

# Announcements

## Pre-registration

Every year we offer our currently enrolled students the opportunity to preregister, thereby avoiding the annual \$35.00 registration fee per student and allowing our current students priority for classes and teachers. Remember, class space is limited. Pre-registration will only last until **June 1**, so act now. While there is no registration fee, pre-registration requires a \$35.00 costume deposit per class which is fully refundable through September. Acrobatic and Company students must also include a \$45.00 liability insurance surcharge at the time of pre-registration.

## Summer Classes

University Performing Arts Centre will offer a variety of summer classes. A 5-week summer session will begin on June 9 and end on July 9. Classes meet twice a week and provide the student with an accelerated dance curriculum. Tuition is \$130.00 for 45 minute and 1-hour classes; \$110.00 for 2nd class in family; \$90.00 for 3rd class in family. Tuition is based on 8 lessons; however, 10 lessons are conducted. A dance study program is available for intermediate and advanced students at a cost of \$200.00. Pointe classes are \$65.00 extra. The dance study program encompasses lyrical, tap, ballet, jazz, and musical theater. Two intensive workshops intended for company members (by audition only) are available for \$300.00 for both workshops.

## One Week Summer Princess Dance Experience

A fun program has been created for students ages 3 through 6 desiring to broaden their performing skills. The program encompasses tap, ballet, jazz, song & dance, tumbling, modeling, arts and crafts with a performance at the end of the week, on June 5, June 12, July 24 and July 31 at 12:00 PM there will be performance to show off everything they have learned. Classes meet from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, with a break for snack. \$150 per student 1 camp; \$275 per student for 2 camps; \$375 per student for 3 camps; \$450 per student for all 4 camps.

## One Week Summer Dance Experience

A fun program has been created for students ages 6 and over desiring to broaden their performing skills. The program encompasses tap, ballet, jazz, lyrical, hip-hop, choreography, acrobatics, cheerleading/dance team, acting, and arts and crafts with a performance at the end of the week. Classes meet Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, with a one-hour break for lunch/snack. Two sessions will be conducted. The first session meets June 1 - 5; second session meets July 20 - 24; \$300.00 per person for 1 camp; \$550.00 per person for both camps.

For further information, please call the studio at 407-366-5779.





**Trinity Preparatory School 6pm**

# Act I

## **Let's Get Loud Jazz Production**

Lani Aicher, Tori Beldowicz, Addison Blake, Emery Calhoon, Mackenzie Christensen, Emma Davis, Aaralyn Dodge, Zamara Dodge, Ainsley Dorey, Morgan Drawdy, Annalei Dyce, Reagan Fay, Emily Fernandez, Norah Ford, Sofia Franceschini, Zoe Frank, Bailey Freitas, Peyton Freitas, Madelyn Freund, Olivia Glaser, Julia Harbin, Rylan Head, Alexa Heavey, Taylor Hill, Lauren Howell, Alyssa Khamis, Morgan King, Casey Kycyku, Sarah Lalor, Sophia Lamorte, Lauren Landowski, Loren Lopez, Willow Meyer, Sydney Molitoris, Emma Morris, Zoë Nilsson, Kenadie Pontell, Victoria Rice, Lyla Roth, Mariska Schoppert, Camellia Senft, Katie Shaughnessy, Brooke Sims, Emily Staines, Sarah Staines, Kenzie Swearengin, Hayliee Tygart, Peyton Welday, Alynn White, Olivia Yang

## **Yellow**

Katarina Ivetic, Kinsley Jacobs, Adara Lupa, Devin McCarthy, Julia Pastran, Annabelle Sanfilippo, Johanna Simon, Daniela Stansberry

## **Codfish Ball**

Eleni Alexakis, Raley Altamirano, Brielle Fuhrer, Madelyn Mextorf, Emma Ngo, Layla Patel, Brooklyn Trace

## **What Dreams Are Made Of**

Caroline Anderson, Ellie Barr, Emma Friscea, Briella Henderson, Scarlett Quintana, Ria Rao, Brooke Redfield, Everleigh Rodriguez, Claire Rogers, Zoe Zapata

## **Blower's Daughter (Top Scoring Teen Group)**

Annalei Dyce, Bailey Freitas, Madelyn Freund, Casey Kycyku, Sydney Molitoris, Kenzie Swearengin, Hayliee Tygart

## **Feet Don't Fail Me Now – Alumni/Teacher**

Geri Weinbaum, Zachary Christian, Sophia Henke, Lauren Bowlin, Gaby Perez, Heather Jones, Adrienne McIntosh, Devynn Sunderman, Eryn Hartdegen, Victoria Trautwein

## **Esmeralda**

Asya Alisbah, Tori Beldowicz, Lyla Carr, Mackenzie Christensen, Aaralyn Dodge, Ainsley Dorey, Zoe Frank, Sarah Lalor, Willow Meyer, Zoë Nilsson, Victoria Rice, Camellia Senft, Emily Staines

## **Queen's Speech**

Emery Calhoon, Zamara Dodge, Morgan Drawdy, Aria Duncan, Ava Hodges, Brooke Redfield, Harper Seguin, Sarah Staines, Olivia Yang

## **Burden Down (Top scoring Teen Duet)**

Sydney Molitoris, Hayliee Tygart

## **Just Keep Watching**

Saanvi Nandeesh, Amanda Terentin, Victoria VanCampen

### **How Far I'll Go**

Emma Davis, Annalei Dyce, Emily Fernandez, Norah Ford, Bailey Freitas, Madelyn Freund, Julia Harbin, Alexa Heavey, Taylor Hill, Casey Kycyku, Sophia Lamorte, Loren Lopez, Marie Morris, Kenadie Pontell, Katie Shaughnessy, Kenzie Swearengin

### **Big Bad Wolf**

Ellie Barr, Kinsley Jacobs, Charlotte Johnson, Leah Lalor, Brielle Szott

### **That Power**

Asya Alisbah, Giuliana Anderson, Sydni Barnswell, Tori Beldowicz, Mackenzie Christensen, Marissa Hagan, Willow Meyer, Mariska Schoppert

### **Little Voice (Top Score Junior Solo)**

Olivia Yang

### **Walk It Out**

Sarah Calvo-Chumbimuni, Tristlyn Cruz, Ophelia Ferry, Harper Jernigan, Victoria Murray, Hannah Peravali

### **Landslide - Graduating Senior Solo**

Marie Morris

### **Glamorous**

Catalina Dean, Kalani Delcamp, Aria Duncan, Mackenzie Fuchs, Ava Hodges, Brooke Redfield, Ellery Roberts, Everleigh Rodriguez, Claire Rogers, Harper Seguin, Sarah Staines, Peyton Welday, Zoe Zapata

### **Let You Love Me**

Lani Aicher, Tori Beldowicz, Mackenzie Christensen, Ainsley Dorey, Olivia Glaser, Willow Meyer, Mariska Schoppert, Alynn White

### **Dancin'**

Emma Davis, Annalei Dyce, Emily Fernandez, Norah Ford, Bailey Freitas, Madelyn Freund, Alexa Heavey, Taylor Hill, Casey Kycyku, Sophia Lamorte, Loren Lopez, Sydney Molitoris, Kenadie Pontell, Katie Shaughnessy, Kenzie Swearengin, Hayliee Tygart

### **Favorite Son - Alumni and Faculty**

Andrea Limonta Pendarvis'13, Ashli Marcantoni Hawthorne'04, Fabiana Delgado Tapia'16, Geri Weinbaum, Judi Freed Siegfried, Lexi Ventura Walker'14, Mary Allison Lambert'13, Nicholina Camilleri Wilson'05, Ninabeth Franceschini Frank'04, Savannah Raulerson'05, Patricia Dumey, Brittney Rowland'17, Yahira Franceschini Alancastro'00

Emma Davis, Annalei Dyce, Emily Fernandez, Norah Ford, Bailey Freitas, Madelyn Freund, Alexa Heavey, Taylor Hill, Casey Kycyku, Sophia Lamorte, Loren Lopez, Sydney Molitoris, Kenadie Pontell, Katie Shaughnessy, Kenzie Swearengin, Hayliee Tygart

## **Intermission**

## **Act II**

### **Rock The Bossa Nova**

Lani Aicher, Tori Beldowicz, Addison Blake, Emery Calhoon, Mackenzie Christensen, Emma Davis, Aaralyn Dodge, Zamara Dodge, Ainsley Dorey, Morgan Drawdy, Annalei Dyce, Reagan Fay, Emily Fernandez, Norah Ford, Sofia Franceschini, Zoe Frank, Bailey Freitas, Peyton Freitas, Madelyn Freund, Olivia Glaser, Julia Harbin, Rylan Head, Alexa Heavey, Taylor Hill, Lauren Howell, Alyssa Khamis, Morgan King, Casey Kycyku, Sarah Lalor, Sophia Lamorte, Lauren Landowski, Loren Lopez, Willow Meyer, Sydney Molitoris, Emma Morris, Emma Morris, Zoë Nilsson, Kenadie Pontell, Victoria Rice, Lyla Roth, Mariska Schoppert, Camellia Senft, Katie Shaughnessy, Brooke Sims, Emily Staines, Kenzie Swearengin, Hayliee Tygart, Alynn White, Olivia Yang

### **Let It Be**

Lily Buchanan, Catalina Dean, Kalani Delcampo, Aria Duncan, Mackenzie Fuchs, Ava Hodges, Brooke Redfield, Ellery Roberts, Everleigh Rodriguez, Harper Seguin, Sarah Staines, Peyton Welday, Zoe Zapata

### **Shake It Off**

Caliana Ayala, Mila Bermudez, Josephine Cavatorta, Isabelle Dean, Sophia Morales, Elena Ramirez, Ria Rao, Winnie Smither, Ricki Torrance, Alice Valdes Delisle

### **Darling – Graduating Senior Solo**

Kenadie Pontell

### **Soda Pop**

Martina Campo, Avery Douglas, Julia Pastran, Annabelle Sanfilippo, Isabella Vazquez Flores

### **Ignite**

Lani Aicher, Asya Alisbah, Tori Beldowicz, Gina Bertucci, Addison Blake, Lyla Carr, Mackenzie Christensen, Scarlett Conklin, Aaralyn Dodge, Ainsley Dorey, Sofia Franceschini, Peyton Freitas, Olivia Glaser, Rylan Head, Morgan King, Sarah Lalor, Willow Meyer, Victoria Rice, Mariska Schoppert, Brooke Sims

### **Chun Li**

Isabella Anderson, Paisley Leigh, Cecilia Rice, Emily Stone, Amanda Terentin, Deonna Wynn-Howard

### **I Surrender (Top Score Teen Solo)**

Kenzie Swearengin

### **There Will Be Rain**

Eleanor Alexander, Ellie Barr, Charlotte Johnson, Brielle Szott

### **Bad Guy**

Catalina Dean, Zamara Dodge, Morgan Drawdy, Aria Duncan, Mackenzie Fuchs, Ava Hodges, Harper Seguin, Sarah Staines

### **She's Always A Woman to Me - Graduating Senior Solo**

Emily Fernandez

### **Material Girl**

Olivia Andrews, Raelynn Carroll, Iraida Lupa, Lexi Lyon

### **Sparkle On**

Ellie Barr, Kinsley Jacob, Charlotte Johnson, Leah Lalor, Brielle Szott

### **Kill The Lights**

Lani Aicher, Tori Beldowicz, Mackenzie Christensen, Ainsley Dorey, Olivia Glaser, Willow Meyer, Mariska Schoppert, Alynn White

### **Can't Get It Out (Top Scoring Junior Group)**

Addison Blake, Emery Calhoon, Zamara Dodge, Peyton Freitas, Rylan Head

### **Faith**

Catalina Dean, Kalani Delcampo, Aria Duncan, Mackenzie Fuch, Ava Hodges, Brooke Redfield  
Ellery Roberts, Everleigh Rodriguez, Claire Rogers, Harper Seguin, Sarah Staines,  
Peyton Welday, Zoe Zapata

### **I See Fire**

Emma Davis, Annalei Dyce, Emily Fernandez, Norah Ford, Bailey Freitas, Madelyn Freund,  
Alexa Heavey, Taylor Hill, Casey Kycyku, Sophia Lamorte, Loren Lopez, Sydney Molitoris,  
Kenadie Pontell, Katie Shaughnessy, Kenzie Swearengin, Hayliee Tygart

### **Everybody Dance Now UPAC Alumni from 1991-2025**

**Alumni Dancers:** Addi Brinker('25), Adrienne Feldman McIntosh ('02), Alexandra Star Gramatikas ('05), Alliah Sheta Bradburn ('02), Allison Terry ('13), Andrea Limonta Pendarvis ('13), Areianna Castro ('11), Ashli Marcantoni Hawthorne ('04), Ava Nichols ('25), Becca Leeper Woodward ('10), Camille Powers ('18), Devynn Sunderman ('21), Emily Brown Monterroso ('10), Emily Stern ('14), Eryn Hartdegan ('21), Faith Hammack ('21), Gabby Benton ('24), Gaby Perez ('21), Heather Jones Arroyo ('18), Jackie Card Kutney ('05), Jamie Summerfield Charland ('13), Jasmin Hopp Flores ('15), Jennifer Burns ('05), Jennifer Hartzler ('02), Jordan Rose Bombard ('24), Jordan Summerfield ('15), Joy Lyon ('11), Kari Freeman Connelly ('07), Kerstyn Whitener ('19), Leanna Carroll ('15), Lexi Ventura Walker ('14), Madison Sunderman ('24), Morgan Stines Barr ('06), Mary Allison Lambert ('13), Marybeth Watson ('09), Megan Schutz ('18), Michelle Grumbles ('02), Nicholina Camilleri Wilson ('05), Ninabeth Franceschini Frank ('04), Sahmi Sheta Eacret ('05), Sara Weger ('11), Sarahanne Watson Taylor ('99), Stacy Burchfield ('03), Victoria Trautwein ('23), Yahira Franceschini Alancastro ('00)

**Teachers:** Judi Freed Siegfried, Geri Weinbaum, Savannah Raulerson ('05), Patricia Dumey, Brittney Rowland ('17), Fabiana Delgado Tapia ('16), Cindy Heen, Alyssa May Douglas ('24), Sophia Henke, Katie Schofield, Zachary Christian, Katrina Judy, Lauren Bowlin ('22)

**Retired ('18) but still shakin':** Janice Stern

## **Finale**

The following students are celebrating 5, 10, and 15 years of dance  
at the University Performing Arts Centre:

**5 Year Award**

Lani Aicher  
Ellie Barr  
Catalina Dean  
Isabella Vazquez Flores  
Charlotte Johnson  
Avery Douglas  
Malia Bernard  
Maya Bernard  
Evelyn Grumbles  
Leah Lalor  
Everleigh Rodriguez  
Camellia Senft  
Martina Campo Gonzalez  
Alyssa Khamis  
Peyton Welday  
Josianne Ford  
Lyla Carr  
Julia Pastran  
Zoë Nilsson

**10 Year Award**

Mara Dauner

**15 Year Award**

Emily Fernandez  
Norah Ford  
Isabella De la Cruz



**University Performing Arts Centre Staff**

**Artistic Director:**

Judi Freed-Siegfried

**Instructors:**

Gabi Benzi  
Alyssa Douglas  
Cindy Heen  
Katrina Judy  
Savannah Raulerson  
Katie Schofield  
Geri Weinbaum

Zachary Christian

Patricia Dumey  
Sophia Henke  
Alyssa Johnson  
Brittney Rowland  
Fabiana Tapia

**Assistants:**

Asya Alisbah  
Gina Bertucci  
Aaralyn Dodge  
Olivia Glaser  
Alyssa Khamis  
Willow Meyer

Tori Beldowicz  
Addison Blake  
Peyton Freitas  
Lauren Howell

Sarah Lalor  
Emily Staines

**Office Staff:**

Geri Weinbaum  
Lauren Bowlin

Jill Morgan

## Production Credits

<b>Stage Managers:</b>	Judi Siegfried, Janine Papin
<b>Backstage Manager:</b>	Marybeth Watson
<b>Scenery:</b>	Judi Siegfried, Lauren Bowlin, Hilliary Lalor, Jessica Head, Props built by Bruce Jacobsen
<b>Mats:</b>	Zachary Christian
<b>Lighting Design:</b>	Janine Papin
<b>PowerPoint:</b>	Vicki League
<b>Sound:</b>	Lauren Bowlin
<b>Publications:</b>	Judi Siegfried, Vicki League
<b>Video:</b>	Hayden Siegfried
<b>Concessions:</b>	Jessica Head, Hilliary Lalor, Company Parents

A Special Thank-You to Geri Weinbaum, Janice Stern, Fabiana Delgado Tapia and Vicki League for putting in all the work in making this Reunion Celebration happen. It would not have been a success without you.

A shout out to all my alumni family for coming back and making this Recital so Special, you are the backbone of UPAC.

From the Bottom of my HEART,  
Love you all.

## 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Alumni Bios

**Yahaira Franceschini Alancastro**, a 2000 UPAC alumna, earned her Bachelor of Science from University of Central Florida and her Master of Business Administration in Engineering Management from Rensselaer Polytechnic University. She currently works at Lockheed Martain as a product owner overseeing a team of developers supporting the company's digital transformation. She is a proud mom of two- Evan who is 16 and Elyna who is 13. Evan has done Tae Kwon Do and currently play soccer, Elyna has danced, done gymnastics, horse riding, and currently does volleyball.

**Jamie Charland**, a 2002 UPAC alumna, earned her degree in Speech Language pathology from University of Central Florida. She is currently working as a pediatric speech language pathologist. She is excited to be expanding her family, welcoming her baby girl in July.

**Adrienne (Feldman) McIntosh**, a 2002 UPAC alumna, earned her Bachelor of Arts in Stage Management from UCF. She now works as a financial advisor at Orlando Health and is the proud mom of one-year-old Logan, who's already showing off some tap moves.

**Alliah Bradburn**, a 2002 UPAC alumna, holds a degree in Public Relations from Florida State University. She currently serves as Associate Director of Strategic Initiatives at Optum Financial and is a proud stepmom to Maddie and Tommy.

**Ninabeth Frank**, a 2004 UPAC alumna, earned her degree in Music Education and Psychology from Florida State University. She is currently an elementary school music teacher. She is a proud mom of two—Jonah who is 16, and Zoe who is 14. Jonah is in band and plays soccer, and Zoe currently dances at UPAC.

**Ashli Hawthorne**, a 2004 UPAC alumna, earned her bachelor's degree in Hospitality Management from Rosen College. She is a corporate event planner designing events across Central Florida. She is the proud mom of three—Mackenna, Jackson, and Evelyn; Mackenna and Evelyn dance at UPAC, and Jackson plays t-ball.

**Jackie Kutney**, a 2005 UPAC alumna, earned a Bachelor of Science in Communications from the University of North Florida. She is currently a preschool teacher assistant and previously danced and competed professionally in ballroom and Latin dance for nearly seven years. She is the proud mom of two boys, Nick and Calvin, who enjoy taekwondo and soccer.

**Sahmi Eacret (Sheta)**, a 2005 UPAC alumna, earned a Bachelor of Science in Art Education from Florida State University. She currently supports Seminole County schools as a program assistant in community involvement office, but most importantly, she is a wife and mom to her incredible family. She is a proud mom of two—Stella who is 8 years old, and Sawyer who is 7 years old. Stella takes gymnastics and Sawyer takes Karate but will soon be starting soccer.

**Savannah (Blass) Raulerson**, a 2005 UPAC alumna, earned a Bachelor of Science in Advertising/Public Relations and a minor in Dance from the University of Central Florida. She currently is the Competition Director and teacher here at UPAC and has owned a small costume business, Savy Stagewear, for 13 years. Her favorite job is being a wife and a mom to her two daughters, Carson (6) and Blake (3). She is so grateful that she can carry her love and passion for dance to all of her students and daughters.

**Morgan (Stines) Barr**, a 2006 UPAC alumna, earned a Bachelor of Science from University of California San Diego, where she then later earned her Doctorate of Medicine from University of Central Florida. She is currently an OB/GYN. She is the proud mom of three—Ellie who is 8, Owen who is 8, and Everett who is 11. Ellie is currently dancing at UPAC.

**Emily (Brown) Monterroso**, a 2010 UPAC alumna, earned degrees from the University of Florida and Ball State University, including a master's in Special Education with an emphasis in Applied Behavior Analysis. She is a Board Certified Behavior Analyst working with children and young adults with autism and currently lives in St. Augustine with her husband and their three fur babies.

**Becca Leeper Woodward**, a 2010 UPAC alumna, earned her degree in Finance from the University of Florida. She currently works in corporate finance at FedEx and is the proud mom of her 2.5-year-old daughter, Lauren, who loves watching ballet videos.

**Mary Allison Lambert**, a 2013 UPAC alumna, earned her degree in Social Work from Florida State University.

**Allison Terry**, a 2013 UPAC alumna, earned her degree in Communication from Florida State University. She is currently a social media analyst at Darden Restaurants.

**Lexi Ventura**, a 2014 UPAC alumna, earned her Bachelor's degree in Psychology from UCF. She is currently a devoted mom to her one-year-old son, Bryson.

**Jasmin Hopp Flores**, a 2015 UPAC alumna, holds a bachelor's degree in Dance with a Teaching Specialization and a master's in Early Education from Dean College. She is currently teaching and recently welcomed her baby girl, Arabella, in March.

**Jordan Summerfield**, a 2015 UPAC alumna, attend University of Central Florida and University of St. Augustine for Health Sciences and earned her Master's in Occupational Therapy.

**Fabiana Delgado Tapia**, a 2016 UPAC alumna, earned her AA degree from Seminole State. We are so proud to have her as our fabulous hip-hop teacher and she coaches for Always in Motion. She is the proud mom of her sweet 13-month-old son, Carmello.

**Brittney Rowland Hester**, a 2017 UPAC alumna. She has danced professionally for Universal Orlando, as well as various production companies in the area. Along with her professional work, she has taught and choreographed at various studios across the country as a Master Dance Teacher. She has currently taught for us for 10 years. She is a proud mom to her 2 year old son Jesse, and is getting ready to welcome another bundle of joy to her family.

**Heather (Jones) Arroyo**, a 2018 UPAC alumna, earned her degree in Dance and Kinesiology from the University of Alabama. She currently teaches dance in New Smyrna Beach and works as a personal trainer.

**Faith Hammack**, a 2021 UPAC alumna and University of Florida Class of 2025 graduate, earned her Bachelor of Science in Public Relations. She works in the transportation industry at Quest Corporation of America, where she supports marketing, communications, and public outreach for major clients, including the Central Florida Expressway Authority and the Florida Department of Transportation.

**Ashley Walesh**, a 2021 UPAC alumna, earned her Bachelor of Science in Psychology from Florida Atlantic University. She is currently pursuing her master's in Clinical Mental Health Counseling at Nova Southeastern University.

**Lauren Bowlin**, a 2022 UPAC alumna, pursuing her Health Science Degree at University of Central Florida. She currently works at UPAC in the office and works as a tech in the hospital gaining patient care experience to further her studies into the medical career.

**Victoria Trautwein**, a 2023 UPAC alumna, earned her Bachelor of Science in Nursing as well as a Dance Minor at University of Central Florida. She is currently a registered neonatal intensive care unit nurse. She has recently had the opportunity to perform in a few of the Universal Studios parades and shows.

**Jennifer Hartzler**, a UPAC alumna, earned her Bachelor of Science in Economics from UCF and her Juris Doctor in International Law from the University of Florida. She is now a business lawyer in New York City and runs her own general counsel practice.

**Kari (Freeman) Conelly**, a 2007 UPAC alumna, earned her Bachelor of Science in Nursing from UCF. She currently works as a pediatric critical care nurse and, alongside her husband, runs an inflatable rental business. She is the proud mom of 6-month-old Rya and is expecting another baby in July 2026.

**Andrea Limonta-Pendarvis**, a 2013 UPAC alumna, earned her associate degree from the University of Central Florida. She currently serves as an office manager at an Allstate office in Maitland. Andrea is happily married and a devoted dog mom to her 10-year-old pup. In her free time, she enjoys staying connected with her UPAC sisters through their book club.

**Eryn Hartdegen**, a 2021 UPAC alumna, earned her degree in Philosophy from Florida State University. She currently works in legal administration at a law firm and is in the process of applying to law school.

**Stacy Burchfield**, a 2003 UPAC alumna, earned a Master's degree in Digital Media from Wake Forest University and currently serves as a Creative and Brand Director for a corporate healthcare company.

**Ava Lin Nichols**, a 2025 UPAC alumna, is currently a freshman at Seminole State College. She currently works at dancewear corner as she is pursuing her degree in Kinesiology.

**Madison Sunderman**, a 2024 UPAC alumna, currently works as a medical scribe and will attend Florida State University in the fall to pursue a degree in nursing.

**Devynn Sunderman**, a 2021 UPAC alumna, earned a degree in Health Sciences from the University of Central Florida and will be attending physician assistant school in Fort Lauderdale.

**Alyssa-May Douglas**, a 2024 UPAC alumna, currently serves as an acro and jazz instructor at UPAC. She is pursuing pre-clinical health sciences at Seminole State College and plans to transfer to AdventHealth's sonography program.

**Zachary Christian** is an acro and hip-hop instructor at UPAC and is currently pursuing a degree in finance at the University of Central Florida.

**Patricia Dumey** is an instructor at UPAC, where she teaches preschool, jazz, tap, and ballet. She earned her undergraduate degree in Psychology and Organizational Communication from the University of Central Florida and also holds an MBA. In addition to her work in dance education, Patricia serves as a Program Manager at Stryker.

**Michelle Grumbles**, a 1996 UPAC alumna, earned a degree in Hospitality management from University of Central Florida. Currently she is a proud mom to Evelyn, who is takes Jazz from UPAC!

**Gabrielle Benton**, a 2024 UPAC alumna, is currently in school for nursing at Seminole State college and is an assistant dance teacher.

**Janice Stern** is a retired acrobatics instructor with UPAC. She is a devoted mother of two daughters and a proud grandmother of two grandsons. Janice currently serves as a Board Member and Field Director for the Miss Florida Scholarship Program, a state affiliate of the Miss America Organization.

**Emily Stern**, a 2014 UPAC alumna, holds a Bachelor of Science in Engineering from Florida State University and currently works as a mechanical engineer specializing in space design.

**Marybeth Watson**, a 2009 UPAC alumna, attended Seminole State College and is currently working as a nanny and in the Direct Sales/ecommerce space.

**Sarahanne Frances Watson Taylor**, a 1999 UPAC Alumna, attended Palm beach Atlantic University to study Theatre Arts & Dance. Currently she is blessed to be mom to two amazing children, Jeremiah & Bella. Bella is currently dancing in her 9<sup>th</sup> recital with UPAC and Jeremiah is a theater kid who is also performing this weekend at his school play. Sarahanne knows their dad will be peeking through the clouds from heaven cheering them on as always.

**Leanna Higgins** Carroll is a 2015 UPAC alumna who earned her master's degree in Speech-Language Pathology from Valdosta State University. She currently works as a speech therapist in a nursing home setting, where she is dedicated to supporting patient communication and quality of life. Leanna is also the proud mother of her son, Angelo.

**Areianna Castro** is a 2011 UPAC alumna. She currently serves as the Studio Manager for Puppies and Yoga and as the Banquet Manager at DoubleTree. She is also a proud mother to two children, Miles and Amaya.

**Nicholina Camilleri Wilson** is a 2005 UPAC alumna and a graduate of the University of Florida, where she earned a bachelor's degree in Public Relations as well as a master's degree and Ph.D. in Educational Leadership. She currently operates her own consulting business, partnering with organizations on transformational initiatives. She is also a proud stepmother to her stepdaughter, Jordan.

**Sara Weger** is a 2011 UPAC alumna who earned a degree in Hospitality Management from University of Central Florida. Currently she is working at Cooper Hawk to support going back to school for nursing.

**Camille Powers** is a 2018 UPAC alumna who earned a Bachelor of Science in Health and Behavior from the University of Florida.

**Megan Schutz** is a 2018 UPAC alumna who earned a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in the school of Dance. Currently she is a certified pilates instructor and professional dancer.

**Kerstyn Whitener** is a 2019 UPAC alumna who studied Chemistry at Florida State University. She currently serves as an Environmental Chemist for Hillsborough County, Florida.