

# DANCEE ACROSS AMERICA

PERFORMANCE TOURS • WORKSHOPS • MASTER CLASSES SPECIAL EVENT PLANNING & PRODUCTION



## It's Not Just Dance, It's Our Life!



As we enter our third decade providing once in a lifetime dance experiences, and unique and exciting performance opportunities, Educational Performance Tours continues to be an innovator and leader in the educational student performing arts community. Our unique philosophy, "It's not just about competition, but also opportunity" sets us apart **Performance** from the standard "dance competition and convention" experience and has allowed us to inspire and educate young dancers, taking them to new heights in their educational performance lives.

Working closely with you to discover the many extraordinary educational experiences and exciting performance opportunities available for your group is our goal and objective - having your students experience the diversity and excitement of these opportunities, as they aspire to achieve and exceed expectations is our passion and motivation.

Our commitment to value, quality and security, along with our high level of professional and ethical conduct, enable EPT to provide performing arts tour packages that include the finest facilities, artists and clinicians, meals, attractions, shows, accommodations and transportation options. Through our unmatched resources in the student tour and travel industry, Educational Performance Tours continues to provide safe, reliable, fun and unforgettable educational travel programs to thousands of students each year.



## Dare to Dance, Dare to Dream!



Combine all the energy and excitement found in North America's major performing arts cities with the opportunity to interact and dance with the individuals who bring those cities to life - add the unique flavor of each environment with the opportunity to showcase your group in a variety of public performance venues - then mix and mingle with the locals in the many attractions and locations that lend themselves to each cities' greatness and there you have it—Dance Across America!

Dance Across America Tours are designed with your direct input and guidance, allowing each to be customized and individually priced - meeting the specific needs of your group, educationally, socially and economically. Tours can include "Unique and Exciting Performance Opportunities" at local venues and landmarks, "Open and Private Classes" at local dance studios and performing arts centers, as well as our signature dance program, "Extraordinary Educational Experiences in Dance". These customized workshops and master classes offer your students the rare opportunity to interact and dance with dynamic leading artists from major performing arts companies throughout North America.



### Don't Just Reach for the Stars... Talk, Meet & Dance with Them!

Throughourunmatched resources in dance, Educational Performance Tours has unparalleled connections and relationships with the best and brightest talent throughout North America. We are proud to offer an array of "Extraordinary Educational Experiences in Dance," featuring a roster of "World Class Dancers, Choreographers and Current Performing Artists" — All waiting to raise your students level of performance and love of the performing arts.



We understand the importance of "program customization" and have instilled that belief in our roster of talent. The featured artist chosen to conduct your program will customize each session when they contact you directly, to discuss the goals and objectives of your group, in advance of your tour. You will receive a personal phone call, as well as a complete Bio and headshot.

When you choose to participate in one of our "Extraordinary Educational Experiences in Dance" you can rest assured you are exposing your students to a "Once in a Lifetime Dance Experience" they will draw on for a lifetime. Artists are chosen for their warmth and graciousness as well as their ability to motivate, inspire and bring out the best from the students. Their standards are high and they expect that the students are coming for a fun but intensive study experience.



#### **Customized Dance Master Class**

Available in all disciplines: Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop, Lyrical, Modern, Ballet.

#### **Meet-The-Artist Dance Workshop**

Featured artist from the Broadway Show or Performance Group of your choice.

#### The Audition Process

How does one become a Broadway cast member... what is expected . . . what is life in the theatre like? You'll find out!

#### A Day In The Life Of A Professional Dancer

A full day of dance in the disciplines of your choice.

#### "I Want To Be A Rockette" Dance Workshop

Any day can be like Christmas when you study with a world famous Rockette up close and personal. Available throughout the year.

#### **Broadway Show Cast Party**

Mix and mingle with the individuals who bring Broadway to life!

#### **Something Special In Mind?**

Don't see something that interests you or perhaps you have your own ideas – let us know – through our unmatched resources in the performing arts community we are confident we can make it happen for you and your students!

### Premier Dance Destinations!

You Choose the City! You Choose the Date!

## "A CITY SO GREAT THEY NAMED IT TWICE" NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Overflowing with once in a lifetime experiences and unique and exciting opportunities, New York is a city so great they named it twice - NEW YORK, NEW YORK - the true melting pot of not only culture and entertainment, but, of the performing arts.

**Local Dance Opportunities:** 2020 LEGACY - Dare To Dance, Dare To Dream, Broadway Dance Center, The Ailey Extension, Broadway, New York City Ballet, American Ballet Theatre, Steps on Broadway and The Rockettes.



## "WELCOME TO THE WINDY CITY" CHICAGO

Chicago is currently home to an ever-expanding performing arts community, and has established itself as the Midwestern capital of the arts. If you are headed to Chicago for dance, its wide range of class opportunities will allow your students to hone their skills and showcase their talent.

**Local Dance Opportunities:** Lou Conte Dance Studio, Gus Giordano Dance School, Hubbard Street, Joel Hall Dancers, Jump Rhythm Jazz Project, Broadway in Chicago, Joffrey Ballet and River North Dance.



## "THE WINDOW OF THE WORLD" SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco is one of the most diverse cultures in the country and home to an amazing performing arts community known for its world view in dance. There is something for everyone! There are so many incredible sights to see and experiences to be had; the hardest part is deciding where to start.

**Local Dance Opportunities:** Arizona King Lines Dance Center, San Francisco Ballet, ODC Dance Commons and Broadway in San Francisco.



## ENTERTAINING AMERICA FOR DECADES BRANSON

Branson has been entertaining America for decades. Come enjoy the student-friendly atmosphere as you experience all Branson has to offer. With so many great live shows to choose from, Branson is sure to have something for everyone. And let's not forget "Branson Live" where you and your students can become part of the unique entertainment environment.

BRANSON LUCO

**Local Dance Opportunities:** Branson On Stage Live, Dolly Parton's Dixie Stampede, Silver Dollar City and Showboat Branson Belle

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#### **DANCIN' IN PARADISE!**

### HAWAII

Home to the State Capitol, Honolulu is the vibrant epicenter of Hawaii. Here you'll find everything from historic landmarks and treasured monuments to world-class shopping and a flourishing arts and culture scene. Home to the majority of Oahu's population, the sprawling city of Honolulu spreads throughout the southeastern shores of Oahu, from Pearl Harbor to Makapuu Point, encompassing world famous Waikiki. It is the home of some of Hawaii's most historic places





from Iolani Palace, the Kawaiahao Church, the Mission Houses and the treasured artifacts of the Bishop Museum to iconic landmarks like the Aloha Tower, the King Kamehameha I Statue, the Duke Kahanamoku Statue and the historic Hawaii Theatre. Honolulu is also Hawaii's hot spot for arts, culture and entertainment. From the nightlife, live music and fine dining of Waikiki to the art galleries and underground bars of the Chinatown arts district. Whether you're looking for Hawaii's finest museums, or Hawaii's finest Hawaii Regional Cuisine chefs, the best resorts, festivals, and events, or just some fun things to do, you'll find it all in Honolulu.

**Local Dance Opportunities:** Tribute Performances at Pearl Harbor and the War Memorial Visitor's Center, as well as Polynesian Cultural Center and the Ala Moana Center Stage. Master Classes and performances available at Brigham Young University, The University of Hawaii of Ala Moana, Honolulu Festival Parade, Pan-Pacific Parade, Pearl Harbor Anniversary Parade and Prince Kuhio Parade.

### THE #1 DESTINATION FOR PERFORMING ARTS GROUPS THROUGHOUT NORTH AMERICA

### ORLANDO

Orlando is truly the ideal destination for groups of all ages and backgrounds! With its many opportunities to perform, as well as the energy and excitement only found in a Disney or Universal Theme Park, groups anticipate the opportunity to showcase their talents to the world!

**Local Dance Opportunities:** Disney Performing Arts OnStage, Disney Performing Arts Workshops, Universal Stars Performances & Workshops and SeaWorld Soundwaves.



### "CELEBRITIES! SHOW BIZ! GLAMOUR & GLITZ!"

### LOS ANGELES / ANAHEIM

From studio tours to sophisticated culture and stylish boutiques to sun-drenched beaches, Los Angeles has it all! Known for its high energy, Hip Hop, dazzling music videos and the glamour and glitz of Hollywood. Join us in LA and be energized by its unique world of dance.

**Local Dance Opportunities:** Debbie Allen Dance Academy, Millennium Dance Complex, Edge Performing Arts Center, Broadway in Los Angeles, Disney Performing Arts OnStage and Disney Performing Arts Workshops



#### **FUN IN THE SUN!**

### **MYRTLE BEACH**

Relaxation, excitement and a generous dose of Southern hospitality are all part of the Myrtle Beach experience. You can take in the sandy white beaches, enjoy the mild year-round climate, and the many performance opportunities available for your group!

**Local Dance Opportunities:** Broadway at the Beach, Palace Theatre and Legends in Concert





## BOSTON

"With a mix of colonial charm, urban sophistication and a worldclass performing arts community, Boston is an extraordinary destination for your group. Explore the roots of America and perform at the many fantastic locations available such as the USS Constitution, Faneuil Hall and much more!"

**Local Dance Opportunities:** The Boston Conservatory, Broadway in Boston and Boston Ballet.

### THE CENTER OF FUN IN THE SMOKIES

### PIGEON FORGE

"There's so much to see and do in Pigeon Forge, TN! Enjoy the Great Smoky Mountain Wheel, the Grand Island Show Fountains, and of course Dolly Parton's Appalachian Amusement Park! With so many attractions along with numerous performance opportunities, your group is sure to have a great time!"

Local Dance Opportunities: WonderWorks, Country Tonite Theatre and Dolly Parton's Dixie Stampede.



## Additional Tour Destinations

...each offering exciting educational dance experiences and unique performance opportunities!

Atlanta | Austin | Baltimore | Montreal Vancouver | Cleveland | Houston | Key West Las Vegas | Memphis | Nashville | New Orleans Philadelphia | San Diego | Seattle | St. Louis | Toronto | Washington, D.C. | Williamsburg

as well as a number of National Cruise Lines

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- Unique & Exciting Performance Opportunities for your group
- Knowledgeable Escorts





