# ALONDRA VALERIA GALVAN

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Valid Safeguarding Certificate, Valid First-Aid Certificate, Valid Enhanced DBS, Volunteer Chaperone License, Overseas Police Clearance

#### **EDUCATION**

### 2023 Trinity Laban Conservatoire for Music and Dance, London, UK

Master of Fine Arts in Choreography (Merit)

2-year long program, Choreographic Methodologies, Research Lab, Research and Development, Synergies and Transformations, Examining Practice. Thesis Supervised by Alison Curtis-Jones, Charles Lineham

# 2021 University of South Florida (USF), Tampa, FL, USA

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance (Summa Cum Laude)

4-year long program, Classical Ballet, Modern Techniques (Dunham, Cunningham, Horton, Limon, Graham), Choreography, Improvisation, Pedagogy, Ballet History, Technical Theatre, Senior Seminar

Skills: Assistant Stage Manager, Technical Production, Lighting Direction, Producing, Marketing and Advertising, Branding, Proposal Writing, Pedagogy, Career Development.

# 2020 University of South Florida Dance in Paris Semester Program, Paris, FR

Semester-long (16-week), Modern Techniques, Ballet Techniques, Choreography, Modern Dance History, World Dance Forms, Yoga, Somatic Practice, Body Weather, and other Non-Western Dance Practices.

#### **TEACHING**

### (2025-Now) BailaME.X Choreographer/Director, Mestizo Restaurant, London, UK

Co-founder/Director of Mexican Contemporary Dance Collective performing weekly.

**The Playground- Choreographer,** Rambert HQ, London, UK

Invited to lead, share my dance practice, and direct a small performance with 25+ artists.

# (2024-Now) Nursery Ballet Teacher, Rainbow Angels Nursery, Shoreditch, UK

Recurring ballet technique and creative movement for 5+ nursery students.

Dance Teacher/Assistant, Thomas's Battersea, London, UK

Assisting and devising RAD ballet and modern syllabus for Year 2-Year 8.

Dance Teacher/Assistant, Angelina Jandolo Dance Company, London, UK

Assisting and devising ballet IDTA syllabus for Prepatory to Grade 4 students. Curating and teaching all levels of Adult Tap, Advanced Ballet, and Pointe. Choreographed and curated 3 pieces of choreography for end of year recital.

(2023-Now) GymBox Rhythm Instructor, London, UK

Recurring cover teacher for Beats on Pointe and Callback classes.

#### 2025 The Playground - Choreographer, Rambert Studios, London, UK

Formulated a 3-hour workshop for dancers and collaborated with Nikki Forova.

Contemporary Pro-Class, Adore Dance London, UK

Pro-class (5 classes) for being the Artist in Residence.

#### 2024 Adult Contemporary Dance Class, Lost in Yoga, London, UK

Recurring for 5 months, all-levels class produced for the Southwark community.

Jazz MASTERCLASS, Song and Dance Inc., Wesley Chapel, FL

15 students, 12–18-year-old, created and devised an hour-long jazz technique class.

Artistic Practice Lecture, USF Studio, Tampa, FL

40+ incoming and graduating students, lecture on artistic path after graduation.

#### 2023 Inclusive Creative Workshop, London, UK

Facilitated 'Climate Change: Mexico,' with Magpie Dance Company, integrating diverse perspectives on climate change with Aztec traditional dance steps.

### Contemporary Pop-Up Class, BASE Studios, London, UK

Designed and executed a contemporary technique, dynamics, and flow class.

## Harmonious Movement Class, USF, Tampa, FL

Shared modern techniques and improvisation tasks to 30+ BFA & BA dance students.

# **Contemporary/Improvisation MASTERCLASS**, Song and Dance Inc., Tampa, FL 15+ students, 12+ year old, Formulated and presented improvisation tasks to develop

contemporary dance techniques.

## TL Sessions: The Pilot Session, Trinity Laban, London, UK

Facilitated a 3-hour workshop crafted through collaborative tasks with 4 dancers and a musician leading to showcasing a final 7-min performance.

### 2021 Teaching Internship, Howard W. Blake High School, Tampa, FL

Taught and devised a lesson plan of modern techniques to year 2 and 3- BA Dance students.

### 2019 Rehearsal Assistant, Tampa, FL

Facilitated rehearsals by note-taking, queuing music, preserving the Mexican choreographer, Claudia Lavista's vision, authenticity, and coordinated lighting cues.

#### **CHOREOGRAPHY**

2025 "Danzon No.2" Duet, Mestizo Restaurants, London, 5 min

2024 "Sapphic Symbiosis" Duet, Video, London, 8 min

**2024** "La Catrina" Solo, Dia de los Muertos Festival, Hackney, 4 min

**2024** "La Llorona" Solo, Blackheath Halls, Blackheath, 5 min

2024 "Woman Loving Women" Solo, MODArts Collective Thread Festival, NYC, 7 min

2023 "Finding the (Vibe)rations" Ensemble, MFA Showcase, Laban Theatre, London, 30 min

2023 "The Righteous Wrath of an Honorable Man" Solo, Video, London, 3 min

2023 "SHEAR" Quartet, Laban Studio, London, 7 min

**2023** "Exploring the Whale" Ensemble, Laban CoLAB, London, 20 min

2022 "aLONE\_ly" Solo, Laban Studio Theatre, 11 min

2021 "Perception of Action" Quartet, Laban Studio Theatre, London, 11 min

**2021** "Estados de Animo" Solo, USF BFA Showcase, Florida, 6 min

2021 "Tadow: MUJER" Quartet, USF Student Dance Concert, Florida, 5 min

2020 "Punto De Vista" Ensemble, USF BFA Showcase, Florida, 7 min

**2020** "Juego" Duet, USF Student Dance Concert, USF Theatre, Florida, 5 min

2019 "QUEEN" Ensemble, USF Student Dance Concert, USF Theatre, Florida, 6 min

#### **AWARDS**

2024 Clod Ensemble Catalyzer Programme and Bursary Recipient

2021 Leverhulme Trust Grant

2020 Simmons International Leadership Scholarship Recipient

2019, '20, '21 USF Talent Grant Recipient

#### **ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE**

# 2024 Clod Ensemble Catalyzer Programme Attendee, London, UK

l of 25 artists chosen to participate in a developmental programme for 2-weeks.

## 2020 Student Dance Production Marketing Director, USF, Tampa, FL

Directed marketing initiatives and communication efforts to enhance visibility and attendance for dance concerts.

# 2019 Student Dance Production Marketing Officer, USF, Tampa, FL

Steered marketing initiatives that led strategic campaigns to boost event awareness and attendance.