

Wake Forest University Dance Program

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DANCE PROGRAM

The Dance Program at Wake Forest offers a wide range of dance classes—from beginning classical ballet, modern, jazz, and social dance to advanced technique classes. Students may minor in dance and more experienced dancers are invited to audition for the Wake Forest Dance Company. The talent and commitment of our dancers as well as the rich and varied background of our faculty members have earned the program a reputation for quality. Guest artists, choreographers and professional performing companies also have enriched the dance experience at Wake Forest. Beginners and students not interested in performing are invited to be part of the program by registering for one of the dance courses offered. (Please see the Theatre and Dance section of the undergraduate bulletin for information about a minor in Dance, or visit our Department's Dance Program Homepage at www.wfu.edu/theatre.)

DANCE COMPANY

The Wake Forest University Dance Company is comprised of students working in a semi-professional manner and produces two concerts per year, the Fall Faculty/Guest Artist Concert and the Spring Student Choreographic Concert. The company performs choreographic works by nationally renowned choreographers, Wake Forest faculty members and selected student works. Auditions are held at the beginning of the fall semester. Former company members are required to audition each year. Each company member must be enrolled in one technique class during the fall and spring semesters.

The Wake Forest University Dance Company is committed to providing exciting dance experiences for its students and audiences, and its repertoire includes works in all dance disciplines: jazz, modern and classical ballet. Through a variety of dance styles, it introduces its audience to the wonderful world of dance.

DANCE MINOR

Students have the option of declaring a dance minor once they have officially declared their major in the College, this typically takes place in the spring of the sophomore year. Having a minor in dance is not a requirement to participate in the Dance Company or upper level dance courses. Specific requirements are available in the Undergraduate Bulletin and on the department website.