



# MYA KENNEL

Open-minded • Sociable • Energetic  
Curious • Organized • Motivated

Having had the opportunity to stay close to my family in Alsace (France) and to follow an enriching path of auditions, competitions, and workshops, during which I progressed and broadened my experiences, I chose to complete my ballet studies at the **Dutch National Ballet Academy**.

This journey has given me the opportunity to work with numerous teachers, discover various styles and techniques, and strengthen my ability to manage stress, to be responsive and adaptable.

I am now ready to join a company where I can fully thrive, both in classical and contemporary dance.

**170 cm / 5'7**  
**54 kg / 120 lb**

**DATE OF BIRTH**  
July 10, 2006  
Strasbourg

**NATIONALITY**  
French

**LANGUAGES**  
French, English, German.

**EDUCATION**  
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## DANCE TRAINING

### Repertoire

Concerto barocco - Balanchine  
Serenade - Balanchine  
Raymonda (Dream scene/Hungarian dance) - Rachel Beaujean  
Whereabouts unknown - Jiri Kylian  
Concerto - Sir Kenneth MacMillan  
Power - Mthuzuzeli November  
Don Quixote (Dream scene)  
5 Tangos - Hans van Manen's  
Bigonzetti and New Works - Forsythe  
La Bayadère ( Act II: Pas d'Action + Coda)

### 2025 - 2026

Guest at Jeune Ballet des Vosges du Nord (France)  
Finalist of the Budapest Ballet Grand Prix (november 2025) - Kitri act 1 - Henriette, contemporary.  
Solist for Nutcracker production Dew Drop and Queen of the Mouses (december 2025)

### • 2024 - 2025 / Dutch National Ballet Academy Associate Degree year 2 - Graduation year

#### Direction : Ernst Meisner

Teachers : Amanda Beck, Nathalie Caris, Simona Ferrazza, Rinat Gizatulin, Marieke van der Heijden, Laurence Korsenti, Jane Lord, Grigori Tchitcherine, Ernst Meisner, Ainara Garcia-Navarro, Emanouela Merdjanova, Dario Elia, Remi Wörtmeyer.

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Participation in the ballet **Raymonda** (14 performances)  
with the **Dutch National Ballet** in December 2023, as part of the training program.

- 2010 - 2023 / Jeune Ballet des Vosges du Nord

Association Promodanse

**Classical Dance (18 hours/week)**

Classical + pointes and variations + barre à terre + stage and competition preparation + private lessons

Professor : Marina Kennel-Toumi.

**Participated in approximately 60 performances** from 2010 to 2023.

« The Nutcracker », « L'étrange Noël d'Alice », « Giselle », « Le Géant égoïste », « Little Big Circus », « Le Fabricant de Poupées de Cracovie ».

## AUDITIONS, COMPETITIONS, AWARDS & WORKSHOPS

### 2025

- **Audition & Admission** to the Summer Intensive, **ABT New-York**, 5 weeks in July 2025

### 2023

- Admitted after audition to the **Dutch Ballet Academy** for 2023/2024
- **Short term ABT** (New York) and possible audition in October 2023
- Admitted to the **La Scala Ballet School** (Milan) after audition for 2023/2024
- **International Award Talend Italie** from February 17 to 19, 2023  
1st place in classical  
Short Term Scholarship for ABT  
Short Term Scholarship for the Dutch Ballet Academy  
Scholarship, Body Code Pino Carbone  
Admission to the Bavaria Ballet Academy in Munich  
Scholarship, immersion program with the Delattre company  
Admission to the Junior Delattre Company

### 2022

- **YAGP Italie in Riccione** from December 15 to 18, 2022  
Final Round in Senior Classical category  
3rd place in Senior Contemporary category  
TOP 12 in Senior Classical category  
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Short Term Scholarship for La Scala Ballet School in Milan  
Finalist YAGP 2023 (Tampa, USA)
- **YAGP Paris** from November 3 to 6, 2022  
Final Round in Senior Classical category  
TOP 12 in Senior Contemporary category
- Admitted to the **I.C.E. of YAGP** (International Contemporary Ensemble) based on application, CV, photos, and videos | November 2022
- Soloist at the **Summer Intensive Gala in Volta Mantovana** (Italy) | August 2022
- Admitted after audition to **KHIO Ballet in Oslo, Norway** for a Bachelor's degree | April 2022
- Admitted after audition to **Elmhurst Ballet School in Birmingham** for a Bachelor's Degree | April 2022
- Admission to the **Summer School, John Cranko School, Stuttgart**
- **International Award Talend Italie** | February 2022  
Silver Medal in Classical  
Invitation to the final audition at Elmhurst Ballet School in Birmingham (affiliated with the Royal Ballet)

### 2021

- **YAGP PARIS** from November 12 to 14, 2021  
Top 12, Classical  
Top 12, Ensemble
- **YGP Germany** in Berlin, late September 2021  
Top 12 in Classical and Contemporary  
2nd place in Contemporary  
Short Term Scholarship for the Berlin Ballet School  
Workshop for the International Summer Intensive Italy 2022

- **International Summer Intensive in Volta Mantovana** from August 22 to 29, 2021, with YAGP Japan  
Teachers : Luca Masala, Gioia Masala, Tadeusz Matacz, Oliver Matz, Marc Ribaud, Marek Rozycki, Lara Bogni, Ilenia Montagnoli.
- **Summer Workshop at the Académie de la Princesse Grace in Monaco** from July 18 to 31, 2021  
Teachers : Luca MASALA, Michel RAHN, Olivier LUCEA, Gioia MASALA, Asier Uriagereka.
- **Summer Workshop at the Prix de Lausanne** from July 6 to 11, 2021  
Teachers : Isabelle Ciaravola, Clairemarie Osta, Nicolas Le Riche & Armando Braswell.
- **Scholarship Ballettschule Theater Basel** du 31 mai au 5 juin 2021
- Participation in the **Tanzolymp 2021** (online)  
Scholarships for Ballettschule Theater Basel (1 week of workshop) and Royal Ballet School Antwerp (2 weeks of workshop and admission to the school)

## 2020

- November, 2020 | Selected for the Final of **Tanzolymp 2020** in Berlin
- August, 2020 | Admitted to the **Grand Stage d'Étoiles Paris/Opera**  
Direction : Andrey Klemm, Maître de ballet au Théâtre National de l'Opéra de Paris.
- April, 2020 | Admitted to the « **Spring Intensive** » of the **Royal Ballet School** in London  
Selection based on application
- February, 2020 | Participation after video selection in the **Final of Tanzolymp in Berlin**, Junior Classical category (12th out of 157)  
Masterclasses with the teachers : Olivier MATZ, Jan BROENXC, Andrey KLEMM.

## 2019

- July/August, 2019 | Summer Workshop of the **Conservatório Internacional de Ballet e Dança Annarella Sanchez, Portugal**  
Teachers : Annarella ROURA SANCHEZ, Alexander SANTANA SANCHEZ, Sofie SAJAC, Marco LAUDANI, Enrique PEREZ-CANCIO CANTERO, Racquel AGERO MERCADO.
- July, 2019 | **Summer Workshop at the Paris Opera Ballet School**  
Classical, mime, folklore, singing, pointe work, barre au sol, history of dance  
Teachers : Elisabeth PLATEL, Marie-José REDONT, Muriel HALLE, Yasmine PILLETA, Marie BLAISE, Scott Alan PROUTY, Sylvie JACQ MIOCHE.
- May, 2019 | Admission after entrance audition for the **Conservatório Internacional de Ballet e Dança Annarella Sanchez, Portugal**
- April, 2019 | **Final of YAGP in New York**  
MasterClass and participation in the grand défilé
- February, 2019 | Admission after entrance audition to the **Hamburg Ballet School, John Neumeier**

## 2018

- November, 2018 | **YAGP Paris** – Junior, Ensemble and Masterclass  
Qualified for the final in New York
- July, 2018 | **Summer Workshop at the Paris Opera Ballet School**  
Classical, mime, folklore, singing, pointe work, barre au sol, history of dance  
Teachers : Elisabeth PLATEL, Marie-José REDONT, Muriel HALLE, Yasmine PILLETA, Marie BLAISE, Scott Alan PROUTY, Sylvie JACQ-MIOCHE.
- March, 2018 | Admission after entrance audition to the **La Scala Ballet School, Milan**
- March, 2018 | Admission after entrance audition to the **Basel Ballet School (BTB)**
- February, 2018 | Admission after entrance audition to the **Hamburg Ballet School, John Neumeier**
- February, 2018 | Admission after entrance audition to the **Zurich Ballet School, TAZ**