# Casey Bricker

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## Dance Training:

<u>Greater York Center for Dance Education (1997-2009)</u>

Studied Ballet, Pointe, Jazz, Hip Hop and Tap.

Greater Dover Dance Academy (2009-2013)

Extensive Ballet technique with Pointe and solo work.

I continued to study jazz, hip hop, lyrical, modern, tap and contemporary.

Competition solos and duos – lyrical, contemporary, jazz and pointe.

#### Harford Dance Theatre (2011)

Studied exclusively Ballet and Pointe work, while dancing as a guest in their 2011 Nutcracker Ballet.

West Chester University – Minor in Dance (2013-2018)

Modern, Ballet, Contemporary, Jazz and Musical Theater training.

## Teaching Experience:

West Chester University (2017-2018)

-Taught company classes once a month in jazz, ballet or contemporary to ages 18-22.

Greater Dover Dance Academy: 2011-2025.

Teaching ages 3-19: Jazz, Contemporary, Lyrical, Ballet, Pointe, Pre-Pointe, Hip-hop, Acro, Active Stretch and Tap.

Specializing in competition workshops; turning, leaps, and performance.

Choreographing numerous competition pieces in multiple genres that achieved a myriad of awards such as: "Spectacular use of the stage, "Completely Committed", "Lovely Lines", "Fun and Fabulous", "Impressive Emotional Range", among others. Also, often placing in top 10 overalls.

## Notable Performances:

## Greater Dover Dance Academy:

The Nutcracker Ballet: Lead snow, Lead flower, Spanish Soloist, Candy Cane Lead, Chinese Lead.

Other ballets roles: Odile and Odette – Swan Lake, French Princess in The Princess and the Pea.

Competitions: *Dancers Inc., Starpower*, and *Encore*, receiving multiple awards for performances at each.

#### Harford Dance Theatre:

The Nutcracker Ballet: Harlequin Doll, Lead Chinese and Demi lead flower corps.

#### West Chester University Dance Company's concerts:

- Multiple shows per year performing Modern, Contemporary, Ballet and Jazz pieces.

## **Professional Work:**

## Walt Disney World Resort (2017-2019):

-Character performer and character attendant in multiple parks/events across the resort.

## Hershey Entertainment and Resorts (2018-2021):

- -Character performer for Hershey Park, Chocolate World events and Hershey Lodge events.
- -Dancer for character dance party and character commotion.

#### EPIC Entertainment/RWS (2021-2024):

-Scare actor at Hershey Park Dark Nights; Haunted Coal Mine and the Descent.