



# SHELBY DURHAM

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HEIGHT: 5'0" / HAIR COLOR: BROWN / EYES: GREEN

## TRAINING

### ATE9 DANCE COMPANY

Los Angeles, CA. 2020

Studied under Danielle Agami and company members.

### University of North Carolina School for the Arts - Professional Studies

Winston Salem, NC. 2020

Studied under Alexandra Damiani, Sidra Bell, Peter Chu,

Gregory Dolbashian, Juel D. Lane and Victor Quijada.

### Elon University BFA Dance Performance and Choreography

Elon, NC. 2016 - 2020

Studied under Jason Aryeh, Renay Aumiller, Suzanne Beahrs, Sayward Grindley, Gerri Houlihan, Lauren Kearns, Megan Mazerick Gene Medler, Jen Guy Metcalf, Matt Pardo, Sara Tourek, Justin Tornow, and Nina Wheeler.

### Hubbard Street Dance Chicago Pre-Professional Choreographic Intensive

Chicago, IL 2019

Studied under Kathleen Aharoni, Rena Butler, Roderick George, Alysia Johnson, Lauren Laughlin, Micaela Taylor, Jessica Tong, and Robyn Mineko Williams.

### Hubbard Street Dance Chicago Pre-Professional Repertoire Intensive

Chicago, IL 2018 - 2019

Studied under Alexandra Wells, Jaqueline Burnett, Johnathan Alsberry, Andrew Murdock, Connie Shiao, Meredith Dincolo, Benjamin Wardell, Elliot Hammans, Terence Marling, Craig D. Black, Ethan Kirschbaum, David Schultz and Anna Long.

### Accademia Europea di Firenze - Danza

Florence, Italy. 2019

Studied under Marga Nativo and Benedetta Ghiglia.

### Bodiography Contemporary Ballet

Pittsburgh, PA 2018

Studied under Maria Caruso.

### American Dance Festival - Six Week School

Durham, NC 2017

Studied under Elizabeth Corbett, Jen Nugent and Andrea Weber.

## PERFORMANCE

"the arrival" Perception Dance, *All Things Must Pass* 2020

"Fall" and "Winter" *Rites of Seasons* — works by: Yoshito Sakuraba and Renay Aumiller 2020

"Ombre di dubbio" *Una Serata D'Arte* — work by: Marga Nativa and Benedetta Ghiglia, Centro di Danza di Firenze Company 2019

Rehearsal Dancer for Jen Guy Metcalf 2019

Fall Dance Concert — works by: Megan Mazerick, Molly Reape and Alyssa Needham 2018

American College Dance Association Concert — works by: Abigail Corriagn, Blair Foust and Victoria Bond 2018

Spring Dance Concert — work by: Summations Dance Company 2018

*Of Those Who Live* — Fellows Thesis Concert works by: Abigail Corrigan 2018

*Surgical Mortality and Morbidity Conference at Duke University School of Medicine*, "Souké" by: Gaspard Louis 2017

*MinEvent, Merce Cunningham ADF 2017 "Scramble, Assemblage, Field and Figures, Travelogue and Exchange"* 2017

by: Merce Cunningham, staged by: Andrea Weber

Spring Dance Concert — works by: Gaspard Louis and Jason Aryeh 2017

## CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE:

"All Things Must Pass" Perception Dance "the arrival." 2020

Elon University Fall Dance Concert "ambush." 2019

Choreography Salon 2018 "ambush." 2018

Elon University Fall Dance Concert "FERROUS [for us]" 2018

Choreography Salon 2017 "FERROUS [for us]" 2017

## COMMISSIONED CHOREOGRAPHIC WORK:

"Emergence" 2019

"Don't Take it Too Seriously" 2019

"That I, That We" 2019

"Contrast" 2019

"Jungle" 2019

"The Ex-Marionette" 2019

"I'll Take Care of You" 2019

## AWARDS / HONORS

• Finalist for the International Online Dance Competition, "ambush."; IODC 2020

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• Official Selection for EXCHANGE Choreography Festival 2020 "ambush."; Bell House Art 2020

• Official Selection for the HOMEGROWN Choreography Festival 2020, "the arrival"; Screened July 2020

• Outstanding Senior Dance Performance and Choreography Award; Elon University 2019

• \$5,000 Grant for Choreographic Research; Elon University 2019

## CHOREOGRAPHY STUDIED

HUBBARD STREET Rena Butler, Crystal Pite, Alejandro Cerrudo,

DANCE CHICAGO Peter Chu, Robyn Minkeo Williams, Roderick

George, Micaela Taylor, Nacho Duato,

FLOCKWORKS, Ohad Naharin

AMERICAN DANCE Merce Cunningham, William Forsythe,

FESTIVAL Ohad Naharin

ELON DANCE Gaspard & Dancers, Summation Dance

PROGRAM Company, Yoshito Sakuraba