

KAREN CHUANG

Dancer, Teacher, Choreographer

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Performance (TV/Film/Commercials/Live)

- Learn multiple pieces of choreography from various choreographers and directors
 - Perform multiple takes for on-camera work
 - Perform a single pass for live television or live audience
 - Interact with high profile musical artists and actors
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- 2023** **Taylor Swift – The Eras Tour (US)** | Choreographer: Mandy Moore
- 2022** **Ted Talks – “Once there was III”** - | Choreographer: Nina McNeely
Unfinished Live – “The False Mirror” - | Choreographer: Nina McNeely
The Idol (HBO) | Director: Amy Seimetz, Choreographer: Nina McNeely
- 2021** **Nike APLA HO 2021** | Director: James Lees, Choreographer: Melissa Schade
Sylvan Esso “Numb” Music Video | Director/Choreographer: Jasmine Albuquerque
Black Midi “John L” Music Video | Director/Choreographer: Nina McNeely
The SpongeBob Movie: Sponge on the Run
 Zombie Dancer | Choreographer: Mia Michaels
- 2020** **Zoey’s Extraordinary Playlist - “Pilot”**
 San Francisco Dancer | Choreographer: Mandy Moore
Lucifer | Choreographer: Brooke Lipton
Earth to Ned | Choreographer: Kat Burns
Khalid “Know Your Worth” Music Video | Choreographer: Phillip Chbeeb
The Brilliance “Telephone” Music Video | Choreographers: Chris Martin/Larkin Poynton
- 2019** **The Voice - “Semi-Finals”**
 Hello Sunday Performance | Choreographer: Hi Hat
Lucifer - “Who’s da New King of Hell?”
 Office Dancer | Choreographer: Brooke Lipton
Crazy Ex Girlfriend - “I Have to Get Out”
 Neighborhood Dancer | Choreographer: Kat Burns

2018 **Primetime Emmy Awards** | Choreographer: Mandy Moore
Ryuji Imaichi: "Angel" Music Video | Choreographer: Nina McNeely
Billboard Music Awards
 Janet Jackson Performance | Choreographer: Gil Duldulao

2017 **A Christmas Story: Live! (FOX)**
 Adult Ensemble | Choreographer: Zach Woodlee
XQ Super School Live | Choreographer: Nick Florez & RJ Durell
McDonald's Big Mac Commercial | Choreographers: Anthony Lee & Vinh Nguyen
Crazy Ex-Girlfriend - Season Finale
 Wedding Dancer | Choreographer: Kat Burns
MTV Video Music Awards
 P!NK "What About Us" | Choreographers: Nick Florez & RJ Durell
Louis The Child: "Right to It" Music Video | Choreographer: Matty Peacock
P!NK: "What About Us" Music Video | Choreographers: RJ Durell & Nick Florez
Pepsi Super Bowl LI Halftime Show
 Lady Gaga Performance | Choreographer: Richard Jackson

2016 **Grease: Live! (FOX)**
 Adult Ensemble | Choreographer: Zach Woodlee and Director: Thomas Kail

2015 **Dancing with the Stars**
 Carly Rae Jepsen performance | Choreographers: Kat Burns & Nick Demoura
The Late Late Show
 Idina Menzel Performance | Choreographer: Tessandra Chavez
Glee - "The Rise and Fall of Sue Sylvester"
 Vocal Adrenaline | Choreographer: Zach Woodlee
Trevor Moran: "Let's Roll" Music Video | Choreographer Richard Jackson

2014 **Lady Gaga - ArtRAVE World Tour** | Choreographer: Richard Jackson
Kid's Choice Awards (2014)
 Opening Dancer | Choreographer: Todrick Hall
"100 Things to Do Before High School" | Choreographer: Chris Scott
Lady Gaga: "G.U.Y." Music Video | Choreographer: Richy Jackson

2013

Aloe Blacc: “Love is the Answer” Music Video | Choreographer: Ryan Heffington

Kanye West – “Yeezus” Tour (2013-14) | Choreographer: Yemi A.D.

X Factor - “80’s Week”

Dancer | Choreographers: Jamie King, Galen Hooks, Keone & Mari Madrid

MTV Video Music Awards

Lady Gaga “Applause” Performance | Choreographer: Richard Jackson

Glee - “Love, Love, Love”

Vocal Adrenaline Dancer | Choreographer: Brooke Lipton & Mandy Moore

Grey’s Anatomy

“Readiness is All” Proposal Dancer | Choreographer: Tyce Diorio

Tigerheat

Carly Rae Jepsen Performance | Choreographer: Kat Burns

Radio Disney Music Awards

Cher Lloyd Performance | Choreographers: RJ Durell & Nick Florez

2012

Nicki Minaj: Dubai’s Atelier Show | Choreographer: LaurieAnn Gibson

VH1 Diva’s Live | Choreographers: Nick Florez, RJ Durrell, Tovariz Wilson

Nicki Minaj: “Pink Friday Reloaded” Tour | Choreographer: LaurieAnn Gibson

America’s Got Talent (2010-2012)

Dancer | Choreographer: Brian Friedman

Shake it Up - “Librarian It Up”

Dancer | Choreographer: Rosero McCoy

Shake it Up - “Fire it Up”

Dancer | Choreographer: Rosero McCoy

Shake it Up - “Ty it Up”

Dancer | Choreographer: Rosero McCoy

Shake it Up - “Made in Japan”

Dancer | Choreographer: Rosero McCoy

The Today Show

Cher Lloyd Performance | Choreographers: Nick Florez & RJ Durell

America’s Got Talent

Cher Lloyd Performance | Choreographers: Nick Florez & RJ Durell

Glee – “Nationals”

Vocal Adrenaline Dancer | Choreographers: Brooke Lipton & Zach Woodlee

Glee – “Another One Bites the Dust”

Vocal Adrenaline Dancer | Choreographers: Brooke Lipton & Zach Woodlee

Glee – “Saturday Night Gleeever”

Vocal Adrenaline Dancer | Choreographers: Brooke Lipton & Zach Woodlee

2011

Dick Clark’s New Year’s Rockin’ Eve

Willow Smith Performance | Choreographer: Tina Landon

Disney 365 (2009-2011) - Host | M3 Creative

X-Factor

Willow Smith Performance | Choreographer: Tina Landon

Oprah Winfrey

Willow Smith Performance | Choreographer: Tina Landon

The Ellen Show

Willow Smith Performance | Choreographer: Tina Landon

Glee - Vocal Adrenaline Dancer

“New York” | Choreographers: Brooke Lipton & Zach Woodlee

White House: Easter Egg Roll

Willow Smith Performance | Choreographer: Tina Landon

Kid’s Choice Awards

Willow Smith Performance | Choreographer: Tina Landon

Willow Smith UK Tour | Choreographer: Tina Landon

Willow Smith: “Fireball” Music Video | Choreographer: Tina Landon

Willow Smith: “21st Century Girl” Music Video | Choreographer: Tina Landon

2010

Glee - “Funk”

Vocal Adrenaline Dancer | Choreographer: Zach Woodlee

Macy’s Passport Glamorama 2010 | Choreographers: Brian Friedman & Tony Testa

Paris By Night | Choreographer: Shanda Sawyer

Kristinia DeBarge Promo Shows | Choreographer: Tina Landon

Willow Smith: “Whip My Hair” Music Video | Choreographer: Hi-Hat

2009

MNET S. Korea

Lee Jung Hyun Performance | Choreographer: Brian Friedman

Ava: Lee Jung Hyun “Crazy” Music Video | Choreographer: Brian Friedman

2008

Dance on Sunset

Series Regular | Choreographer: Tony Testa

Choreography

- Collaborate with musical artists and directors for on camera and live performances
 - Teach and rehearse with professional dancers, lead artists, and non-dancers
 - Assist choreographers in generating movement professional dancers, lead artists, and non-dancers
 - Administrative duties including casting, communication with production and agencies, and scouting rehearsal and/or performance spaces
 - On set duties including facilitate communication between director and dancers, feedback for lead artists and dancers, and movement coaching lead artists
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2022

“Come Dance With Me” (CBS)

Series Choreographer | Executive Producers: Jeff Thacker, RJ Durrell, Nick Florez

“Step Into the Movies with Derek and Julianne Hough” (ABC)

Choreographer | Executive Producers: RJ Durrell, Nick Florez

2021

Laguna Beach Dance Festival | Entity Contemporary Dance

Gwen Stefani: “Slow Clap” Music Video | Director: Matty Peacock

Carissa Alvarado: “If Time Stood Still” Music Video | Director: Joseph Diaz

2020

Kacy Hill: “Everybody’s Mother” Music Video | Directors: Lauren Dunn & Kacy Hill

Kacy Hill: “I Believe In You” Music Video | Directors: Lauren Dunn & Kacy Hill

Shawn Mendes: “Wonder” Music Video

Assistant Choreographer | Choreographer: Matty Peacock

Dancing with the Stars (ABC) - “Week 6”

Consultant | Choreographer: Gleb Savenchko

2019

Dancing with the Stars (ABC) - “Disney Night”

Assistant Choreographer | Choreographers: Megan Lawson & Matt Cady

Dancing with the Stars (ABC) - “Week 6”

Consultant | Choreographer: Gleb Savenchko

Carly Rae Jepsen: “Too Much” Music Video | Directors: Matty Peacock & Amy Davis

Billie Eilish: "Bury A Friend" Music Video

Assistant Choreographer | Choreographer: Matty Peacock

2018

Intel x Paramount - Grease in VR

Assistant Choreographer | Choreographer: David Moore

Hot Blood Dance Crew (China)

Assistant Choreographer | Choreographers: Anthony Lee & Vinh Nguyen

2015

So You Think You Can Dance (FOX) | Assistant to Tyce Diorio & Tessandra Chavez

Pasadena Playhouse: "Breaking Through"

Assistant Choreographer | Choreographer: Tyce Diorio

Iyves: "Wilinout" Music Video | Director: Christine Yuan

2013

So You Think You Can Dance (FOX) - "This Woman's Work" Performance

Assistant Choreographer | Choreographer: Tyce Diorio

TEDxUCSD

"Hope, It Springs" | Performer/Speaker

Theater

2019

Navel – Entity Contemporary Dance

"The Spectacular Society" | Choreographer: Marissa Osato

Urban Paradise – Entity Contemporary Dance

"Transparent/see" | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

2018

Moves at the Montalban – Entity Contemporary Dance

"Transparent/see" | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

Theatre at Ace Hotel – Entity Contemporary Dance

"Bitterly" | Choreographers: Diana Schoenfield & Karen Chuang

Laguna Beach Dance Festival – Entity Contemporary Dance

"Transparent/see" | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

2017

ACE Awards – Entity Contemporary Dance

"PEEL" | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

Los Angeles Theater Center – Entity Contemporary Dance

“PEEL” | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

ODC SF – Entity Contemporary Dance

“PEEL” | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

2016

Studio Danz Hong Kong – Entity Contemporary Dance

“PEEL” | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

Aliwal Arts Center, Singapore – Entity Contemporary Dance

“PEEL” | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

Nate Holden Performing Arts Center – Entity Contemporary Dance

“PEEL” | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

2015

Dance Mission, San Francisco, CA – Entity Contemporary Dance

“Braxton v. Oregon” | Choreographers: Will Johnston & Marissa Osato

Teaching

- Facilitate classes geared toward pre-professional (ages 5-18) to professional (18+)
 - Generate competition pieces for solos and groups as an invited guest choreographer (3-45 dancers)
 - Cut and edit music selections
 - Brainstorm costuming and aesthetic details
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2023

Hollywood Vibe Dance Convention (2016-Present)

Faculty Member | Contemporary, Yoga, Competition Adjudicator for beginner, intermediate, and advanced levels

STEEZY Studios (2021-Present)

Lead Instructor | Contemporary for beginner, intermediate, and advanced levels

2022

Millennium Dance Complex

Substitute Contemporary teacher

Revolution Dance Center, Louisiana – Contemporary

Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels.

Evolution Dance Complex, North Carolina – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Advanced levels

Spotlight Dance Center, Michigan – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for juniors, teens, and senior levels

Viva Dance Center, Michigan – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition

Choreography for juniors, teens, and senior levels

Hype Dance Studios, California – Contemporary, Group Competition Choreography for

Advanced levels and master classes for Intermediate and Advanced levels

Dance Attack Los Gatos, California – Contemporary, Group Competition Choreography

for Advanced levels and master classes for Intermediate and Advanced levels

Mpact Dance Center, Colorado – Contemporary

Large Group and Solo Competition Choreography Intermediate/Advanced levels

Steps Dance Center, Illinois – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition

Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Tari's School of Dance, Louisiana – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition

Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

L2D, Utah - Contemporary, Group Competition Choreography for Intermediate and

Advanced levels

Cary Dance Productions, North Carolina - Contemporary, Group Competition

Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Continuum, Utah- Guest Choreographer for professional level company

2021

Dance Precisions, California (Guest Instructor) – Contemporary

Solo Competition Choreography for Advanced levels

Revolution Dance Center, Louisiana (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary

Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Steps Dance Center, Illinois – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition

Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Jill's Studio of Dance, Alabama – Contemporary, Group Competition Choreography for

Intermediate/Advanced

Mpact Dance Center, Virtual (Guest Choreographer) – Contemporary

Group and Solo Competition Choreography Intermediate/Advanced levels

Viva Dance Center, Michigan – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition

Choreography for juniors, teens, and senior levels

Tari's School of Dance, Louisiana – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition

Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Evolution Dance Complex, North Carolina– Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition
Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

L2D, Utah Contemporary, Group Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced
levels

Cary Dance Productions, North Carolina - Contemporary, Group Competition
Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

2020

Edge Performing Arts Center

Faculty Member | Contemporary

Dance Connection Palo Alto, Virtual (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary

Revolution Dance Center, Louisiana (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary
Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Mpact Dance Center, Virtual (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary
Group and Solo Competition Choreography Intermediate/Advanced levels

Dance Dimensions, Virtual (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary

Viva Dance Center, Michigan – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition
Choreography for juniors, teens, and senior levels

Tari’s School of Dance, Louisiana – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition
Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced

Jill’s Studio of Dance, Alabama – Contemporary, Group Competition Choreography for
Intermediate/Advanced

2019

Studio Danz, Hong Kong (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary

Danz People, Singapore (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary

Dance Works, Japan (Master Class Instructor) – Contemporary

Tune Dance Company, South Korea (Master Class Instructor) – Contemporary

Carolina Dance Center, North Carolina (Intensive Instructor) - Contemporary

Variations Dance Studio, Alabama – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition
Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Viva Dance Center, Michigan – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition
Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Revolution Dance Center, Louisiana – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition
Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Jill's Studio of Dance, Alabama – Contemporary, Group Competition Choreography for Advanced levels

Mpact Dance Academy, Colorado – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Steps Dance Center, Illinois – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Dancezone, Texas (Master Class) – Contemporary

L2D, Utah – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

2018

Expression Dance Festival, Mexico (Workshop Instructor) – Contemporary

Carolina Dance Center, North Carolina (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary

Bobbie's School of Performing Arts, California (Master Class) – Contemporary

Dance Republic, Arizona – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Mpact Dance Academy, Colorado – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Pacific Dance, Orange County – Contemporary, Group Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Intensity Dance Academy, Pennsylvania (Intensive Instructor)– Contemporary

L2D, Utah – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Steps Dance Center, Illinois – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Dance Dimensions, Colorado (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary

2017

Kemper Dance Academy, Colorado - Contemporary, Group Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Dance Academy USA, California - Contemporary Group and Solo Competition Choreography Intermediate/Advanced levels

Elite Dance Academy, Ohio - Contemporary Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Studio C, Idaho - Contemporary Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Steps Dance Center, Illinois – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

L2D, Utah – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

2016

Elite Dance Academy, Ohio - Contemporary Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Studio Danz, Hong Kong (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary

Danz People, Singapore (Intensive Instructor) – Contemporary

The Dance Shop, North Carolina- Contemporary Group Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Viva Dance Center, Michigan – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Julianna’s Academy of Dance, Michigan - Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Steps Dance Center, Illinois – Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Dance Vision, Iowa - Contemporary, Group and Solo Competition Choreography for Intermediate/Advanced levels

Kinjaz Dojo (2016-present)

Faculty Member | Contemporary

2015

Hollywood Vibe Dance Convention (2015-present)

Faculty Member | Contemporary, Yoga, Competition Adjudicator for beginner, intermediate, and advanced levels

Young Choreographer’s Project - Guest Mentor, Spring 2015

2013

826LA - Volunteer Math and English Tutor

Movement Lifestyle (2013-present) - Faculty Member | Contemporary

2012

Edge Performing Arts Center (2012-present) - Faculty Member | Contemporary

Education & Certifications

- 2019** **GagaLabs** - Los Angeles, CA (2016-2019)
Teachers: Adi Salant, Bret Easterling, Billy Barry
- 2016** **Yogaworks** - Bali, Indonesia
200 Hour Yoga Teacher Certification, October 2016
- 2012** **University of California, Los Angeles**
Bachelors of Arts, *summa cum laude*, Business Economics, June 2012

Other Experience

- 2012** **Versace USA, Inc.** (2011-2012)
Public Relations and VIP Assistant
- NSU Modern** (2008-2012)
Executive Director and Member
- UCLA Art & Global Health Center** (2010-2012)
Content Creator and Performer
- Kappa Alpha Theta: Beta Xi Chapter** (2009-2012)
Member, Apparel Designer, Historian