# **Summary of Qualification**

Creative research and experience related to Choreography and the ability to teach Contemporary Modern Dance, Traditional Modern Dance (Horton), Dance Composition, Dance History, Laban Movement Analysis, Repertory and Senior Seminar.

# **Education**

2010	<b>MFA</b> Choreographic Practice and Theory, Southern Methodist University
2010	Certification, Elementary Labanotation, Dance Notation Bureau

# **Professional Dance Experience**

	<u>Broadway</u>	
The Lion King		2001 – 2008
Choreography by Garth Fagan		
	<u>Concert</u>	
The Metropolitan Opera Ballet		2000 – 2001
Turandot, Samson and Delilah		
New York City Opera		2000
Carmina Burana	Choreography by Donald Byrd	
Donald Byrd/ The Group		1995 - 1999
Harlem Nutcracker	Choreography by Donald Byrd	
New York Theatre Ballet		1996 – 1997
Cinderella, The Little Mermaid	Diana Byers, Director	
Erick Hawkins Dance Company		1998
Motherwell Amor	Lucia Dlugoszewski, Director/ Choreographer	
Rebecca Kelly Ballet		1996 – 1997

Rebecca Kelly	Director/Choreographer

American University 1994

The Horton Project/ The Library of Congress

Orozco Restaged by Don Martin

The Washington Ballet 1993

The Nutcracker Mary Day, Director

# **Industrials/ Television**

The 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual TONY Awards Dancer 2008

The Today Show - NBC Dancer 2006

# **Print**

Vital Grace/ The Black Male Dancer Duane Cyrus. Joanne Savio 1998

Move James Houston 2006

# **University/ College Teaching Experience**

**Swarthmore College,** Visiting Asst. Professor/ Consortium on Faculty Diversity Fellow **2014 – 2016** 

Teaching Modern I

**Dean College**, Assistant Professor

2011 - 2014

- Teaching Beginning, Intermediate and Advanced Modern technique (Horton)
- Dance Composition: Upper level requirement
- Dance History
- Introduction to Laban Movement Analysis
- Senior Seminar: Capstone course for Dance Majors

**Choreographed for Dance Concerts** 

Assisted in development of Dance Curriculum

Served on Assessment Work team for General Education Curriculum

Served as Student Advisor

Served as Artistic Director of Senior Solo Concert

Served on Academic Appeals Board

Served on College Search Committees

### **Temple University**, Resident Guest Artist

2011

- Taught Contemporary Modern Technique
- Taught Repertory

Choreographed for Faculty Concert

Served as student advisor

Assisted with auditions/ recruitment

#### Richland College, Adjunct faculty

2010

- Taught Hip Hop as a Cultural Phenomenon
- Taught Broadway Jazz
- Taught Body Conditioning

#### **Southern Methodist University**, *Graduate Assistant*

2008 - 2010

- Taught Jazz for non majors
- Taught Movement for Opera Singers

Served on Search Committee

Assisted with development of interview questions for Twyla Tharp's visit to The WInspear Opera House

Guest Lecturer/Master Class	
University of Indiana, IN	2014
Senior Seminar	
Temple University, PA	2014
• Repertory	
Boston Ballet (part time faculty), MA	2014
Teaching Horton	
American College Dance Festival, MA	2014
Taught Intermediate Horton	
Boston Conservatory, MA	2013
Taught Advance Contemporary Modern	
Bowdoin College, ME	2013
Taught Beginner Jazz/ Workshop in Composition	
Boston University, MA	2011 - 2012
Taught Intermediate Horton	
New England Dance Festival, MA	2013
<ul> <li>Taught Musical Theatre</li> <li>Taught Solo Composition</li> <li>Taught Resume building and Audition techniques</li> </ul>	
Texas Ballet Theatre, (part time faculty), TX	2008 – 2010
<ul><li>Taught Modern</li><li>Choreographed for Youth America Grand Prix</li></ul>	
Dallas Black Dance Theatre, TX	2010
Taught Contemporary Modern	
Booker T. Washington High School for the Performing Arts, TX	2010

• Taught Contemporary Modern

#### Big Thoughts, TX

• Teaching Artist in Public Schools

2008-2010

## **Choreography**

2014

"S/He" Swarthmore College, PA

2014

"The Color of My Skin Carries a Story" Dean College, MA

2013

"Parkour" ACDFA, Dean College

"Fist" Dean College, MA

2012

"Strange Invisible Perfume" Kennedy Center (ACDFA), Dean College

"Father Forgive Me" Dean College

2011

"Subtle Current" Dean College, MA

"Black Smoke" Temple University, PA

"Addiction" Temple University, PA

2010

"Spit" Southern Methodist University, TX

"Strange Invisible Perfume" Southern Methodist University, TX

Installation Collaboration Dallas Museum Of Art, TX

**Directing Structured Improvisation** 

In collaboration with four (4) sculptures

"Safari" Texas Ballet Theatre II

2009

"Warsongs and the Wailing Wllis" Southern Methodist University, TX

"A Day Away" Southern Methodist University, TX

2008

"Linger Longer" Nu Dance Festival, NY

2007

"The End Starts Here" Broadway Cares/ Equity Fights AIDS Benefit, NY

2006

"Driven" Broadway Cares/ Equity Fights AIDS Benefit, NY

2001

"America" Broadway Cares/ Equity Fights AIDS Benefit, NY

"He Said, She Said" NeoSol Dance, NY

"Mind over Intention" NeoSol Dance, NY

## **Training**

#### <u>Modern</u>

#### Horton

Don Martin, Ana Marie Forsythe, Milton Myers, Tracy Inman,

#### Limon

Alan Danielson, Colin O'connor, Risa Steinberg, Geraldine Cardiel

#### **Ballet Technique**

Strange Invisible Perfume

Arthur Mitchell, Lupe Serrano, Victoria Leigh, Leslie Peck, Kat Wildish, David Howard

## **Laban Movement Analysis**

Patty Harrington Delaney, Ed Groff

<u>Jazz</u>

Josh Bergasse, Richard Pierlon, Sheila Barker, Frank Hatchet, Fred Benjamin, Chet Walker

<u>Natio</u>	nal Conferences		
2015	National Society for Black Studies		Los Angeles, CA
	- Paper to be presented		
	The Esoteric Dilemm	a of Race	
2015	Popular Culture Association/ American Cultu	re Association	New Orleans, LA
	- Paper to be presented		
	The Body as A Site for	or Identity Politics	
2014	Dancing The African Diaspora: Theories of Bla - Paper presented	ck Performance	Duke University, NC
	Life on the line; Grov	wing up gay in Jam	aica
2014	American College Dance Festival	Boston Univer	sity, MA
	<ul><li>Faculty</li></ul>		Horton
2013	American College Dance Festival	University of I	Massachusetts, Amherst, MA
	Choreography Prese	nted	Parkour
2012	American College Dance Festival	Kennedy Cen	ter, Washington DC
	Choreography Prese	nted	Strange Invisible Perfume
2012	American College Dance Festival	Connecticut (	College, CT

Choreography Presented

# **Professional Development/ Workshops**

Writing Workshop PA, Fall 2014

Elizabeth Zimmer, Writer/ Editor – Village Voice

NYU Summer Program - Limon Teacher Training NYC, Summer 2013

Alan Danielson, Ann Vachon and Geraldine Cardiel

Horton Pedagogy Workshop NYC, Summer 2012

Ana Marie Forsythe, Tracy Inman

Limon Workshop CA, Summer 2010

Risa Steinberg, Colin O'Connor

Bill T. Jones/ Arnie Zane Dance NYC, 2001

Bill T. Jones, Artistic Director

# **Publication**

line

Slap A Label On Me And Call Me a Dancer	The Philadelphia Dance Journal
Eleone Dance; Appetizer, Main Course or Dessert?	The Philadelphia Dance Journal
Zombies and "Dancing Dead" babies at Swarthmore	The Philadelphia Dance Journal
Dance Interpretation, The Stranger and Me	The Philadelphia Dance Journal
Dance Aesthetics Percolated	The Philadelphia Dance Journal
Pedagogical Practices; Principles, priorities	
and Pet Peeves in the Studio	The Philadelphia Dance Journal
Hip-Hopping to Tchaikovsky	The Philadelphia Dance Journal
InHal(in)g Philadelphia!	ThINKing DANCE
The Many Layers of ev.o.lu.tion	ThINKing DANCE
When Dance Has A Voice	ThINKing DANCE
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2014	D for Diversity © D for Dance	ThINKing DANCE
2015	Owning Hip Hop: The Politics of Citizenship	ThINKing Dance
2015	Choreographed Gestures at the Rotunda	Broadstreet Review
2015	Pennsylvania Ballet's Tribute to Jerome Robbins	Broadstreet Review
2015	BalletX: The Process	Broadstreet Review

# **Grants/Awards**

2015	Knight Arts – Dance USA Scholarship
2014	Consortium on Faculty Diversity Fellowship, Swarthmore College
2014	Excellence in Teaching Award, The National Society of Leadership and Success, Dean College
2013	Dean College Professional Development Grant, NYU Limon Teachers Workshop
2012	Dean College Professional Development Grant, Horton Pedagogy Workshop
2010	Meadows Graduate Council Grant for Exploration, Southern Methodist University
2008	SMU Travel Research Grant, Southern Methodist University
2008	SMU Academic Merit Scholarship, Southern Methodist University
2008	SMU Artist Scholarship, Southern Methodist University
2008	Caroline H. Newhouse Scholarship, Career Transition for Dancers
2007	Nu Dance Festival Grant for Emerging Choreographer, Riverside Church Theater
2005	Gypsy of the Year (Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS)
2002	Grant for New Works, Harlemstage (formerly Aaron Davis Hall)
2001	Gypsy of the Year (Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS)