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❖❖ indicates entries prior to 2010

# **EDUCATION**

1995		Ed.D. Department of Dance, Temple University, Philadelphia
		Dissertation: "Dancing at the Juncture of Being and Knowing: Sartrean Ontology,
		Embodiment, Gender and Dance." [Committee: Ferdun (Dance), M. Beardsley (Philosophy), J.
		Margolis (Philosophy) J. Immerwahr (Philosophy), S. Hilsendager (Dance)]
		Recipient: Teaching Associate position
1972		M.Ed. Department of Dance, Temple University, Philadelphia
		Choreographic Thesis Project: Landscape with the Fall of Icarus
		Recipient: Graduate Assistantship position
1971		B.A. Department of Dance, Adelphi University, Garden City
		Magna cum laude, Dean's List, Departmental Honors
2003	Liz Lerr	man's Critical Response training, Dance Exchange, Takoma Park, MD
1975	Dance	CriticismJack Anderson, Robert Pierce, Kathy Duncan (semester course, New School for
	Social I	Research, NYC)
1974	Dance	CriticismDeborah Jowitt, Marcia Siegel (eight week intensive, NYC)
1973	Aesthe	tics—(semester course at New School for Social Research, NYC)
1973	Dance	AestheticsSelma Jean Cohen (six week intensive, NYC)
PRINC	IPLE DAN	ICE TECHNIQUE AND PERFORMANCE TRAINING
2010-		Gaga: Idan Porges, Modern Dance: Becky Malcolm-Naib, Eun Jung Choi, K.C. Chun Manning,
		Scott McPheeters, Rhonda Moore and ongoing master classes/workshops with visiting artists
Prior t	o 2010	Intensive study with: Hellmut Gottschild, Karen Bamonte, Eva Gholson, Pat Thomas, Joanne
		Jansen, Ruth Andrien, Cunningham studio (2 years, including weekly classes with Merce
		Cunningham), Alvin Ailey Studio, Dan Wagoner, Sandra Neels, Debora Chase, Charles
		Weidman, Carolyn Adams, Bertram Ross, Jeanette Lauret (Ballets Russes)
2005-2	2014	Pilates and Yogalates: Nichole Canuso, Michelle Stortz

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1998-1999 Yoga: Sally Hess

1988-1989 Pilates: Adam Battlestein, Karen Carlson

Temple University: Modern, Ballet, Contact Improvisation: Hellmut Gottschild, Eva Gholson, 1975-78 &

1971-72 Les Ditson, Ann Vachon, John Gamble, Roy Tobias

1967-71 Adelphi University: Modern, Ballet, African, Character Technique and Ensembles: Dan

Wagoner, Phyllis Lamhut, Don Redlich, Jean Cesbron, Sharon Kinney, Clive Thompson, Gene

MacDonald, Jack Moore, Nancy Topf, Natanya Neumann, Sophie Maslow, Annaliese Widman, Harry Bernstein, Bunty Kelly, Marie Adair, Celine Keller, Eva Anderson, Yurek

Lazowski

1959-67 Germantown Dance Theatre Philadelphia

Ballet: Jean Williams; weekly guest instructors (Pennsylvania Ballet)

#### **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

<b>BRYN MAWR</b>	COLLEGE	Brv	n Mawr	РΑ
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2018-	Full Professor in the Arts, Director of Dance
2003-2018	Associate Professor in the Arts, Director of Dance
1996-2002	Senior Lecturer in the Arts, Director of Dance, Associate Instructo

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1989-1995 Associate Lecturer in the Arts, Director of Dance, Associate Instructor in Physical Education

1985-1988 Lecturer in the Arts, Director of Dance, Associate Instructor in Physical Education

1984 Director of Dance, Arts Program (full-time appointment)

1979-83 Instructor in Dance, Physical Education (half-time appointment)

#### UNIVERSITY OF THE ARTS Philadelphia, PA

1990-1993	Adjunct lecturer Dance in Ai	merica (New Studies Center:	Winter Pillow/Jacob's Pillow)
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1982-1989 Adjunct lecturer -- Dance History; Dance and Culture

# TEMPLE UNIVERSITY Philadelphia, PA

1978-81 Ad	liunct lecturerBallet	. Modern Dance.	Dance for Phy	sical Education Maiors
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1975-78 Teaching Assistant --Ballet, Modern Dance

1971-72 Graduate Assistant --Ballet, Modern Dance, Principles of Children's Dance (undergraduate

and graduate levels)

# SUNY/Westchester Community College Valhalla, NY

1973-75 Director of Dance, Lecturer in Arts/Dance

#### UNIVERSITY OF BRIDGEPORT Bridgeport ,CT:

1973 Adjunct Instructor -- Modern Dance

#### OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL POSITIONS

1985-1991 Instructor - WISE (Windows into Science Enrichment) William Penn Foundation funded

program for regional high school students, Bryn Mawr College

Additional: creative movement workshops and modern dance classes for adults; courses in movement and games for the classroom for k-12 school teachers; independent consulting for pre-school and nursery school teacher organizations; movement for actors; advising high school independent projects; and numerous children's and adolescent programs including: nursery school, drug prevention, suburban and inner city day camps

# **ADMINISTRATIVE ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

# BRYN MAWR COLLEGE Bryn Mawr, PA

1984- Founder and Director of Dance Program - Full range of administrative responsibilities associated with creation, development, maintenance and enhancement of Dance Program including curriculum development, budget preparation and oversight, hiring and managing instructional and support personnel, grant consultation and writing, admissions/recruitment,

alumnae, etc.

2018(Spring) Chair of the Arts Program –General oversight and coordination of three independent constituent programs—Creative Writing, Dance, Theater; communication and coordination with Haverford instrumental and vocal music faculty; liaison with Arts Office and Performing

2005, Arts Series coordinators; chairs Arts faculty and special meetings; oversees search

2000-02, committees, institutional reports and standard program/departmental administrative tasks.

2002-04 Co-Director College Seminar Program – With the co-director: Oversight of both CSEM I (first year) and CSEM II (first and second year) programs including budget; chair CSEM faculty committee; identify and implement strategies to increase faculty involvement in the Program; interview and hire outside instructors; direct faculty development workshops; work with committee members on student placement (pre-computer); program advocacy with faculty and provost.

# TEMPLE UNIVERSITY Philadelphia, PA

1976-78 TA: Administrative Assistant to Chairperson

# SUNY/Westchester Community College Valhalla, NY

1973-75

Founder and Director of Dance Program - Full range of administrative responsibilities associated with creation, development, maintenance and enhancement of Dance Program including curriculum development, budget preparation, hiring and managing instructional personnel, arts liaison with physical education department, arts liaison with regional community, development and organization of regional dance festival, etc.

ADELPHI UNIVERSITY Garden City, NY

1971-74 Board of Trustees (sub-committees: Academic Affairs, Personnel)

# **INSTITUTIONAL AND EXTERNAL GRANTS, HONORS**

# FOR COLLEGE AND CURRICULAR PROGRAMS:

- 2017 Planning and application: Consortium for Faculty Diversity—for a doctoral fellow in dance and performance (Lela Aisha Jones)
- 2015 Site planning and coordinator: Schusterman Family Foundation/Israel Institute for semester-long guest artist residency with Israeli choreographer and Gaga specialist [with lead institution Swarthmore College]
- 2010 Lead partner, grant writer, coordinator of campus/community outreach: Pew Center for Arts and Heritage (PCAH) Dance Advance grant to Bryn Mawr College, "Khmer Arts" half-week residency and performance by Cambodian-based Khmer Arts Ensemble; conception, organization and oversight of a dozen related workshops, lectures, classes etc. in Philadelphia and at Bryn Mawr to engage and educate campus and regional communities about the emergence of cultural forms after the Cambodian genocide and to cultivate a cultural receptivity for Khmer classical arts including the work of regional Cambodian artists. (\$64,000)



- Planning, application, site coordinator: supported in part by Pew Center for Arts and Heritage (PCAH) Dance Advance, Artist Access Initiative of Painted Bride Art Center, Philadelphia Live Arts Festival/Philly Fringe support for "Siobbhan Davies Dance" two day campus residency; performances of In Plain Clothes at Bryn Mawr College and the Painted Bride Arts Center with regional 'hinge' speaker, Dr. Michelle Francl. Additional campus support from the Centers for Visual Culture and Science in Society.
- 2005 Lead partner, grant writer and co-coordinator: PCAH Dance Advance Project of Common Interest (PCI) grant to Bryn Mawr College "Placing Dance in New Communities" to revive the legacy of pioneer African-American choreographer Talley Beatty through the reconstruction, performance and stabilization within the repertory of premiere Philadelphia company, Philadanco, of his masterwork Southern Landscape (1947). Project included documentation of performance, rehearsals, and oral

history interviews, and extended, through a series of accompanying documented regional scholarly and performance events, the understanding of the importance of this work, its creator, the company, and of dance in general. [Media filed in Special Collections; Philadelphia Dance Collection at Temple University] (\$51,000)

- Institutional lead (Temple University, lead partner), consultant, co-coordinator, oral historian: PCAH Dance Advance PCI grant "The Reconstruction of Artistic Memory and Vision in Dance" to further document the unique situation of a trio of German Dance artists, schooled in both German expressionist and avant-garde dance, who immigrated to Philadelphia in the 1960s, each eventually differentiating themselves into dance artists and company directors with connected but distinct aesthetic perspectives. These three constituted the only nexus of dancers in the US, other than Hanya Holm, who represented a direct link to the movement principles and aesthetic of the German dancer and pioneer of modern dance forms, Mary Wigman. Project included documentation of performances and oral interviews of both the choreographers and other dance, music, and visual arts collaborators. [Media filed in Special Collections; Philadelphia Dance Collection at Temple University] (\$37,800)
- Institutional lead (Temple University, lead partner) consultant, co-coordinator, oral historian: PCAH Dance Advance PCI grant "The Art of Creating Primary Resources in Dance" to develop archival resources on two groupings of significant Philadelphia Dance artists: renowned hoofer (tap dancer) LaVaughn Robinson and his collaborator, Germaine Ingram, and the founders of Gruppe Motion, Hellmut Gottschild, Manfred Fischbeck and Brigitta Herrmann through recordings of oral histories and related performances or lecture-demonstrations [Media filed in Special Collections; Philadelphia Dance Collection at Temple University] (\$77,000)
- 2000 Planning and application: Mellon post-doctoral grant (with Feminist and Gender Studies)—for a twoyear post-doc fellow in Asian-American dance and performance (Dr. Yutian Wong)
- 1997 Tri-college Mellon grant for development and coordination (with Sharon Friedler Swarthmore College) of a tri-college faculty seminar entitled "Engaging Bodies: The Politics and Poetics of Corporeality"
- 1995 Planning and application: Lucy Martin Donnelly Women Writers Series Fund, dance historian and critic, Deborah Jowitt for a three day residency class visits, private sessions with student writers, public reading
- 1989 PA Council on the Arts/Artist in Education Grant (with Swarthmore) to bring a guest artist/choreographer to campus to set a work on students (\$800)

# FOR INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH AND PROJECTS:

- 2018 McPherson Fellow, Bryn Mawr College, awarded for excellence and service to the community
- 2017 Honoree, Performance Garage, Philadelphia for contributions to the Philadelphia dance community
- 2017 Bryn Mawr College/Mellon grant, "Promoting the Value of the Humanities" funding will be used as an applied research project to bridge the gap between academia and both choreographers and audiences (\$2700)
- 2012 Mellon Tri-College Creative Residency grant- "SCIENCE PER FORMS: The Collaborative Phase" to introduce students and public audiences to collaborations between performance artists and computer/engineering/robotics specialists: invited speaker panel: Marcel Williams Foster, Meredith Rainey, Jonah Bokaer, Dr. Mariana Ibanez, Georgia Guthrie; computer class demonstration; movement workshop; performance artist visit to an ESEM; supported student trip to final performances (\$3000)



2004 Bryn Mawr College Faculty Support Grant Bryn Mawr College to research dance materials chronicling

	1930s-1970s archived at Bryn Mawr to further document extent/ significance of dance at the college
2000	Bryn Mawr College Faculty Support Grant –Performance project: for a choreographer to set a solo
	work for performance (Karen Bamonte)
1996	Bryn Mawr College Rosalyn R. Schwartz Teaching Award
1992	Bryn Mawr College Faculty Support Grant choreographic project
1989	Performance in an Intimate Space Performance Grant, CEC Philadelphia
1989	Bryn Mawr College Faculty Support Grant choreographic project

# RESEARCH: PERFORMANCE, CHOREOGRAPHY, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

# PERFORMER:

# PROFESSIONAL—with INDEPENDENT CHOREOGRAPHERS

• 2017 THE QUIET CIRCUS: RIVER CHARETTE 3 (ad hoc performer)

Directors: David Brick, Martha McDonald, Andalusia Estate, Andalusia, PA

• 2014 ROSAS REMIX PROJECT

Choreography: from *Rosas danst Rosas* by Anne De Keersmaker: restaged by Anna Drozdowski, Rocky Dance Awards, Philadelphia Fringe Arts Theatre

• 2010 REHEARSAL DANCE

Choreography: Renee Banson, DIRTY DOZEN-The Field, Philadelphia Fringe Festival



• 2007 BEAUTYFOOLISH

Choreography: Renee Banson
-Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
• 2003 FROM THE HORSE'S MOUTH

Performance Structure: Tina Croll, James Cunningham; Solo performance and narrative sequences, Linda

Caruso Haviland

-Painted Bride Arts Center, Philadelphia

2002 LUNCH WITH TWO CHAIRS
 Choreographer: Renee Banson
 -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
 2001 DANCES FROM THE HILLS
 Choreographer: Karen Bamonte
 -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College

• 2000 ACROSS Director: Mark Lord

-Philadelphia Fringe Festival

#### PERFORMER:

# PROFESSIONAL -- COMPANY MEMBER

• 1988-96	Renee Banson/The Cast –company dancer [Artistic Director: Renee Banson] Performances in multiple Philadelphia venues including The Painted Bride, Conwell theatre, Spiel Uhr Series
• 1988	Sybil Dance Company (guest artist) [Artistic Director: Eva Gholson] Philadelphia
• 1977-85	Zero Moving Dance Company –company dancer [Artistic Directors: Hellmut Fricke-Gottschild,
1975-76	Karen Bamonte] Philadelphia and other major cities on the East coast from NYC
	through Washington, D.C. as well as college and university venues
• 1976-77	GREAT CHAZY DANCE COMPANY) –company dancer [ Artistic Director: Les Ditson]
	Philadelphia, NYC, and regional
• 1974-75	ALICE TEIRSTEIN AND DANCERS –company dancer [Artistic Director: Alice Teirstein] NYC

• 1973-74 VANAVER CARAVAN –company dancer [Artistic Directors: Billy Vanaver, Livia Drapkin] NYC and NY state

## **EARLIER PERFORMANCE**

- 1971-72 TEMPLE UNIVERSITY REPERTORY COMPANY
- 1967-71 ADELPHI UNIVERSITY DANCE WORKS
- 1960-67 GERMANTOWN DANCE THEATRE, Philadelphia, PA (Jean Williams)
- 1965-67 MUSIC THEATRE, Philadelphia PA (professional summer stock)

# CHOREOGRAPHER AND PERFORMER (Solo and Group):

#### **PROFESSIONAL**

- 2013 UNTITLED Improvisation with guitarist Jiyeon Kim -Spring Trilogy, Producer: Thirdbird
- -Christ Church Neighborhood House, Philadelphia

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- 2006 PARSONS ETUDE (staged and performed with Madeline Cantor from David Parsons Repertory Etudes Collection)
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 2005 BUFFALO 1942
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 2004 two Plums...in two short acts
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 2002 AN OLD SONG (choreographic contributions from Renee Banson, David Brick, Mady Cantor, Jess Honig , Yutian Wong)
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 2000 BUFFALO 1942
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- -First Picks from the Field series, Philadelphia
- 1999 REMNANT OF AN OLDER MEDITATION ON LOST AND FOUND...
- -Group Motion's Spiel Uhr Series Selected Artists for the Miami/Atlanta/Philadelphia FIELD exchange, Philadelphia
- 1999 PATHWAYS MEET (first section)
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 1998 REMNANT OF AN OLDER MEDITATION ON LOST AND FOUND...
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 1997 DIGGING OUT
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 1994 PATHWAYS MEET
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 1992 TRIO CROSSING
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College;
- -Independent Choreographer's Exchange Philadelphia;
- -Independent Choreographer's Exchange/Five at Bryn Mawr
- -Cold Feet...Hot Tracks series at the CEC Philadelphia
- 1988-91 CHAOTIC METAMORPHOSES

Consultant: Dr. Paul Rapp

- -Premiere: NATO International Conference on Non-Linear Dynamics and Chaos, Bryn Mawr College, 1988 Additional Performances:
- -Faculty Concert Dance Concert, Bryn Mawr College (excerpt) 1991
- -Dance and Technology Colloquium, Swarthmore College 1991

- -Independent Choreographers Exchange Out on a Limb series, CEC 1991
- -Smithsonian Institution Frontiers of Science and Art series 1990
- -Performance in an Intimate Space series, CEC Philadelphia 1990
- -Dickinson College 1990
- -NATURE, CBC Public Television, "Chaos and Art" (excerpt) 1990
- -Faculty Dance Concert, Bryn Mawr College (excerpt) 1988
- 1989 IN THE PUBLIC GARDENS
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College February
- 1988 LACKING SUBTLETY
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- -Conwell Dance Theatre/Temple University
- 1987. . . FIVE SMALL WET LEAVES GOLD IN AUTUMN SUNLIGHT STILL POINTS ON THE RED BRICK PATH . .
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 1986 LITTLE MAGGIE 1986,1979
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 1979 ...FIVE SMALL WET LEAVES GOLD IN AUTUMN SUNLIGHT STILL POINTS ON THE RED BRICK PATH ..
- -Conwell Dance Theatre/Temple University
- -Faculty Concert Bryn Mawr College
- 1979 LITTLE MAGGIE
- -Conwell Dance Theatre/Temple University
- 1978-79 ASPARAGUS FERN
- -Conwell Dance Theatre & Tomlinson Theatres, Temple University;
- -Painted Bride, Philadelphia;
- -Fordham University
- -Bryn Mawr College
- 1978 DANS MAEN
- -Conwell Dance Lab, Temple University
- 1978 STUDY IN PINK
- -Conwell Dance Lab, Temple University
- 1978 LANDSCAPE
- -Conwell Dance Lab, Temple University

# CO-ARTISTIC DIRECTOR, CHOREOGRAPHER, PERFORMER:

#### **PROFESSIONAL**

1976-79 DANCES/REPERTORY (with Martha Hansen and Louey Sanders)

-Philadelphia, New York, and regional venues

#### **CHOREOGRAPHY FOR STUDENTS:**

BRYN MAWR COLLEGE (Bryn Mawr and Haverford students)

- 2016 ON AN OVERGROWN PATH. . . of old memories (reconstruction/new choreography)
- 2012 not through the slightest partition shut out. . .
- 2010 LIMINAL STATES

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- 2007 AT THE EDGE OF TIME
- 2006 PARSONS ETUDE (Staging: based on dances by David Parsons, Repertory Etudes Collection)
- 2005 LANDSCAPE WITH THE FALL OF ICARUS
- 2000 TRAVELOGUE

- 1999 PATHWAYS MEET (reconstruction/new choreography)
- 1997 DAY IS DONE
- 1996 LITTLE MAGGIE (new choreography)
- 1995 ALL IN A DAY'S WORK
- 1994 PATHWAYS MEET
- 1993 DISPATCH
- 1992 LACKING SUBTLETY II
- 1988 AN ESSAY/IN PRAISE OF WOMEN'S BODIES
- 1987 LANDSCAPE WITH THE FALL OF ICARUS
- 1986 JOURNEYS
- 1985 IRLANDAISE; TONE PATHS
- 1984 GLOBULAR CLUSTERS
- 1983 ...BY ANY OTHER NAME
- 1982 COMPLECT
- 1981 WALKING TRIO
- 1981 PROLEGOMENA TO A NEW THEORY OF CHAIRS OR THIS IS THE WAY THE WORLD
- 1980 WORKING DANCE
- 1979 STOLEN FROM MYSELF

### FOR BI-COLLEGE THEATER PRODUCTIONS

- 1993 Incidental choreography for The Green Bird
- 1991 Children's dance in *Buster Keaton's Trip* [Mark Lord, Director]
- 1989 Dramaturg for and incidental choreography for Listen to Me [Mark Lord, Director]
- 1987 Choreography for *Three Penny Opera* [Mark Lord, Director]
- 1985 Choreography for *Three Penny Opera* [Susan Malouf Director]

# FOR WESTCHESTER COMMUNITY COLLEGE, NY:

BALLOONMAN (1972) WALKING DANCE (1972) CHILDREN'S GAMES (1973) JEAN'S DANCE (1973) Additional: Choreography for Theatre Department musicals.

## **COMMUNITY GROUPS:**

1990 Swarthmore Adult Softball Team

1975-76 First Congregational Church of Stamford CT, Youth Group

# **PUBLICATIONS**

# **BOOKS**

2018 The Sentient Archive: Bodies, Performance and Memory, Co-conceptualized, solicited

manuscripts, co-edited and contributed a chapter and section introductions to a collection of

essays on archive, body and dance. Wesleyan University Press, June, 2018

# **BOOK CHAPTERS**

1997 Chapter, "Women in Dance in Higher Education" <u>Dancing Female: Lives and Issues of Women</u>

<u>in Contemporary Dance</u> eds. Sharon Friedler, Susan Glazer; Gordon and Breach ltd. London

1990 Chapter (short description of dancework), "Description of, context and program for the

performance piece Chaotic Metamorphosis"- published in Measures of Complexity and Chaos

eds. Abraham N.B. Albano A.M. Passamanto T. Rapp P.E.Plenum: New York

ESSAY	S, REVIEWS, COMMENTARY, CONFERENCE PAPERS:
2017	"Sowing the Seeds of Contemporary American Ballet: Immigrant Artists and Their
	Pedagogies", Review of Jessica Zeller, Shapes of American Ballet, Dance Chronicle, 40:2, 238-
	242, 2017
2013	Essays commissioned as part of The Pew Center for Arts & Heritage website, Questions of
	Practice: Restaging and Reconstruction:
	<ul><li>"Every Copy an Original: William Forsythe on Restaging His Ballet"</li></ul>
	http://www.pcah.us/posts/4_every_copy_an_original_william_forsythe_on_restaging_his_ballets
	<ul><li>"Re-Substantiating the Dance: William Forsythe's Synchronous Objects"</li></ul>
	http://www.pcah.us/posts/11_re_substantiating_the_dance_william_forsythes_synchronous_objects
	• "Repetition Island"
	http://www.pcah.us/posts/46_repetition_island
2013	"A Perfect Fit: William Forsythe and the Pennsylvania Ballet" essay for Pennsylvania Ballet
	Showcase program distributed at the Academy of Music performances, Philadelphia (five
2012	performances)
2012	""Good looks, good health and a knowledge of dancing': Training the stage dancer in
	Philadelphia in the early 1900s" Proceedings [of the] Society of Dance History Scholars:  Dance and the Social City, publ. Society of Dance History Scholars, 2012
2012	"Dancing Forsythe's Dances: from outside in and inside out" web essay, analysis, commentary
2012	and interviews focusing on the Pennsylvania Ballet's restaging of William Forsythe's work,
	Artifact Suite
2012	Long form essays: commissioned for <u>Susan Foster! Susan! Foster! Three Performed Lectures:</u>
	Danceworkbook produced by The Pew Center for Arts & Heritage accessible at
	http://danceworkbook.pcah.us/susan-foster/
	"Overview"
	"Reflections on 'The Ballerina's Phallic Pointe'"
	"Reflections on 'Choreographies of Writing'"
	"Reflections on 'Kinesthetic Empathies & the Politics of Compassion'"
	"Conclusion"
2011	Contextualizing essay and "fact sheet" for MIRO Dance Theatre's production of <i>Punch</i> ,
	Philadelphia Festival of the Arts
2011	"Making Sense with Jens Hoffman" invited short essay for the Pew Center for Arts and
	Heritage, Philadelphia Exhibitions Initiative
	<b>♦</b>
2008	"Politics and Ambiguity in the Works of José Limón" The Limon Centennial Collection. José
	Limón Dance Foundation, NY, 2008
2006	"Digging up the past: Some thoughts about preserving or reconstructing dance works"
	Pew Center for Arts & Heritage, accessible at (http://www.pcah.us/post/documents-digging-
	past-some-thoughts-about-preserving-or-reconstructing-dance-works)
1992	"Turning the Corners: a History of Dance at Bryn Mawr" Bryn Mawr Alumnae Bulletin
1999	"Report: Congress on Research and Dance/Keynote panel "Dance Research Journal 31/2,
	Fall, 1999
1980	Review: "Modes of meaning in Western Theatre Dance" (Conference), Temple University,
	<u>Dance Dialogue</u> , Summer, 1980

# WORKS-IN-PROGRESS:

(working title) "A Foot in Each Century: Training the Dancer in Philadelphia—late 1880s through the 1930s" (research completed, draft stage)
 (working title) "Technologies of Memory in the Work of John Weaver, Susan Foster and William Forsythe" (research completed, draft stage)

#### **ORAL HISTORY PROJECTS**

- 2005 <u>"Placing Dance in New Communities"</u> –Four month project, 12-15 taped hours total, 4 hours interview -Media filed in Special Collections; Philadelphia Dance Collection at Temple University
- 2004 "The Reconstruction of Artistic Memory and Vision in Dance" Four month project, 12-15 taped hours total, 5 hours interview -Media filed in Special Collections; Philadelphia Dance Collection at Temple University
- 2003 "The Art of Creating Primary Resources in Dance" Four month project, 8-10 taped hours total, 2 hours interview -Media filed in Special Collections; Philadelphia Dance Collection at Temple University

#### MANUSCRIPT REVIEW

- 2013 Peer Reviewer, essay Dance Chronicle
- 2011 Peer Reviewer, essay Dance Chronicle
- 2010 Book Manuscript review at the invitation of University Press of Florida

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- 2008 Peer Reviewer, essay Dance Chronicle
- 2007 Peer Reviewer, essay Journal of Research Practice (Web)
- Book Manuscript review, <u>Sparks of Genius: The Thirteen Thinking Tools of the World's Most Creative People</u>, R & M Root-Bernstein (author invite)
- 1997 Book Manuscript review at the invitation of Wesleyan Press

#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES IN THE FIELD

# CONFERENCE, SYMPOSIUM OR LECTURE – PLANNING, COORDINATOR, MODERATOR:

- 2018 Introductory lecture, panel moderator, Pennsylvania Ballet International Styles of Classical Ballet
- 2015 Plan, coordinate, and moderate panel, Pennsylvania Ballet *William Forsythe: What now? What next?* 
  - Participants: William Forsythe, Stephanie Arndt, Arts Bank, Philadelphia
- 2013 Plan, coordinate, and moderate an international panel, Pennsylvania Ballet –*Fold, Collapse and Shift: Ballet and Beyond in the Choreography of William Forsythe.* Participants: William Forsythe, Dr. Freya Vass-Rhee, Jennifer Homans, Arts Bank, Philadelphia
- 2012 Plan, coordinate and moderate panel, Bryn Mawr Performing Arts series Fort Blossom Revisited (2000-2012)- The Contemporary Performance of Sex, Gender and Embodiment. Participants: Dr. Ann Cooper Albright, Dr. Mark Broomfield, Gregory Holt, John Jasperse, RoseAnne Spradlin
- 2012 Symposium coordinator and moderator –*Science per Forms*, Bryn Mawr College, Participants: Georgia Guthrie, Meredith Rainey, Dr. Mariana Ibanez, and Jonah Bokaer.
- 2012 Panel moderator –Body Politics in Arts and Culture Today, Philadelphia Live Arts Festival.

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2004 Co-coordinator and facilitator – *The 2nd Annual Philadelphia Dance Heritage Symposium*, Temple University

- 2003 Panel coordinator/moderator/commentator *The Art of Creating Primary Resources in Dance*, Temple University
- 2003 Co-coordinator and presenter Dancing in the Stacks: Philadelphia Dance Heritage Symposium, Temple University
- 2002 Organizing committee and adjudicator "GENDER PROJECT: PHILADELPHIA" and accompanying performance project "Women Hitting the Wall" CEC, Philadelphia
- 2000 Site planning and coordination Regional Contact Improvisation Festival, Bryn Mawr College
- 2000 Planning Committee, Speaker Philadelphia Dance Archive Project Forum, Temple University, Philadelphia
- 1999 Lecture Organizational Committee, Research Topics Consultant, Panel Coordinator "The Philadelphia Papers, part 1" 2000 Feet: Celebration of World Dance Conference, Philadelphia
- 1999 Panel coordinator and moderator "The Philadelphia Papers, part 2" 2000 Feet: Celebration of World Dance Conference, Philadelphia
- 1999 Panel coordinator and moderator "The Philadelphia Story: Examining One City's Dance Culture"

  Dance Critics Association Conference, Philadelphia
- 1998 Co-Coordinator (with Swarthmore College) "Engaging bodies: The politics and poetics of corporeality" tri-college faculty seminar and workshops led by Dr. Ann Cooper Albright
- 1996 Conceive and Coordinate Lecture and workshop series —"Women Writing Dancing"
  Invited speakers and performers: critic and historian, Sally Banes; critic and historian, Ann Cooper
  Albright; choreographer, Melanie Stewart; Poet and MacArthur fellow, Eleanor Wilner
- 1993- Conceive and Co-coordinate (with Swarthmore College) series of lectures and performances –
- "Sites of Gender: Women Embodied in Dance and Culture" Invited speakers and performers: (Swarthmore) Dr. Sue Ellen Case, Dr. Susan Foster, (Bryn Mawr)Dr. Kariamu Welsh-Asante, and Dr. Ananya Chatterjee
- 1991- Coordinating Committee Independent Choreographers Exchange, Philadelphia 1993
- 1990 Conceive and Coordinate Dance Perspective Series... Lectures "Isadora Duncan; Art Embracing Life" (Dr. Alice Bloch), "A dance of Power: Flamenco" (Dr. Meira Weinzweig), Master class in Character Dance (Andrew Pap)
- 1980 Conference, Assistant Coordinator *Modes of Meaning in Western Theatre Dance*, Temple University Departments of Dance and Philosophy [Dr. Maxine Sheets-Johnstone]
- 1979 Conference, Assistant Coordinator, brochure design— *Illuminating Dance*: Congress on Research in Dance (CORD) [Dr. Maxine Sheets-Johnstone]

#### PANEL PRESENTATIONS, LECTURES, OR COMMENTARY:

- 2015 "Ballet and the Visual Arts" Pennsylvania Ballet, Locks Gallery, Philadelphia
- 2012 "'. . . .good looks good health and a knowledge of dancing': Training the stage dancer in early 1900s Philadelphia" Society of Dance History Scholars Conference
- 2012 "What's to Archive . . .Or Are All Dances Disposable?" Temple University Dance Reflection: Response series
- 2012 "Theoretical and applied perspectives on retrieving dances. . .or not" Choreography/ Research charrette #2 Pew Center for Arts & Heritage (PCAH) Dance Advance
- 2012 "The Dancing Body as Archive: re-membering the past." History and Dance Working Group [artists, archivists, librarians, historians, Pew Center for Arts and Heritage program directors]/Pew Center for Arts and Heritage, Rosenbach Museum, Philadelphia
- 2011 "Reconstituting Dance. . . Weaver, Foster, Forsythe." Choreography/Research charrette #1. PCAH Dance Advance

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- 2008 "Politics and Ambiguity in the works of Jose Limon." Philadelphia Dance Conference Limon Centennial Celebration, Drexel University
- 2006 "Digging Up the Past: Some Thoughts On Preserving or Reconstructing Dance Works." Conference:
  Age and Passion: the Reconstruction of Mary Anthony's Women of Troy DanceFusion/Drexel
  University
- 1997 Roundtable member Doctoral studies in Dance, Temple University, Philadelphia
- 1992 Respondent "Chaos Theory and the Body-in-Movement" NYU Performance Studies Colloquium Series
- 1989 "Women as Artistic Directors and Administrators." American Dance Guild conference, Philadelphia
- 1988 "Dance Education: Issues and concerns for the Year 2000." Philadelphia Dance Alliance
- 1979 "Research Problems in Aesthetics and Dance History" Western Dance History Conference, Barnard
- 1976 Panelist "Dance at the College and University Level" Northeastern Association of Regional Ballet

## **TENURE OR PROMOTION REVIEW:**

- 2015 Tenure Review, Dance Department, Franklin and Marshall University
- 2011 Outside Peer performance review for tenure, Franklin & Marshall University



2004 Outside Peer performance review (two dance faculty), Bucknell University

#### EXTERNAL DEPARTMENTAL OR PROGRAM REVIEW:

2012 Visiting team member, Departmental Review, Dance Department, DeSales University



2003 Dance Education-Evaluator, pilot project in establishing Evaluation guidelines for Dance Accreditation, Temple University College of Education

#### PROFESSIONAL DANCE REVIEW:

- 2007 Selection panelist, CEC/New Edge Residency and the New Edge Mix programs, Philadelphia
- 1999 Choreographic reviewer and respondent, FIELD/work choreography workshop, Philadelphia
- 1998 Choreographic reviewer and respondent, FIELD/work choreography workshop, Philadelphia
- 1990- Independent Choreographers Exchange (ICE) Artistic Review committee

1993

## **BOARD/COMMITTEE MEMBER:**

2005-2015	Dance /UP(Dance USA/Philadelphia-dance support and advocacy group), founding committee member, search committee for director, committee member
2008-2014	Regional University Dance Chairs
2006-2014	Regional Oniversity Dance Chairs
2008- 2014	Dance USA/Philadelphia – Taskforce: status of Philadelphia Dance Collection at Temple
	University
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2003-2007	Philadelphia Dance Collection at Temple University organizational committee
2004-2005	Dance Coalition of Philadelphia organizational committee
2003-2006	Philadelphia Dance Heritage Consortium exploratory committee and Co-coordinator and
	organizational committee for the Philadelphia Regional Dance Heritage Network Philadelphia

2000-2003	Philadelphia Dance Archives Project organizational committee
1990-1993	Independent Choreographers Exchange (ICE) Coordinating and Publicity committees
1973-1975	NY State Dance Association founding organizational member

# **APPLIED RESEARCH IN THE FIELD (selected)**

2015	Interview, "Put It Into Words: Programs with strong dance-writing courses," <u>Dance Magazine</u> , June,
	2015, pp 56-57

- 2014 Speaker, "Tribute: Hellmut Fricke-Gottschild" *Dance with the Bride Anniversary Celebration*, Painted Bride, Philadelphia
- 2013 Consultant and discussant, *OF CROSSING/colonial.gender.species/BORDERS: Thoughts, Responses, & Riffs on a Jane Goodall drag-parody,* with Dunstan Matungwa, Department of Sociology, University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania; project director and performer, Marcel Williams Foster
- Talk-back deviser and moderator, "The whole time in the meanwhile" Choreographer, Meg Foley, Christ Church Neighborhood House Theater, Philadelphia
- 2013 Consultant, NEH grant application: Philadelphia Dance Projects' Local Dance History project
- 2013 Discussion deviser and moderator, Mascher's INFLUX Choreographers Series with two Philadelphia choreographers (Megan Bridge, Lora Allen) and two NYC choreographers from Center for Performance Research (Jenn McGinn, Elisabeth Motley), Fidget Space, Philadelphia
- 2012 Consultant, Grant application, Pennsylvania Ballet's reconstruction of the William Forsythe work Artifact Suite
- 2012 Pre-performance lecture, Pennsylvania Ballet premier of *Peter Pan, "Peter Pan: McIntyre, Barrie, and Elgar"* Philadelphia
- 2011 Rehearsal respondent, MIRO Dance Theatre's production of *Punch*, Philadelphia Fringe Festival of the Arts, Philadelphia
- 2011 Contextualization and introduction delivered prior to each of three public 'Performed Lectures' by Dr. Susan Leigh Foster, Philadelphia Live Arts and Pew Center for Arts & Heritage(PCAH), Philadelphia
- 2011 Consultant, MIRO Dance Theatre. T(hink) T(ank) G(roup) development of a summer cross-platform training program in Berlin
- 2010 Consultant, Grant application: SCRAPpapers Digital Archive
- 2010 Consultant, Grant application: Amanda Miller/Miro Dance Theatre

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- 2009 College/Institutional representative, Pew Center for Arts and Heritage (PCAH) Dance Advance professional development trip to Cincinnati and Columbus, Ohio and St. Louis to view installations/exhibitions by William Forsythe, Anri Sala, Tadao Ando and interview Ann Hamilton
- 2009 College/Institutional representative, PCAH Dance Advance sponsored trip to research archival and presenter practices and to view work: Victoria and Albert Museum London; Dansmuseet and Dansens Hus Stockholm; Hellerau Dresden
- 2006 College/Institutional representative, Dance Advance sponsored trip to research educational/presenter organizations and to view work, Dance City National Dance Agency for North of England, Newcastle, England
- 2006 Planning group, Headlong Performance Institute
- 2003 Interview, "Ladies of the Dance", Main Line Today
- 2002 Consultant, Oral History Project: workshop with Jeff Friedman, founder and director of San Francisco's LEGACY Project
- 1995- Consultant, Life and Work of José Limón: Film Project, Director, Ann Vachon

1999

1998 Workshop leader, "Creative Leadership: Women in the Arts." Women's Institute for Leadership Conference Bryn Mawr

1996 Consultant, Pennsylvania Ballet, Teacher's Handbook for Romeo and Juliet

# **ADDITIONAL WRITING**

"Jean Williams: Memorial and Tribute" <a href="Philadelphia Dance Alliance Newsletter">Philadelphia Dance Alliance Newsletter</a>
 "Profiles: Dance at Bryn Mawr College" <a href="Philadelphia Dance Alliance Newsletter">Philadelphia Dance Alliance Newsletter</a>

# **CROSS-INSTITUTIONAL**

2006 "Space in Art" forum for Public Space/Public Life course Annenberg School for Communication, University of Pennsylvania

2005 Joint project with Montgomery County Community College –Meredith Monk

2004 Joint project with Montgomery County Community College –Kim Bears, Urban Bushwomen's *Walking* with Pearl project

## **TEACHING AND RELATED RESPONSIBILITIES**

# COURSES TAUGHT (BRYN MAWR)

DANCE:

PE B101 Ballet: Beginning Technique
PE B102 Ballet: Intermediate Technique
PE B103 Ballet: Advanced Technique
PE B105 Modern: Beginning Technique

ARTDB 136- Intro to Dance Techniques I & II: Lectures and written assignments—all sections; instructor —

139 ballet sections

ARTD B140 Approaches to Dance: Themes and Perspectives

ARTD B142 Dance Composition I

ARTD B230/ Modern: Intermediate Technique

PE B106

ARTD B240 Dance History I: Roots of Western Theater Dance (not offered 2016-17)

ARTD B241 Dance History II: A History of Contemporary Western Theater Dance (not offered 2016-17)

ARTD B242 Dance Composition II

ARTD B250 Performing the Political Body
ARTD B330/ Modern: Advanced Technique

**PE B107** 

ARTD B342 Advanced Choreography
ARTD B345/ Dance Ensemble: Modern

**PEB 145** 

ARTD B403/ Supervised Work

PEB 197

ARTD B390 Senior Project/Thesis in the Major – See below

# **COLLEGE and EMILY BALCH SEMINARS:**

2006- Performance and Self

2000-2004 & Dance of the Spheres: The Interplay of Science and Art

1997-1998

1999 Body, Text, Place: The Sites of Cultural Memory

## THESIS ADVISOR:

Advised nineteen written or choreographic theses
 Since 2010:
 Sarah Cunningham (choreographic thesis project with viol and media)
 Amancay Candal Tribe (HC, choreographic thesis project)
 Christopher Flores (HC, choreographic thesis project) Sarah Jordan (choreographic thesis project)
 Miranda Liu (choreographic thesis project)

# SECOND READER, EXTERNAL EXAMINER: HAVERFORD, BRYN MAWR, SWARTHMORE COLLEGES

2017 Tram Ngoc Nguyen (Comparative Literature)

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LaTika Young External Examiner, Dance Research, Swarthmore College Honors Program)
 Rachel Zanders Haverford College (Comparative Literature) honors
 Emily Harney Bryn Mawr College (Philosophy) honors
 Sarah Miller Haverford College (Philosophy) Philosophy prize

# **DISSERTATION COMMITTEES:**

Laura Katz Rizzo, Temple University (2nd reader, Ph.D)
 Ariel Weiss, Wesleyan University (Director, Master's Thesis)
 Kent DeSpain, Temple University (Committee and reader, Ed.D.)
 Anaya Chatterjea, Temple University (2<sup>nd</sup> reader, Ed.D.)

## STUDENT ADVISING

1979- Program advising
 2006- Bryn Mawr College, First year student advising
 1993-2000 OWLS (1st year student mentoring)
 1992-2007 Pluralism/Diversity workshops for incoming students
 1995 NCBI workshops for campus community

#### **COLLEGE SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES**

<u>COMMITTEES, TASK FORCE AND WORKING GROUPS:</u> *Committees of the first kind; **Committees of the	
	second kind
2016	Search committee, Creative Writing, tenure line
2015	Mentorship panel, Community Day of Learning
2015-16	Provost's Themed Programming Group
2015	Search committee (chair), Creative Writing tenure line
2014	Search committee, Chief Enrollment Officer
2014	Search committee, Theater, tenure line
2012	Search committee, Theater, tenure line
2008-2011	Curricular Renewal Faculty Work Group (Convened by CAP and the Curriculum Committee)
2010-2011	Work Group on Advising, Mentorship and Career Guidance
2005-2011	Marshal for College events, Assistant Grand Marshal, and six years as Grand Marshal for
	commencement
2010	Working Group on Masters Programs at Bryn Mawr



2009	Search committee, Diversity Liaison, Classics
2008	Civic Matters Focus Group
2006	Chairs Initiative workshop session leader
2005-2008	President's Diversity Council
2005-2008	Katharine Houghton Hepburn Center Steering Committee, Planning Committee
2000-2008	Body Image Council
2007	Advisory Group to Chair of the General Faculty
2004-2007*	Committee on the Undergraduate Curriculum
2004-2007	Taskforce on Writing at Bryn Mawr
2006	Search committee, Diversity Liaison, English
2006	Search committee, Diversity Liaison, Geology
1998 – 2006	College Seminars Steering Committee
2006	Chairs Initiative workshop session leader
2005-2006*	Committee on Appointments
1986-2006	Faculty Committee (various instantiations) on Feminism and Gender Studies
2001-2004**	Committee on Faculty Welfare
2000-2002	Student Retention Committee (Mellon)
2000-2002	Gallery Committee
1997-2000*	Committee on Undergraduate Admissions
1998-2000**	Committee on Libraries Information Services and Computing
1995-1996	Search committee, Director of Computing
1993-1994	Task force on 'Bryn Mawr as a Community'
1986-	Numerous events, panel, or presentations for Admissions, Alumnae, Conference and Events,
	Resources, Deans' Office, President's Office, etc.

#### **INTERDISCIPLINARY**

## TRI-COLLEGE DEPARTMENTAL

1986-1989 Faculty Seminars on Culture and Technology

Additional: Invited speaker or workshop leader (selected): CSEM new faculty orientations; Anthropology of Dance; Feminist and Gender studies core course; Mathematic Department summer seminars for teachers; Haverford Physics Department

# PLANNING, COORDINATION, FACILITATION: ON CAMPUS CO-CURRICULAR CLASSES, LECTURES, PERFORMANCES

# 1986-

- Planning and oversight for over two dozen guest lectures, dance artist residencies, panels, campus performances by artist and scholars including Padmashri Darshana, Tamagawa Taiko Drum and Dance, Hellmut Gottschild, Brenda Dixon Gottschild, Eliza Miller, Ronald K. Brown, Lisa Race, Deborah Hay, Anne Papoulis, David Dorfman, Karen Bamonte and Dancers, Rebecca Kelly, Akira Matsui, Clay Taliaferro and Ellen Kogan, Steve Krieckhaus, Glastnost Ballet (in conjunction with the Russian Department and Haverford College), Eva Gholson, Nina Weiner, Ann Cooper Albright, Dr. JIn-Wen-You
- Planning and oversight for over three dozen master classes (beyond those sponsored by the Performing Arts Series) with artists including Leslie Carothers, William DeGregory, David Appel, Deborah Chase, Ron Wood, Tony Rizzi
- 1996- May Day Dance: Leah Stein and Toshi Makihara (in-site improvisation); Nia Eubanks
- 2012 Dixon; Jeannine Osayande (African dance participatory performance with drummers)

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- 2002- Arts Coffee Houses, Arts 'Soirees', One Night Stands—Free standing events and for annual Parent's
- 2008 Weekend and Admissions events

# PLANNING, APPLICATION, or ASSISTANCE: COLLEGE-FUNDED INVITED GUEST LECTURES (1902 fund, Visual culture, Flexner lectures, etc.)

- 2017 Faculty seminar facilitator: 2017 Flexner Lectures Dr. Bonnie Honig, "Theaters of Refusal"
- Dr. Mark Franko, Dance Scholar, ""Can We Inhabit a Dance? Reflections on Dancing the 'Bauhaus Dances' in Dessau"



- Joan Frosch Film Director, Movement (R)evolution Africa; A story of an art form in four acts (with Center for Visual Culture
- 2005 Dr. Timothy Scholl (with Russian) "Waking Sleeping Beauty: Reviving a Pre-Revolutionary Ballet in Post-Soviet St. Petersburg"
- 2000 Anna Kisselgoff "Dance: Is the Heroic Era Past?

Pre- 2000: Dr. Ninotchka Bennahum; Dr. Brenda Dixon-Gottschild, Drs. Edrie Ferdun and Jan Felshin; Dr. William Mullen, Classics professor and choreographer Laura Donnelly (with Classics); Dr. Adrienne Kaeppler, Chair of Anthropology at the Smithsonian (with Anthropology); Charles Garth, President of the Historical Dance Foundation; Dr. Kariamu Welsh (Asante); Dr. Kenneth Laws (with Physics)

# FORMAL Talks for Bryn Mawr College

- 2007 "Dance at Bryn Mawr: Finding Spaces" (Alumnae Office, Berkshires)
- "The Arts as Balance within the Intellectual Life: A talk delivered while standing on one foot" (Alumnae Office, Berkshires)
- 2001 "Dance of the Spheres: Art and Science and the CSEMs" (Parents Day)
- 2001 "Dance at Bryn Mawr" (Board of Trustees)
- 1999 "Dance at Bryn Mawr" (Parents Day)
- 1991 "Truth and Beauty: The Junction of Art and Science" (Co-presentation for Campaign for Bryn Mawr)
- 1990 "The Early History of Dance at Bryn Mawr" (Dedication of the Petts Studio Bryn Mawr College)

#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Dance Studies Association (as of 2017, merger of CORD and SDHS)  $\,$ 

Congress on Research in Dance (CORD)

Society of Dance History Scholars (SDHS)

PhiladelphiaDance