



## Contemporary Choreographer

# Sophia Tran

### Professional summary

Dynamic Contemporary Choreographer with 8 years of experience creating thought-provoking performances that blend movement and storytelling. Passionate about exploring innovative concepts and techniques to engage diverse audiences.

### Experience

## Contemporary Choreographer

January 2017 - Now

Chicago Contemporary Dance Theater / United States, IL

- Develop and choreograph original works for stage performances, utilizing themes of identity and social issues.
- Lead collaborative projects with visual artists and musicians to create multidisciplinary performances.
- Organize outreach programs to engage the community in dance workshops and discussions on contemporary themes.

## Choreography Intern

September 2016 - December 2017

DanceWorks Chicago / United States, Chicago, IL

- Assisted in the development of new choreographic works for company performances.
- Provided feedback and coaching to dancers, helping to improve their technique and performance quality.
- Participated in rehearsal scheduling and logistical planning for performances.

### Workshops

## Guest Instructor

May 2023 - June 2023

Dance Studio of Excellence, Los Angeles, CA

- Conducted a masterclass on contemporary dance techniques, emphasizing improvisation and creative expression.
- Engaged students in hands-on choreography creation, fostering individual styles and teamwork.

### Article

## "The Evolution of Contemporary Dance: Trends and Techniques"

Dance Research Journal, August 2023

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### Education

## Master of Fine Arts in Dance

2015 - 2017

University of Michigan - Ann Arbor

United States

## Bachelor of Arts in Contemporary Performance

2011 - 2015

New York University

United States

## Certified Yoga Instructor

Yoga Alliance

Certified: July 2024

## First Aid and CPR Certified

National Safety Council

Certification Date: September 2023

### Skills

Innovative choreography and improvisation ★★★★★

Strong analytical and creative thinking ★★★★★

Experience with multimedia elements in performance ★★★★★

Ability to work in collaborative environments ★★★★★

Proficient in various contemporary dance techniques ★★★★★