

# Tiva Deason

## Dancer/Entertainer

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### Entertainment Experience and training

#### Pre-Professional Programs:

“The Hatch” Conservatory at Skyra Studios 2020-21

Ballet Conservatory at Skyra Studios 2019-20

Orlando Ballet School, Orlando, FL 2018-2019

Pre-professional program

#### **Studied under:**

Phillip Broomhead

Gonzalo Espinoza

The Center for Contemporary Dance, Winter Park, FL.

Two years training in Vaganova ballet and Modern styles in a pre-professional program with partial scholarship awarded.

#### **Studied under:**

Ingrid F. Lozano, Director of Education and Vaganova studies at the Center for Contemporary Dance.

Andrew Coronado, Modern and Contemporary dance Instructor.

Rokaya Mikhailenko, Modern dance Instructor, Advanced Modern Ensemble.

Auditioned solos: Prelude solo in Les Sylphides, two years

#### **Repertoire:**

Bluebird variation solo, Sleeping Beauty Lilac Fairy variation solo, Sleeping Beauty

Prelude variation solo, Les Sylphides Waltz variation solo,

The Dancer’s Edge Studio, Winter Park, FL. Cecchetti ballet training, two years.

Studied under:

Jamie Rodriguez, Owner and Artistic Director.

### Summer Intensives:

Austin Ballet Senior Intensive, Austin Tx 2019

Paul Taylor Modern Dance Intensive, Peabody Institute, Baltimore, Maryland, 2018, focused studies in Paul Taylor repertoire.

The Center for Contemporary Dance, Winter Park, FL Six-week dance intensive 2017 with focused studies in:

Vaganova ballet

Modern dance

Hip-Hop  
Contemporary  
Improv

**Additional:**

School of Rock vocalist and vocal student 2020-21

Cast member in Skyra's "Dance Beat" teen variety show 2020-21

Cast as a fairy in "The Forever Tea Party" by director Barry Kirsch 2019

Three years viola studies under Professor Joni Roos, Rollins College, Strings Artist-in-Residence.

Principal violist for the Florida Symphony Youth Orchestra, 2017-2018, Prelude orchestra under Sara Morrison, conductor and Hanrich Classen,

**Music and Theater training:**

2016- Four Weeks at The Breakthrough Theater, Summer, Play production (Zombie double feature), Musical Theater, Improvisation.

Musical Theater training at the Center for Contemporary Dance with Performance.

2017-Play production at The Breakthrough Theater of Winter Park, "30 Reasons Not to be in a Play." 2018-Improv camp at The Breakthrough Theater of Winter Park

Amateur model from 2016-present <https://www.instagram.com/tivadances>

**Education**

Seminole State College, Sanford, FL

**Seeking Associate Degree in Psychology-General Education Program** 08/2021-Present

Related course work completed: PSY 2012 General Psychology (Fall 2021), DEP 2004 Developmental Psychology (Fall 2022), PPE 2001 Psychology-Intro to Personality (Spring 2023), and CCJ 2600 Inside the Criminal Mind (Fall 2022).

**Work Experience**

Sales lead | Bath and Body Works 10/2021-12/2021

- Greet and help customers locate specific items.
- Restock products and organize the store displays to maintain an aesthetically pleasing appearance.
- Resolve customer complaints and issues while prioritizing customer satisfaction.

Team member | Grain & Berry, Maitland, FL 05/2023 – Present

- Cook, serve, and prepare various foods and drinks for customers.
- Work in a fast-paced team environment.

- Revolve issues surrounding orders and customer service.

**Skills & abilities**

- Strong work ethic
- Dancing
- Singing
- Modeling
- Teamwork
- Acting
- Communication