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## Pre-Professional Dance Training

Summary: Seeking any position with a company which recognizes potential, provides attentive teaching, and emphasizes mutual respect through meaningful relationships.

### Alabama Dance Theatre | Montgomery, AL

2018 –Present

Teachers: Kate Seale Smith, Valari Lagrone, Sara Sanford, Casey Vaughn Bailey

### Attended Summer Intensives at:

Ballet Austin	2023
Ballet Academy of Texas	2023
Ballet West	2022
Central Pennsylvania Youth Ballet August Course	2021
Miami City Ballet Spring Intensive (virtual)	2020
Central Pennsylvania Youth Ballet August Course	2019
Birmingham Ballet	2018
Bolshoi Ballet, NYC	2017
Alabama Dance Theatre Summer Seminar	2018-2023

## Classical Ballet Performance Experience

### Alabama Dance Theatre

- Raymonda, from **Raymonda**, Act II Variation 2020
- Giselle, in **Giselle** Act I, set by Shawn Black 2021
- Sara Sanford's **Dracula** (Mina) 2022
- Armando Luna's **Jupiter** (Lead) 2022
- Sara Sanford's **Spring Showcase** (Lilac Fairy) 2023
- Odette, from **Swan Lake**, Act I Variation 2023
- Raymonda, from **Raymonda**, Act II Variation 2023
- Sara Sanford's **Cinderella**, Act II Pas De Deux, at The Grand Ball of Alabama 2023
- Sara Sanford's **Cinderella**, as Cinderella, upcoming in Spring 2024

### Other Achievements

- Atlanta YAGP Top 24 2023
- Emerging choreography, *Ecclesiastes*, performed at RDA 2022

## References

### Kate Seale Smith

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Artistic Director, Alabama Dance Theatre

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### Shawn Black

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Teacher, Alabama School of Fine Arts

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### Armando Luna

Teacher, Savannah Arts Academy

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