, FL
- February 11, 2011. “Eleven Years After.” *Arts Touring Day*. Old Library. Jacksonville FL
- December 2, 2010. “Eleven Years After.” *danceWORKS Students Showcase*. Florida State College at Jacksonville. Wilson Theater. Jacksonville, FL
- September 4, 2010. “Eleven Years After.” *LEAP Festival*. The Joel Hall Dancers, New Brighton, UK  
April 2 & 3, 2010. “Eleven Years After.” *Here's to Life*  
The Joel Hall Dancers, The Athenaeum, Chicago, IL
- “Waterways” March 5, 2011. *danceWORKS @ The Landing*. Jacksonville FL
- “Vasudevam Kutumbakam – The Whole World is One Big Family” December 25, 2010. *Expressions Modern Dance Company* Deshpande Maharashtra Kala Academy, Mumbai, India
- “No Woman, No Cry” December 25, 2010. *Expressions Modern Dance Company Workshop Participants*. Deshpande Maharashtra Kala Academy, Mumbai, India
- “Get Up to Get Down” September 25, 2010. *Saturday Night Fever Benefit*  
FSCJ Dance Company, Jacksonville, FL
- “Feed Us” August 13, 2010. Hollins University, Roanoke, VA
- “Can You Dig It”  
October 14&15, 2016. Deerfield Academy. Deerfield. MA
- July 21, 2010. *The Arc*. The American Dance Festival, Durham, NC

April 6-8, 2007. *Florida Community College in Jacksonville presents: DanceWorks*. Nathan H. Wilson Center for the Arts. Jacksonville, FL

June 23&24, 2006. *Instruments of Movement presents: ain't no half stepping'*. Northeastern Illinois University Auditorium, Chicago, IL

“Out of the Blue” February 18-21, 25-28, 2010. Archipelago Theatre.  
Direction/ Concept: Ellen Hemphill. Choreography: Gina Kohler, James Morrow,  
Mark Dendy. Sheaffer Theater Duke University, Durham. NC

“Phoenix 6” November 13, 2009. *60X60 Dance. One Hour Art Performance*  
World Financial Center Winter Gardens, New York, NY

“Siren’s Song” August 14, 2009. *Hollins MFA Soaring and Falling Study*.  
Hollins University, Roanoke, VA

“Privilege Backpack” July 23, 2009. *Hollins MFA Mentored Studio Practice*.  
Mentor: Tommy Defrantz. Durham Performing Arts Center, Durham, NC

“To Whom it May Concern” November 10, 2008. *United States Artists presents: 2008 awards*. Museum of Contemporary Art/ Chicago, IL

“I’ll Sleep When You’re Dead”  
October 26&27, 2007/ November 2&3, 2007. *Chicago Dance Crash presents: dEstructibleDAyTRiP*. Commissioned by Chicago Dance Crash. Ruth Page Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL

“we stand at the end of no tradition, however, we may stand at the beginning of one.”  
June 23&24, 2006. *Instruments of Movement presents: ain't no half stepping'*. Northeastern Illinois University Auditorium, Chicago, IL

May 18, 2006. Chicago Cultural Center presents: @rtnight. Sydney R. Yates Gallery Chicago, IL

April 22- July 9, 2006. *Nick Cave/ SOUNDSUITS at Chicago Cultural Center*.  
Sydney R. Yates Gallery, Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL

“Passing Me By” April 13-15, 2006. *Mordine & Co. presents: Quest*. Recipient of the Mordine Mentoring Project. Commissioned by Mordine & Co. Links Hall, Chicago, IL

“Right as Rain” Choreography: James Morrow.  
February 3&4, 2006. *Instruments of Movement presents: Cult Classics*.  
Northeastern Illinois University Auditorium, Chicago, IL

“love drain of life less longing in silent dress” Choreography: James Morrow  
September 23&24, 2005 *Instruments of Movement presents: No Surrender No Retreat*. Ruth Page Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL

January 9&10, 2004. *Endangered Species*. Links Hall, Chicago, IL

November 29&30, 2003. *Dance Chicago: Jazz Rhythms*, Athenaeum Theater,  
Chicago, IL

September 20&21, 2003. *Instruments of Movement presents: Gravity*.  
Academy of Movement and Music Doris Humphrey Theater, Oak Park, IL

“Lifted” Choreography: James Morrow.

September 23&24, 2005 *Instruments of Movement presents: No Surrender No Retreat*. Ruth Page Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL

March 6&7, 2004. *Instruments of Movement presents: Lifted*. Ruth Page Center  
For the Arts, Chicago, IL

“Ruff Side of the Smoothness” January 28&29, 2005. *Instruments of Movement presents:  
Ruff Side of the Smoothness*. Ruth Page Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL

“Flapper and the Quarterback”

January 28&29, 2005. *Instruments of Movement presents: Ruff Side of the  
Smoothness*. Ruth Page Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL

July 17, 2004. *Images of Ruth*. Ravinia Festival, Highland Park, IL

“Right as Rain”

April 16&17, 2004. *Florida Community College in Jacksonville presents:  
DanceWorks*. Nathan H. Wilson Center for the Arts. Jacksonville, FL

June 5-7, 2003. *Instruments of Movement presents: Self Made Half  
Eaten*. Ruth Page Center for the Arts, Chicago, IL

“Chet Baker” May 21-23, 2004. *Instruments of Movement/ Chicago Tap Theater  
presents: Legends of Jazz Volume 1: Chet Baker*. The Vittum Theater, Chicago, IL

“Basis Bathos” February 13-15, 2004. *Project Rhythm presents: Duets for my Valentine*.  
The Anthaeum Theater, Chicago, IL

“Transitions” September 20&21, 2003. *Instruments of Movement presents: Gravity*.  
Academy of Movement and Music Doris Humphrey Theater, Oak Park, IL

“Southern Girl”

January 10-12, 2003. *Instruments of Movement presents: Beautiful Dynamite*.  
Academy of Movement and Music Doris Humphrey Theater, Oak Park, IL

January 11-13, 2002. *Instruments of Movement presents: Shape-shifters*  
Academy of Movement and Music Doris Humphrey Theater Oak Park, IL

“Devine Stylee”

September 28-30, 2002 *Instruments of Movement presents: Sweaty Epiphany*.  
Academy of Movement and Music Doris Humphrey Theater, Oak Park, IL

January 11-13, 2002. *Instruments of Movement presents: Shape-shifters*. Academy  
of Movement and Music Doris Humphrey Theater Oak Park, IL

“Stevey Denver Hits the Chi-town Express” January 11-13, 2002. *Instruments of  
Movement presents: Shape- shifters*. Academy of Movement and Music Doris  
Humphrey Theater, Oak Park, IL

## **2016-2018 PERFORMING**

January 27, 2018. Salem State University Presents: *The WONDERTWINS in To Hip Hop  
With Love*. Sophia Gordon Center for the Performing Arts. Salem, MA.

November 5, 2017. The Dance Gallery Festival. Ailey Citigroup Theatre. New York, NY

November 3, 2017. The Dance Gallery Festival. Gelsey Kirkland Theatre. Brooklyn, NY

October 27&28, 2017. The Dance Gallery Festival. Sam Houston State University.  
Huntsville, TX

September 22, 2017. World Music/Crash Arts Presents: *Dance Up*. The Institute of  
Contemporary Art. Boston, MA

September 16, 2017. Salem State University Presents: *Dance Faculty Concert*. Sophia  
Gordon Center for the Performing Arts. Salem, MA.

July 15&16, 2017. *Tracks Boston*. Green Street Studios. Cambridge, MA

June 20, 2017. DANCE MARTHON FESTIVAL. Toronto, Ontario

June 6, 2017. Boston Center for the Arts Presents: Boston Pride Lights. Boston, MA

April 1, 2017. Kathy Dunn Hamrick Dance Company present: Austin Dance  
Festival. Austinventures Studio Theater. Austin, TX

January 28, 2017. CONDOR/ Dance presents: *Breaking Ground Festival*. Tempe Center for the Arts. Tempe, AZ

November 11&12, 2016. Boston Center for the Arts Presents: *james morrow/ The Movement* Martin Hall. Boston, MA

October 21&22, 2016. The Dance Complex presents: *james morrow/ The Movement/ Jacksonville Dance Theatre's Stakes is High*. The Dance Complex. Boston. MA

September 23 & 24, 2016. Harvest Chicago Contemporary Dance Festival. Ruth Page Center for the Arts. Chicago, IL

June 11, 2016. Hollins University Presents: *Alumni Weekend* Roanoke, VA

March 5, 2016. Duke University Presents: Feminist Theory Workshop. Keynote Presentation. SLIPPAGE. Duke Convention Center. Durham, NC

## **DANCE ON FILM**

When Walt Whitman was a Little Girl

Screenings (2012)

Antimatter Art/Film Festival, Vancouver, BC

Artsfest, Harrisburg, PA

Athens International Film Festival, Athens, OH

Atlanta Underground Film Festival, Atlanta, GA

Black Maria Film Festival (Nationwide tour)

Carrboro Film Festival, Carrboro, NC

Cucalorus Film Festival, Wilmington, NC

Dallas Video Festival, Dallas, TX

Experiments in Cinema, Albuquerque, NM

Indie Grits Film Festival, Columbia, SC

Indie Memphis Film Festival, Memphis, TN

Landlocked Film Festival, Iowa City, IA

Light Factory Filmmakers' Showcase, Charlotte, NC

London Underground Film Festival, London, England, UK

Long Island Film Festival, Bay Shore, NY

Magnolia Film Festival, Starkville, MS

Milwaukee Underground Film Festival, Milwaukee, WI

MIX NYC, New York, NY

Oakland Underground Film Festival, Oakland, CA

Portland Underground Film Festival, Portland, OR

RxSM (Self-Medicating Film Festival), Austin, TX

Screendance ADF Film Festival, Durham, NC



South Alabama Film Festival, Mobile, AL  
South Texas Underground Film Festival, Corpus Christi, TX  
SouthSide Film Festival, Bethlehem, PA  
Tupelo Film Festival, Tupelo, MS  
Twin Rivers Media Festival, Asheville, NC  
Visible Verse Festival, Vancouver, BC  
West Virginia Moutaineer Short Film Festival, Huntington, WV

#### **Publications**

[The Journal of Short Film Volume 29](#), The Ohio State University  
[TriQuarterly #144](#), Northwestern University  
[Moving Poems](#)

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **Old Dominion University- Norfolk, VA**

Department of Communication and Theatre Arts  
Avi Santo (Chair)  
Marilyn Marloff (Program Head)  
July 2018-present  
Assistant Professor of Dance- Tenure Track

### **The Bates Dance Festival**

Youth Arts Program  
Shoshona Currier (Director of the Bates Dance Festival)  
Priscilla Rivas (Director of Youth Arts Program)  
July 14-August 5, 2018 Summer Dance Intensive  
Youth Arts Faculty

### **White Monkey Dance Festival- Kerch, Russia**

Sergey Pichurichkin (Director and Founder)  
Dancing Village  
June 4-10, 2018 Summer Dance Festival  
White Monkey Dance Faculty

### **Salem State University- Salem, MA**

Music and Dance Department  
Mary-Jo Grenfell (Chair)  
September 2014- May 2018  
Assistant Professor of Dance- Tenure Track

### **Amherst College- Amherst, MA**

Dance Department  
Wendy Woodson (Professor of Theater and Dance)  
Spring Semester 2014

Guest Lecturer

**Pioneer Valley Performing Arts- South Hadley, MA**

Dance Department

Ann Biddle (Director of Dance)

November 2012- June 2014

(2012) Part- time Hip Hop Instructor

(2013) Full- time Dance Faculty

**Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts- Hartford, CT**

Dance Department

Linda Burns (Director of Dance)

August 2012- June 2013

Core Dance Faculty (Full Time)

**Springfield College- Springfield, MA**

Dance Department

Cynthia Nazzaro

Guest Lecturer November 5-16, 2012

Intro to Dance

**Performatica- Puebla, Mexico**

Co-Directors of Dance

Mayra Morales, Ray Eliot Schwartz

Universidad de las Américas, Puebla, Mexico

April 9-15, 2012

Faculty (Urban Fusion, Semiotics)

**Jacksonville University- Jacksonville, FL**

Fine Arts Department

Brian Palmer (Director of Dance)

August 22, 2011 – 2012

Dance Faculty (Adjunct)

**Isadora Festival – Krasnoyarsk, Russia**

Elena Slobodchikova

April 18-24, 2011

Dance Faculty

**Florida State College of Jacksonville- Jacksonville, FL**

Fine Arts Department

Jean Sheppard (Dean)

Spring Semester

Assistant Professor

**Florida State College of Jacksonville- Jacksonville, FL**

Fine Arts Department  
Charles Smires (Dean)  
Fall Semester  
Dance Faculty (adjunct)

**Episcopal High School- Jacksonville, FL**

Fine Arts Department  
Sally Deming (Fine Arts Department Director)  
August 16, 2010 – 2012  
Dance Faculty

**Expressions Modern Dance Company Workshop – Mumbai, India**

Sumeet Nagdev (Artistic Director)  
December 15- 26, 2010

**Frostburg State University. Frostburg, MD**

Jamie McGreevey (Dance Department)  
May 6-8, 2010.

**The American Dance Festival- Durham, NC**

Donna Faye Burchfield (Dean)  
Jeffrey Bulloch (Four Week Student Director)  
Dance Faculty (Six Week and Four Week)  
June 10 – July 25, 2010

**Northeastern Illinois University- Chicago, IL**

Fine Arts Department  
Shayne Cofer (Chair of Fine Arts Department)  
August of 2002- 2006  
Full Time/ Tenure-Track Position

**Florida Community College in Jacksonville- Jacksonville, FL**

Rosemary Fletcher (Program Head)  
Spring 2006  
Artist in Residency  
Teach all levels of Modern Technique  
Teach all Levels of Hip Hop Technique  
Choreographed “Can You Dig It” on danceWORKS  
Perform with college company and ensemble members of Instruments of Movement-  
James Morrow (Artistic Director)

**Shirley Mordine & Co.- Chicago, IL**

Shirley Mordine (Artistic Director)  
January 2008  
Company Class- Adv. Modern

April, May 2007  
Company Class- Adv. Modern

February, March, April 2006  
Company Class- Adv. Modern

**Dance Center of Libertyville- Libertyville, IL**

Emily Jobs-Winkler (Artistic Director)  
2006

Faculty  
Modern Technique- Beginning - Advanced

**Ruth Page Center for the Arts- Chicago, IL**

Venetia Stifler (Program Head)

Summer Workshop 2006

Jazz Technique -Intermediate

Set Choreography on students

**Joel Hall Dance Center- Chicago, IL**

Joel Hall (Artistic Director)

Faculty

Jazz Technique- all levels

Modern- all levels

**University of Illinois in Chicago- Chicago, IL**

Anna Simone Levin (Program Head)

September 2004

Guest Hip Hop Instructor

**Florida Community College in Jacksonville- Jacksonville, FL**

Rosemary Flether (Program Head)

Spring 2004

Artist in Residency

Teach all levels of Modern Technique

Teach all Levels of Hip Hop Technique

Choreographed "Right as Rain" on college company

Perform with college company and ensemble members of Instruments of Movement-

James Morrow (Artistic Director)

**Hyde Park School of Ballet- Hyde Park, IL**

August Tye (Artistic Director)

2002- 05

Teach Hip Hop

Teach Jazz

**JEM Studios- Mundelein, IL**

Tammy Skinner (Artistic Director)

2003-05

Faculty

Teach Hip Hop

**Jo's Footwork- Western Springs, IL**

Jay Fagan (Artistic Director)

2004-05

Faculty

Teach Hip Hop

**Ruth Page Center for the Arts- Chicago, IL**

Venetia Stifler (Program Head)

Summer Workshop 2005

Teach Modern Technique – Intermediate and Advance

Set Choreography on students

**Academy of Movement and Music- Oak Park, IL**

Stephanie Clemens (Artistic Director)

2002-04

Faculty

Teach Hip Hop

**University of Las Vegas Nevada- Las Vegas, NV**

Margot Mink Colbert (Assistant Chair)

Spring 2002

Artist in Residency

Teach Hip Hop Master Classes

Perform “Sacred Songs”-Choreography by Lon Gordon

Perform “Heartless Tango”-Choreography by Lon Gordon

**DANCE COMPANY MEMBERSHIP**

**james morrow/ The Movement- Salem, MA**

James Morrow (Artistic Director)

June 2011- present

Artistic Director/ Choreographer/ Dancer

*Repertory*

A Quarter Past Midnight (Shakia Johnson, Angie Wolfram, Brande Lee, James Morrow)

Undertow (Nicholas Leichter)

The Sacred and The Secular (Mikey Rioux)

I met the soul walking along my path (James Morrow)  
11 (James Morrow)  
see me (James Morrow)  
and there a stillness fell upon them (James Morrow)  
Walking Between The Raindrops (James Morrow)  
Can You Dig It (James Morrow)  
Scar Tissue (James Morrow, Nate Odell)  
...as I reminisce over her (James Morrow, Nate Odell)  
Passage Hawk (James Morrow)

**Paul Matteson and Friends- Amherst, MA**

Paul Matteson (Director)  
August 2012-2014  
Dancer

*Repertory*

Touch Down  
Take It Over

**Danielle Russo Dance Company- New York, NY**

Danielle Russo (Artistic Director)  
February 2012- August 2, 2012  
Dancer

*Repertory*

Learning to forget and other tragic fortunes

**SLIPPAGE**

Thomas DeFrantz (Artistic Director)  
January 2010- present  
Dancer

*Repertory*

Theoryography 1.0: Endings  
Theoryography 2.0: Beginnings  
Theoryography: Heidegger's Hammer  
Theoryography: 4.0: We Queer Here  
Theoryography 4.5: We Queer Here

**nicholasleichterdance- New York, NY**

Nicholas Leichter (Artistic Director)  
November 2008 – March 2009  
Dancer

*Repertory*

Killa

**The Joel Hall Dancers- Chicago, IL**

Joel Hall (Artistic Director)

2008, 2005, 1993-2003

Dancer

*Repertory*

We The People

L'Etranger

Nuts and Bolts

El Gato Negro

The Crossing

Pheonix

Y2day

Etude en Maison #418

**Pounds Per Square Inch Theater- Toronto, Canada**

Gerry Threntham (Artistic Director)

2008- Present

Dancer/ Collaborator

*Repertory*

Four Mad Humors

**Concert Dance, Inc.- Chicago, IL**

Venetia Stifler (Artistic Director)

2000-2006

Dancer

*Repertory*

Light Motif

Aftermath

The Day of the Rope

Chicago Sketches

Fugues

Shenandoa

Dvorak

Morgan

Billy Sunday: The Dance

**Instruments of Movement- Chicago, IL**

James Morrow (Artistic Director)

2001- 2008

Artistic Director/ Choreographer/ Dancer

*Repertory*

Undertow (Nicholas Leichter)

Instinct (Davis Robertson)

Reverie (Megan Williams)

Laughing Matters (James Sutton)

The American Dream (Jon Lehrer)

Untitled (Gary Abbott)

Caught Realities, Suspended Moments (Helanius Wilkins)

Sacred Songs (Lon Gordon)

Lies in a Bow (Kirby Reed)

Unlike Barbie (Kirby Reed)

X (August Tye)

State of Emergency (Paul Christiano)

Art for Art Sake (James Gregg)

Cure Unfed (Stephen Schroeder)

Illest Flow (Christopher Pericelli)

Slip Knot (Amy Wilkinson)

Into the Walls (Cameron Jarrett, Amy Wilkinson)

Scar Tissue (Denise Zdenek)

Episode 6 (Raphaelle Ziemba)

Illustration 1 (Raphaelle Ziemba)

Illustration II: 3 mad figures (Raphaelle Ziemba)

Illustration III: Still, I am not deforming my true nature but manifesting the sensuality which exist in me (Raphaelle Ziemba)

Southern Girl (James Morrow)

Right as Rain (James Morrow)

love drain of life less longing in silent dress (James Morrow)

Stevie Denver Hits the Chi-town Express (James Morrow)

The Flapper and The Quarterback (James Morrow)

Lifted (James Morrow, Raphaelle Ziemba)

Chet Baker: Legends of Jazz Vol. 1 (James Morrow, Raphaelle Ziemba, Mark Yonally)

Basis Bathos (James Morrow, Raphaelle Ziemba)

Can You Dig It (James Morrow)

**Museum of Contemporary Art/ Chicago**

Tino Sehgal

Oct. 7- Dec. 30, 2007

Dancer



*Repertory*

Kiss

**Hedwig Dances- Chicago, IL**

Jan Bartoszek (Artistic Director)

2005- 2006

Dancer

*Repertory*

Sleep of Reason

Blues Dances

**Mordine &Co.- Chicago, IL**

Shirley Mordine (Artistic Director)

2006

Choreographer (recipient of 2006 Mentoring)

Dancer

*Repertory*

Passing Me By

**Impetus Dance**

Micheal Rioux(Artistic Director)

2005

Dancer

*Repertory*

The Dead Flowers of Myself

**Civic Ballet of Chicago- Chicago, IL**

Larry Long (Artistic Director)

2005 Nutcracker

-Arabian Dancer

**Northeastern Illinois University- Chicago, IL**

Ron Combs (Director and Writer)

2005

Principle Dancer

**Opera – The Patriots (Original Cast)**

**The Tyego Dance Project**

August Tye

1997-2005

Dancer

*Repertory*

Goin Home

Owl and the Pussy Cat

Pink Tyed

Does Man Love Art

I Feel So Smoochy (Live with Kurt Elling)

X

Spike Jones Nutcracker (Live with Hudson Shad)

Psychometry

**Deeply Rooted Productions- Chicago, IL**

Kevin Iega Jeff / Gary Abbott (Co-Artistic Director)

1998-2000

Dancer

*Repertory*

The Dance We Danced

Flack

In a Child's Eye

Church of Nations

Desire

**Sesame Street Live, VEE Corporations- Minneapolis, MN**

Jerry Dumars (Director)

1997 Midwest/ International Tour

Production- *Let's Play School*

Dancer (Swing) – Ralph, Big Bird, Count Von Count, Bert, Oscar The Grouch, Cookie Monster