



## DANCE EDUCATOR

# Luz M. Iturbe Ortiz

### EDUCATION

#### **TOWSON UNIVERSITY**

**Towson, MD | July 2022- July 2024**

Master of Arts in Dance Education

#### **CUBAN NATIONAL BALLET**

**La Habana, Cuba | July 2024**

Cuban Ballet Methodology Certified

#### **AMERICAN BALLET THEATRE SCHOOL**

**New York, NY | 2020**

ABT® Certified Teacher in Pre-Primary through Level 5

#### **NATIONAL DANCE INSTITUTE**

**New York, NY | 2020**

Teaching Artist Training Workshops

#### **DANCE THEATRE OF HARLEM SCHOOL**

**New York, NY | 2015**

Professional Training Program

#### **UNIVERSITY OF PUERTORICO**

**San Juan, PR | 2011**

BA in Business Administration: Marketing

Entrepreneurship Certificate

### EXPERIENCE

#### **MARYLAND YOUTH BALLET (MYB)**

**Maryland, MD | Ballet Instructor | 2021-2024**

Lead intermediate ballet classes to students of the MYB school.

#### **JUMPSTART PROGRAM**

**Maryland, MD | Teaching Artist | 2021-2024**

Lead beginner ballet classes for the outreach program of Maryland Youth Ballet at Montgomery County Public Schools.

#### **DANCE DC**

**Washington DC | Teaching Artist | 2021-2024**

Lead dance residencies and workshops including ballet, Latin dances, and Puerto Rican folklore dance in public schools, after-school programs, and community events.

#### **TOWSON UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY DANCE**

**Towson, MD | Ballet Instructor | 2022-2023**

Lead ballet classes for beginners, pre-pointe, and adults students.

#### **THE WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF BALLET**

**Washington DC | Ballet Instructor | 2021-2022**

Lead ballet classes to the Pre- Ballet and Lower Division students.

#### **HARLEM SCHOOL OF THE ARTS**

**New York, NY | Dance Faculty | 2019-2021**

Lead ballet classes based on the ABT National Training Curriculum for Pre-Primary through Level 3 students.

#### **DANCING THROUGH BARRIERS**

**New York, NY | Teaching Artist | 2018-2021**

Lead dance residencies and workshops for the DTH outreach program in public schools, after-school programs, and community events in NYC.

#### **DANCE THEATRE OF HARLEM SCHOOL (DTH)**

**New York, NY | Tendu Program Faculty | 2016-2021**

Lead ballet classes for pre-ballet students.

### PROFILE

Dedicated and passionate Dance Educator committed to using the transformative power of dance to enhance cognitive, social, and emotional development. I am seeking a position that allows me to leverage my extensive knowledge and experience in creating student-centered, culturally relevant, and inclusive learning environments. I am eager to join an organization where I can actively contribute to the growth and enrichment of the community through dance, empowering individuals to connect, reflect, and thrive within and beyond the dance studio.

### CONTACT

✉ [luz.m.iturbe@gmail.com](mailto:luz.m.iturbe@gmail.com)

☎ 787-241-9492

🌐 [luziturbe.com](http://luziturbe.com)

🔗 [luz-m-iturbe](https://www.linkedin.com/in/luz-m-iturbe)

### SKILLS

English

Spanish

Latin Dances

Connection with students

Quick Learner

Leadership