



DANCE MAJOR CAREER GUIDE

# Broward College Dance

## EXPAND YOUR CREATIVITY

Broward College dance majors receive versatile training to refine their skills in numerous aspects of dance. Our courses are designed to give students the foundations of dance in various techniques such as ballet, modern, and jazz, in addition to developing their skills as choreographers and performers.

Alongside our curriculum, students will work with field experts by participating in specialized master classes in ballroom, hip-hop, contemporary, and more. Our Fall and Spring productions offer students the opportunity to work with guest artists, faculty members, and even showcase their own work as choreographers on the incredible Bailey Hall stage.

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## EXPLORE YOUR OPPORTUNITIES

### CHOREOGRAPHER

A choreographer creates and arranges dance movement performed by dance artists. Choreographers are needed for various mediums such as live dance productions, theatre productions, television, film, and more.

### DANCE EDUCATOR

Dance educators train students in technique, performance, and choreography. Dance educators are needed at all stages (elementary, high school, college, and beyond) and for all dance styles (ballet, modern, jazz, and more).

### PROFESSIONAL DANCER

Professional dancers use their bodies to express ideas, stories, and emotions. Professional dancers can appear in television, movies, or Broadway, and be a part of dance companies or traveling tours.

### DANCE MOVEMENT THERAPIST

Dance movement therapy is a rapidly growing field. Therapists use movement to help patients achieve emotional, cognitive, physical, and social outcomes.

### RELATED FIELDS:

- Movement Pattern Analyst
- Stage Manager
- Lighting Designer
- Costume Designer
- Art Administration/Management

## WHY BC DANCE?

With their knowledge of dance theories, movement practices, and professional experiences, our diverse dance faculty will provide any student with the hands-on experience and knowledge to prepare them for related job opportunities in the dance field.

Whether a student has previous dance experience or merely a cursory interest in the art, the chance to expand and grow in the field is available to all. Our program takes students from introductory courses in dance appreciation, through intermediate technical courses in specific dance genres, to professional level choreography, composition, production, and performance.

Collaboration with professionals in crossover disciplines, such as stage management, lighting design, costume design, and more, open additional pathways to students by exposing them to larger opportunities and developing them not just as dancers, but as artists and professionals.