

# Chelsea Boyd Brown

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## **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Arts, Dual Degree in Dance and Psychology

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University of Maryland, College Park

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## **DANCE TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **RoCo Dance & Fitness, 2018-2021**

Taught children and teen contemporary dance, modern and improvisation for students from 3rd to 12th grade

Directed student company, FX in Motion from 2020-2021

Directed, Choreographed, Filmed and Edited this dance film with FX in Motion:

[https://youtu.be/liEZ8wk44\\_8](https://youtu.be/liEZ8wk44_8)

Choreographed recital performances for up to six classes every six months

### **Brisbane Dance Workshop, 2017-2019**

Taught Ballet I, Ballet II, and Adult Ballet for students ages 10 to 71

### **Lamorinda Performing Academy, 2018-2019**

Directed and Choreographed the Musical Theater Workshop at Alamo Elementary School, and choreographed Peter Pan Jr. at Los Perales Elementary School

### **Private Lessons, 2015-present**

Providing private dance lessons in social dancing, contemporary dance, Bartenieff Fundamentals, ballet, floorwork, Responsive Body, etc.

### **Aspire Public Charter Schools, 2017**

Taught after-school dance and movement exploration classes to students K-5

Choreographed a performance featuring solos choreographed by every student

### **Shaw-Anderson Dance Center, 2017-present**

Substitute teacher for teen beginning and intermediate modern classes for youth and adults

### **Anne Arundel County Public School's Performing & Visual Arts Magnet Program, 2015-2017**

“Arts and Activism”

- Instructed dance, film, and creative writing classes on collaborative projects exploring social justice issues and leadership
- Built a curriculum that included space to adjust to fit the needs of the students on a day-to-day basis

“Applied Arts”

- Fostered a laboratory-like studio setting for students to learn and explore a wide variety of genres: Acrobatics, Hip Hop, Bollywood, Composition, and Improvisation

“Trinidad Project”

- Taught in collaboration with a drummer, Caribbean rhythms and dance styles
- Constructed a curriculum collaboratively with my co-teacher and students

- Facilitated research projects on Trinidad and Tobago
- “Guatemala Project”
- Taught technique and choreography to students from diverse, low-socioeconomic status families
  - Advised student research and provided supplemental information from my service learning experiences in Los Andes, Guatemala
  - Directed students and professional production staff for an evening-length performance

“Tackling your Technique”

- Instructed middle school students in modern dance technique, improvisation, and choreographic tools including the use of props, sound scores, and site-specific work

**University of Maryland, College Park**

Delta Chi Xi Honorary Dance Fraternity, Inc., President, 2013-2015

- Taught ten free classes for students and community members including improvisation, contemporary, hip hop, modern, and jazz
- Facilitated weekly group meetings, event planning, elections, and community service
- Advised the executive board, empowered new members to advance into leadership roles

**Dance/Movement Therapy at the Spanish Education Development Center, July 2015**

- Created and taught a Dance/Movement Therapy program for bilingual preschool students from low-socioeconomic status families
- Case Study: implemented Dance Therapy interventions and games for two individual students with developmental and social disorders by focusing on self-regulation, musicality, bodily awareness, and nonverbal communication

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**OTHER EMPLOYMENT**

**Duniya Dance & Drum Company, Managing Director 2017-present**

Tracking program activity, demographics, and compiling data  
 Coordinating performances and special events such as fundraisers and meetings

**Anne Arundel County Public Schools, Choreographer 2011-2016**

Choreographed for elementary, middle, and high school dance companies  
 Exposed students to new genres of art including improvisation and Bollywood

**University of Maryland Department of Residential Life, Program Assistant, 2014-2017**

Created and facilitated sustainability events and programs  
 Coordinated events with 40+ community partners for the annual GreenFest  
 Advised three student organizations focused on leadership, social justice, and environmentalism

**Anne Arundel County Dept. of Parks & Recreation, Summer Center Asst. Director, 2010-2013**

Created and executed educational, active, and visual art programs for children in grades K-6  
 Advised camp counselors and attended directors’ meetings

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**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION**

Responsive Body Practitioner Certification Program, Cohort 1, 2019-present  
 Global Water Dances, EcoArts Intern with Artichoke Dance Company in NYC, 2017  
 Luna Dance Institute Teacher Workshop, “Teaching Community Through Improvisation,” 2017

ODC Beyond Technique Dance Training Program, 2016

National Dance Education Organization (NDEO) member, 2014-present

Attended NDEO conferences in 2014 & 2016

Dance 2050 Workshop for the Future of Dance in Education, 2016

American Dance Therapy Association (ADTA) member, 2014-present

Attended ADTA conferences in 2014, 2015, & 2016

Dance Education Laboratory workshop hosted at the Univ. of Maryland, 2016

Bates Dance Festival Professional Training Program, 2014 & 2015