

# Mikahleen Jones

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## OBJECTIVE

I am currently a college sophomore with extensive experience in various disciplines of dance, theatre, and performance. I am interested in a position as an overnight summer counselor to help inspire young dancers and to interact with a professional ballet program. Thank you in advance for your consideration.



## EDUCATION

### Dance Performance Bachelor of Science Major | Southern Utah University

August 2016 – current

- Nominated to the Dean's List each semester
- 3.98 GPA

### Exercise Science Minor | Southern Utah University

August 2016 – current

- Emphasis in sport performance
- Human Biology pre-requisite

### Applied Dance Study | The Studio, School of Classical Ballet

September 2012 – December 2015

- Emphasis in ballet en pointe
- Study in modern Horton technique
- Petite, Junior, and Senior Company



## EMPLOYMENT AND VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

### Childcare Babysitter | Classical Conversations Homeschool

August 2015 – April 2016

- Learned to babysit without supervision for children ages 2-5

### Preschool Teachers Assistant | Classical Conversations Homeschool

August 2015 – April 2016

- Learned to educate children ages 4-6

### Girls Camp Leader | Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

June 2014

- Volunteer leader over girls ages 12-16
- Planned and implemented first aid and outdoor recreation classes

### Babysitter | Self-Employed

2010 – 2016

- Watched children ages 1-12
- Gained patience and interpersonal skills with the young generation

## PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

### Dance Concerts | Southern Utah University

Fall 2016 – Current

- Fall Concert – “Moriari” Greek piece and Birch Mann
- Spring Concert – Birch Mann and Balanchine
- Body Project – Student choreographed Modern piece
- Ballroom – Waltz and Cha-cha

### Ballet Performances | Santa Cruz Ballet Theatre

2012 – 2015

- Regional Dance America Pacific Festival – Adjudicated Pieces
- La Bayadere – “The Kingdom of the Shades”
- Nutcracker – various roles
- Concerts – choreographed by Robert Kelley

### Spring Dance Festival | Regional Dance America Pacific

2015 – Sacramento, California

2013 – Phoenix, Arizona

### Summer Dance Intensive | The Studio, School of Classical Ballet

2012 – 2015

## DISTINCTIONS

### Academic Scholarship | Southern Utah University

Fall 2016 – Current

### Dance Scholarships | Southern Utah University

Fall 2017 – Current

### Travel Abroad | England and Europe

April 2016

### Honors Graduate | Ocean Grove Charter High School

May 2016



## REFERENCES

### Patricia Meredith | Southern Utah University Professor

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### Diane Cypher | The Studio, School of Classical Ballet Director

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### Robert Kelley | The Studio, School of Classical Ballet Artistic Director

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