

Kaitlyn BRUNE

DANCER, PERFORMER

EXPERIENCE

TOWSON UNIVERSITY

Towson, MD - 2020 - 2024

- **Towson University Dance Company** (Fall 2023)
 - Alison Seidenstricker, Runqiao Du, Dana Tai Soon Burgess
- **Senior Seminar**
 - Refracted (Fall '23, Spring '24)
 - Mikhail Gordon, Marley Piechowiak
 - Tabula Rasa (Fall '22, Spring '23)
 - Elizabeth Sterling, Baylee Wong, Clark Johns II, Bethany Armistead
- **Dance Majors Performance Project** ('22-'24)
 - Kelly Gogliuzza, Mikhail Gordon, Marley Piechowiak, Summer Salyer, Emily Wampler
- **Dance for the Camera**
 - **2022,2023** - Under the direction of Susan Mann

MEKI'S TAMURE POLYNESIAN ARTS GROUP

Brooklyn Park, MD - 2017 - PRESENT

- Nonprofit under the direction of Meki & Kim Toalepai
- Polynesian Dance Styles:
 - Hula, Tahitian, Cook Islands, Samoa, Maori
- Birthday Parties, Libraries, Schools, Festivals, and other events

EDUCATION & TRAINING

BACHELOR'S OF FINE ARTS

Towson University (2020-2024)

Dance Performance & Choreography; PreK-12 Dance Education Concentration; minor in Entrepreneurship

BALTIMORE SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS

High School
Diploma

2016 -2020

MEKI'S TAMURE POLYNESIAN ARTS GROUP

Polynesian Dance
Training

2017-PRESENT

JEANETTE'S SCHOOL OF DANCE

Competitive
Dance

2006 - 2020

Additional Summer Training:

- Baltimore School for the Arts Summer Intensives (2016-18)
- The Ailey School Professional Division Summer Intensive (2019)

Additional references available upon request



CONTACT

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Height: 5'5" 3/4

Hair Color: Brown

Shoe Size: 8 1/2

Eye Color: Blue

STYLES

- Ballet
- Contemporary
- Pointe
- Lyrical
- Jazz
- Modern
- Tap
- Polynesian

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Magna Cum Laude (Towson University)
- Member of NHSDA (Graduated with Honors)
- **Scholarships:**
 - Harry L. Gladding
 - Baltimore School for the Arts 2020
 - Roberto Bobes & Grace Shwartz Niepert
 - Baltimore School for the Arts 2020
 - NDEO Conference: Undergraduate (2024)
 - Towson University: Provost Scholarship

SKILLS

- Public Speaking
- Teaching Certification, Dance PreK-12 (MSDE)
- Administrative Assistant Experience
- Resident Assistant/Advisor Experience
- Poi Ball Dances (Maori, New Zealand Dance)
- First Aid/CPR/AED Certified (ARC)
- U.S. Driver's License & Passport