# Zachary J. Frazee

# Artistic Director of Frazee Feet Dance

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# **EDUCATION**

2011-2014 The College at Brockport State University of New York (SUNY)

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance

GPA: 3.7

2008-2011 Fairport High School

Regents Diploma with Distinction

GPA: 3.5

## **WORK**

2020	Hobart & William Smith Colleges: Adjunct Professor
2019	Evolution Pilates: Front Desk Staff, Apprentice Pilates Instructor
2018-2019	OFC Creations, Rochester, NY: Choreographer
2018-present	Nacre Dance Group, Saratog Springs, NY: Guest Artist & Teacher
2018-present	Saratoga City Ballet, Saratoga Springs, NY: Guest Performer & Choreographer
2018	Frazee Feet Dance, Rochester, NY: Artistic Director, Company Dancer
2018-present	Greater Rochester YMCA, Rochester, NY: Group Fitness Instructor
2018-present	BIODANCE, Rochester, NY: Company Dancer
2018-present	electricGrit Dance, Rochester, NY: Company Dancer
2018	Jody B's Studio of Dance, Rochester, NY: Dance Instructor
2015-present	Fitzsimmons Dance Factory, Rochester, NY: Ballet Program Director
2015-present	Freelance Dancer/Dance Instructor/Choreographer
2014-2017	New York State Ballet, Rochester, NY: Company Dancer/Assistant Rehearsal
	Director
2014-2019	Ballet Prestige, Rochester, NY: Contemporary & Jazz Program Director

# **TRAINING**

2019	Evolution Pilates Teacher Training for Dancers
2019	Barre Above Teacher Training
2018, 2019	Doug Varone & Dancers Summer Workshop
2018	Silver Sneakers Circuit Online Certification
2018	YMCA Group Fitness Teacher Training (powered by ACE)
2014	Northwest Dance Project LAUNCH:9

**Ballet Prestige** 2013-2014 2012 Garth Fagan Summer Dance Institute 2011-2014 The College at Brockport State University of New York (SUNY) Department of Dance 2007-2012 Flower City Ballet 2005-2011 Jody B's Studio of Dance PROFESSIONAL PERFORMING EXPERIENCE (COMPANIES/CHOREOGRAPHERS) 2019 Michelle Pritchard: Dancer MAD Festival, Nazareth College Performing Arts Center, Rochester, NY 2019 Project 44: Guest Dancer "Cheeky Bastards," MAD Festival, Nazareth College Performing Arts Center, Rochester, NY 2018-present Frazee Feet Dance: Artistic Director/Company Dancer "Somewhere In Between," 2019 Rochester Fringe Festival, Lyric Theatre, Rochester, NY "Somewhere In Between" Preview Showing, OUT Alliance Center, Rochester, NY "Strong Hands, Gentle Heart," BANDchicago, Hubbard Street Dance Center, Chicago, IL "My Darling Dear," (un)Doing Balance Fundraising Event, Buffalo, NY "My Darling Dear," Dance With Utica, Utica, NY 2018-present BIODANCE: Company Dancer "La Creation du Monde," Hochstein School of Music & Dance, Rochester, NY "Excerpts of Aria," Joseph Avenue Arts Festival, Rochester, NY "Aria," Lyric Theatre, Rochester, NY "Scent of Spring," 2019 Vision of Sound New Music & Dance Festival, Nazareth College, Rochester, NY "Scent of Spring," University of Rochester, Rochester, NY "Source of Light," Visual Studies Workshop, Rochester, NY "Thwack, Boom," Confluence Dance Concert, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY "Parlour Games," Community Place, Rochester, NY "Aria," 2018 Rochester Fringe Festival, Lyric Theatre, Rochester, NY 2018-present Electric Grit: Company Dancer "Musings," Dances at MuCCC Festival, Rochester, NY "Splendid Conventions," 2018 M.A.D. Festival, Nazareth College, Rochester, NY "View From Here," 2018 Rochester Fringe Festival, School of the Arts, Rochester, NY 2018-present Saratoga City Ballet: Guest Dancer, Choreographer, Battle Director "The Nutcracker," The Egg Performing Arts Center, Albany, NY

2018 Rachel Keane & Company: Company Dancer

"A Study on the Illusion of Home," (un)Doing Balance Fundraising Event,

2015	Cheryl Johnson
	"Apparition," 2016 Vision of Sound New Music & Dance Festival,
	Syracuse, NY
	Geneva, NY
	New York, NY
2014-2019	New York State Ballet: Company Dancer & Assistant Rehearsal
	Director, Guest Dancer
	"A Midsummer Night's Dream," Hochstein School of Music & Dance,
	Rochester, NY
	"Alice in Wonderland," Penfield High School, Rochester, NY
	"Carmina Burana," Lyric Theatre, Rochester, NY
	"Carmen," Lyric Theatre, Rochester, NY
	"The Nutcracker," Kodak Center for the Performing Arts, Rochester, NY
	"Alice in Wonderland," Penfield High School, Rochester, NY
	"Alice in Wonderland," Finger Lakes Community College, Canadaigua, NY "Snow Owen," Vodel Center for the Performing Arts, Rechester, NV
	"Snow Queen," Kodak Center for the Performing Arts, Rochester, NY "A Midsummer Night's Dream," Kodak Center for the Performing Arts,
	Rochester, NY
	"The Nutcracker," Batavia High School, Batavia, NY
	"The Nutcracker," Panera Theatre, Rochester Institute of Technology,
	Rochester, NY
	"Peter Pan," Webster Schroeder High School, Webster, NY
	"The Raven: Three Tales by Edgar Allen Poe," Hochstein School of Music
	& Dance, Rochester, NY
	"The Nutcracker," Nazareth College Performing Arts Center, Rochester, NY
2013	Stevie Oakes
	"Organ & Body," Memorial Art Gallery, Rochester, NY
2012-2013	James Hansen Assemblage Dance: Company Dancer
	"Stag Line," MERGED, 2013 Rochester Fringe Festival, Geva Theatre,
	Rochester, NY
	"Stag Line," DUMBO Arts Festival, Brooklyn, NY
	"Stag Line," Pasadena Dance Festival, Pasadena, CA
	"Stag Line," 11th Annual Richmond Choreographers Showcase,
	Richmond, VA
2013	Janet Schroeder Body Percussion and Tap Troupe: Company Dancer
	"Tap Suite," OGHS Auditorium, Ottowa, OH
	"Tap Suite," 2013 Rochester Fringe Festival, RAPA Theatre, Rochester, NY
	"Blues Hollow," OGHS Auditorium, Ottowa, OH
	"Blues Hollow," 2013 Rochester Fringe Festival, RAPA Theatre,
	Rochester, NY
	"Beat It," OGHS Auditorium, Ottowa, OH
	"Beat It," 2013 Rochester Fringe Festival, RAPA Theatre, Rochester, NY
2012-2013	William Evans

Buffalo, NY

# "Rochester Rhythm & Romance: Jazz Hugs & Tap Dance Kisses," Downstairs Cabaret Theatre, Rochester, NY

CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE (INDIVIDUAL & COMPANY)		
"The Nutcracker: Battle Scene"		
Saratoga City Ballet, The Egg Performing Arts Center, Albany, NY		
"Somewhere In Between," performed by Frazee Feet Dance		
2019 Rochester Fringe Festival, Lyric Theatre, Rochester, NY		
"Newsies: The Musical"		
OFC Creations, Kodak Center for the Performing Arts Studio Theatre, Rochester, NY		
"Winnie The Pooh: The Musical"		
OFC Creations, Seton Catholic School, Rochester, NY		
"Grease: The Musical"		
OFC Creations, Kodak Center for the Performing Arts Studio Theatre, Rochester, NY		
"Somewhere In Between" Preview Showing, performed by Frazee Feet Dance		
OUT Alliance Center, Rochester, NY		
"Bach Gone Bad," performed by Frazee Feet Dance		
Small Plates Choreography Festival, Dogtown Dance Theatre, Richmond, VA		
"Strong Hands, Gentle Heart," performed by Frazee Feet Dance		
BANDchicago, Hubbard Street Dance Studios, Chicago, IL		
"Glass Seasons"		
Empire State Youth Dance Ensemble Concert, Spa Little Theatre,		
Saratoga Springs, NY		
"(fence)," performed by Frazee Feet Dance		
NACHMO Studio Showings, Mark Morris Dance Center, Brooklyn, NY		
"A Mirrored Path Leads Me"		
Senior BFA Dance Concert, The College at Fredonia State University of		
New York, Fredonia, NY "Paragraphy In Mr. Harret" manfarmed by Erazza Fact Dance		
"Remain In My Heart," performed by Frazee Feet Dance		
17th Annual Mid-Atlantic Choreographers Showcase, Grace Street		
Theatre, Richmond, VA "Timeline"		
Youth America Grand Prix Boston, Boston, MA		
"HeadRush"		
New York Grand Prix, Tisch School of the Arts, New York, NY		
"Masque of the Red Death"		
An Evening with the New York State Ballet Gala, Hochstein School of		

Music & Dance, Rochester, NY

2018	"My Darling Dear," performed by Frazee Feet Dance
	(un)Doing Balance Fundraising Event, Alt Theatre, Buffalo, NY
	Dance With Utica Choreographers Showcase, Utica, NY
2018	"Strong Hands, Gentle Heart," performed by Frazee Feet Dance
	So You Think You Can Choreograph? Annual Showcase, Spa Little Theatre, Saratoga Springs, NY
2018	"Frazee Feet Dance: A Compilation of Choreography by Zachary Frazee," performed by Frazee Feet Dance
	"Remain In My Heart," "Taking Flight," "As Light Begins to Fade," "Cask of Amontillado," "Strong Hands, Gentle Heart," "Bach Gone Bad," "My Darling Dear," "Frequencies"
	2018 Rochester Fringe Festival, Lyric Theatre, Rochester, NY
2018	"Remain In My Heart," performed by Frazee Feet Dance
	2018 Vision of Sound New Music & Dance Festival
	Nazareth College, Rochester, NY
	Hamilton College, Hamilton, NY Carrier Theatre, Syracuse, NY
2018	"As Light Begins to Fade"
	Penfield Dance Team Showcase, Penfield High School, Penfield, NY
2018	"Whispers"
	Starbound Dance & Talent Competition, Auditorium Theatre, Rochester, NY (1st Place Overall)
2017	"Strong Hands, Gentle Heart"
	2017 Rochester Fringe Festival, Artists Coalition for Change Together
	Showcase, MultiCultural Community Center, Rochester, NY
2017	"Strong Hands, Gentle Heart"
	An Event with the New York State Ballet Fundraiser, New York State Ballet
2017	Studios, Rochester, NY
2017	"As Light Begins to Fade"
	An Evening with the New York State Ballet Fundraiser, New York State
2017	Ballet Studios, Rochester, NY "Taking Flight"
2017	Kaleidoscopic Domain Dance Concert, Visual Studies Workshop,
	Rochester, NY
2017	"November Rain"
	New York City Dance Alliance Buffalo, Buffalo, NY
2017	"Demons"
	Starbound Dance & Talent Competition, Auditorium Theatre, Rochester, NY

2017	"Varo"
	Youth America Grand Prix Boston, Boston, MA (Top 12 Senior
	Contemporary)
2016	"Cask of Amontillado"
	Hochstein School of Music & Dance, Rochester, NY
2016	"Masque of the Read Death"
	Hochstein School of Music & Dance, Rochester, NY
2016	"Haunt"
	Dance Days at Buffalo Choreographers Showcase, Tapestry Charter School, Buffalo, NY
2016	"Gaisce"
	The College at Brockport State University of New York (SUNY)
	Department of Dance Senior Solo Concert, Hartwell Theatre,
2016	Brockport, NY
2016	"Blue"
	Youth America Grand Prix Boston, Boston, MA (Top 12 Senior
2015	Contemporary) "Peter Pan" (in collaboration with Artistic Director of the New York State
2013	Ballet)
	Webster Schroeder High School, Webster, NY
2014	"Beneath the Lunar Tides"
	Dance/STRASSER, Strasser Studio, Brockport, NY
2013	"Turbulent Perfection"
	2013 Rochester Fringe Festival, RAPA Theatre, Rochester, NY
2013	"Distorted Axis"
	Dance/STRASSER, Strasser Studio, Brockport, NY
TEACHING	EXPERIENCE
2020	Hobart & William Smith Colleges: Adjunct Professor in Dance
	Advanced Contemporary Ballet, Intermediate Ballet
2019-present	Saratoga City Ballet: Guest Teacher
	Ballet and Modern Dance Technique, Company Class
2019	So You Think You Can Choreography Jr: Choreographic Mentor
	Presented by Nacre Dance Group
2019	MAD Festival: Guest Teacher
	Contemporary Ballet
2019-present	Nacre Dance Group Summer Camp: Guest Teacher
	Beginner/Intermediate Modern Dance Technique
2019	Salt City Dance Festival: Guest Teacher
	Frazee Feet Dance Repertoire

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2019-present	Evolution Pilates: Apprentice Instructor
	Open Level Mat & Reformer classes, Private Lessons
2019	Pele Yoga & Dance: Substitute Yoga Instructor
	Dancer Flow
2019	NU Movement: Dance Teacher/Co-op Member
	Intermediate/Advanced Modern Dance Technique
2016-2019	The College at Brockport State University of New York (SUNY): Guest
	Teacher
	Substitute: Ballet Technique
	Dance Awareness Days: Intermediate/Advanced Ballet Technique,
	Intermediate/Advanced Modern Dance Technique, Frazee Feet Dance
	Repertoire
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2018-present	Jody B's Studio of Dance: Dance Teacher, Choreographer
	Beginning/Intermediate/Advanced Ballet Technique, Intermediate/Advanced Lyrical,
2010 2010	Intermediate/Advanced Modern Technique
2018-2019	Greater Rochester YMCA: Group Fitness Instructor
	Cardio Dance, Silver Sneakers Circuit, Barre Fitness, Body Conditioning
2018	CMC Dance Company: Guest Teacher
	Intermediate/Advanced Ballet Technique, Intermediate Contemporary,
	Intermediate/Advanced Improvisation
2018, 2019	Dance With Utica: Guest Teacher
	Intermediate/Advanced Modern Technique
2018, 2019	Nazareth College: Guest Teacher
	Open Level Modern Dance Technique
2015-present	Fitzsimmons Dance Factory: Dance Teacher, Choreographer, Ballet
	Program Director
	Beginning/Intermediate/Advanced Ballet Technique,
	Beginning/Intermediate Tap, Beginning/Intermediate Jazz,
	Intermediate/Advanced Contemporary
2014-2019	Ballet Prestige: Dance Teacher, Choreographer, Jazz & Contemporary
	Program Director
	Beginning Ballet Technique, Beginning/Intermediate Jazz,
	Intermediate/Advanced Contemporary
2015	Hochstein School of Music & Dance: Guest Teacher
	Beginning/Intermediate Tap
2015	Arts Roc/Ballet Prestige Afterschool Program: Dance Teacher
	Beginning Ballet, Beginning Jazz, Beginning Tap, Creative Movement
2014	Articul8: Guest Teacher, Guest Choreographer
	Intermediate/Advanced Contemporary

### **CERTIFICATIONS**

CPR, AED, and First Aid

Silver Sneakers Circuit

Barre Above

Evolution Pilates Contemporary Pilates Certification: in progress

## **AWARDS & HONORS**

2018	Choreography Award (Starbound Dance & Talent Competition)
2017	Unique Choreography Award (New York State Dance Challenge)
2017	Choreography Award (New York Dance Alliance)
2014	Bette Bailey Excellence in Dance Scholarship
2014	Monserrat Fund for Dance
2012	1/4 Scholarship to the Garth Fagan Summer Movement Institute

## **ORGANIZED EVENTS**

Frazee Feet Fundraiser

2019 Evolution Pilates: Fundraiser for A Kid's Brain Tumor Cure Foundation

# **MEMBERSHIPS & AFFILIATIONS**

2018-present Fractured Atlas Fiscal Sponsorship for Frazee Feet Dance

2018-present Fractured Atlas Community Member

2017-present National Dance Education Organization (NDEO) Annual Member

# REFERENCES UPON REQUEST

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Lauri Lucas (Owner of Fitzsimmons Dance Factory)
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