

Jessica Elaine Simpson

Education

2008 Bachelor of Fine Arts, University of Colorado, Boulder

Teaching Experience

2005 – Present Ballet Teacher with Dance Dimensions

2005 Guest Dance Teacher for Creative Movement
Manhattan Middle School

Professional Experience

2005 Blue Moon Dance Company
(dancer, choreographer, teacher)

2003-2004 Robert Ivey Ballet

Performing Experience

2008 *Setsuna*
Choreography by Abigail Wallace, Boulder, CO

If The Shoe Fits
Choreography by Chrissy Nelson, Boulder, CO

Round About
Choreography by Peg Posnik, Boulder, CO

2006 *Five Before the Train*
Choreography by Lindsay Pierce, Boulder, CO

Give it Breath, a BFA Concert
(choreographer and performer), Boulder, CO

Back to Bach Chamber Ballet
Choreography by Viki Psihoyos, Boulder, CO

Paint Me
(choreographer and performer), Boulder, CO

2006 *Working Memories*
Choreography by Susan Marshall, Boulder, CO

Mirrored

(choreographer and performer) Boulder, CO

(only for some)
Choreography by Marissa Hallo, Boulder, CO

Graces and Fates
Choreography by Lindsay Pierce, Boulder, CO

Catalyst
Choreography by Anna Bjugstad, Boulder, CO and Wichita, KS

Spectacle and Illusion, The Magic of Aaron Eisenberg
Choreography by Kurtis Aragon, Boulder, CO

The L Word
(choreographer and performer), Boulder, CO

2005 *Les Sylphides*
Staged by Robin Haig, Boulder, CO

Unstuck
Choreography by Leslie Merrill, Boulder, CO

Catalyst
Choreography by Anna Bjugstad, Boulder, CO

Five Minutes 'til Saturday
Choreography by Anna Bjugstad, Boulder, CO

Torque, Blue Moon Dance Company
Choreography by Pat Connelly, Boulder, CO

Spring Forward II, Blue Moon Dance Company
Boulder, CO

Boulder Jazz Dance Workshop Student Show
Choreography by Gabriel Masson and Jessica Hendricks, Boulder, CO

In My Head
(choreographer and performer), Boulder, CO

2003-2004 Robert Ivey Ballet
Charleston, SC

2000-2003 Connecticut Conservatory of the Performing Arts
New Milford, CT

1991-2000 Ballet Califia Youth Ballet

Mill Valley, CA

Choreography

- 2008 *No Title*
A trio for three men, Boulder, CO
- 2007 *Lay Me Down*
A solo for one women en pointe, Boulder, CO
- Whisper*
A trio for three women in bare feet, Boulder, CO
- Rise*
A trio created for three women en pointe, Boulder, CO
- Lay Out*
A quintet for two women en pointe and three women in bare feet,
Boulder, CO
- Paint Me*
A solo for one woman with text and props, Boulder, CO
- Hit the Road, A Day in the Sun, Remember, Strings*
Ballet pieces Created for Dance Dimensions Children's Concert, Longmont,
CO
- 2006 *Mirrored*
A duet for two women en pointe, Boulder, CO
- The L Word*
A solo with video projection, Boulder, CO
- Thirteen Little Swans, Morning*
Ballet pieces for Dance Dimensions Children's Concert, Longmont, CO
- 2005 *In My Head*
A duet for two women, Boulder, CO

Festival Participation

- 2006 American College Dance Festival, Wichita, KS
- 2005 Boulder Jazz Dance Workshop, Boulder, CO

Technical Experience

- 2006 Assistant Lighting Designer
DanceWorks 2007, Boulder, CO
- Co-Lighting Designer
Student Dance Concert, Boulder, CO
- 2006 Costume Attendant
DanceWorks 2006, Boulder, CO
- 2005 Sound Board Operator
MFA Concert at CU, Boulder, CO
- Sound Board Operator
Boulder Jazz Dance Workshop, Boulder, CO