

## NKU SOTA DANCE TROUPE AUDITION

To Audition please Contact Director Stephanie Brumer @

**Brumers2@nku.edu.**

*NKU SOTA Dance Troupe is an outreach Dance Company. Our Mission is to share the art of Dance with local schools and civic organizations through performance and dance movement workshops as ambassadors of NKU SOTA. Our five areas of concentration; Technique, Collaboration, Professionalism, Performance and Artistry, provide a framework to cultivate a greater comprehension of the dancer's world.*

Audition and Casting will focus on performance quality, technique and versatility, as well as, coach-ability, collaboration, attitude, ability to be a team player, work with students of all ages and be a great representative and ambassador of NKU SOTA.

### **Meet the Dance Troupe Audition Adjudicators**

#### **Ashley Mott, MFA Dance, BFA Modern Dance, BA English**

Director of Dance, Park City School District  
Adjunct Dance Faculty, Salt Lake Community College

#### **Julie Carroll Keeney, BA Theatre/Dance**

Dance Educator, Audition Coach, Choreographer  
Dancer, Actress, Singer, Model  
Xavier University, University of Cincinnati, Northern Kentucky University  
Actor's Equity Association

#### **Summer Logan, MFA Dance, BFA, Theatre/Dance**

Educating Artist, Choreographer  
Professor of Dance, Shawnee State University  
Director, SSU Performing Arts Academy.  
Artistic Director, Bone & Fiddle Dance Collective  
ABT NTC certified teacher Pre-Primary-Level 5

#### **Kim Popa, BFA Theater/Dance**

Executive Director of Pones  
Adjunct Dance Professor Art Academy of Cincinnati  
Dance Instructor at Springer school, The Carnegie, and Jersey Productions  
Choreographer, Activist

#### **Stephanie Brumer, MFA Dance, BA Theatre/Dance**

Dance Artist, Educator, Choreographer, Dancer, Model  
Director, NKU SOTA Dance Troupe  
Professor of Dance, NKU SOTA  
Professor of Dance, Xavier University  
Uptown Arts Master Teacher

## NKU SOTA DANCE TROUPE AUDITION DEALS

### Audition Materials

1. Completed Audition form
2. Headshot and resume
3. Dance audition Video YouTube link

**\*\*Please email Stephanie Brumer for video link to choreography for Audition.**

**\*\*Please email all audition materials in one email to Stephanie Brumer @ [Brumers2@nku.edu](mailto:Brumers2@nku.edu).**

### Technique dance combo coaching and performance direction

Have fun with this dance combination. I want to see performance quality, personality, versatility and your ability to grasp technique concepts like switching weight, change of direction, musicality, and stylization.

Record yourself.... please make one video including the following...

1. Brief introduction- name, area of study at NKU and why you want the opportunity to be a Dance Troupe company member.
2. Technique dance combo performance.

**\*\*When your video is complete, upload to YouTube and get sharable link to include with the audition materials.**

### How to make your audition video:

After you have learned the technique dance combo here is what you need to know to record your audition. Find a space that is at least 6'x8' big and that has good lighting. Outside is a good choice if you don't have a big enough space or enough lighting indoors. **Performance ready, what to wear:** performance blacks (i.e.: all black with no writing or graphics-leggings, athletic top, tights/leotard) jazz shoes or athletic shoes if dancing outside. Hair and makeup ready, hair pulled back from face and makeup applied.