

# Shannon Wright

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## SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Dancer
- Choreographer
- Teacher

## EDUCATION

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance Performance and Choreography expected graduation May 2019

East Carolina University

GPA: 3.7

## TRAINING AND INTENSIVES

Hubbard Street Dance Chicago Pre-Professional Summer Program - Chicago, IL 2018

American College Dance Association Mid-Atlantic Conference - Richmond, VA 2018

Trinity Laban Summer Study - London, UK 2017

American College Dance Association Mid-Atlantic Conference - College Park, MD 2017

Inaside Summer Workshop - Chicago, IL 2016

Great Lakes Dance Festival - Rochester Hills, MI 2015

Complexions Contemporary Ballet Summer Intensive - Detroit, MI 2014

The Edge Performing Arts Center - Los Angeles, CA, 2014

## CHOREOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE

- 2019      *may i have this dance*  
Lights Up - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
5 dancers
- 2019      *concurrence*  
Senior Choreography Showcase - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
10 dancers
- 2018      *mountians*  
Senior Solo Showcase - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
Solo
- 2018      *and also*  
Comp II Final Showing - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
5 Dancers
- 2018      *Hydrosphere* (collaborative project with Katie White)  
Comp II Showing I - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
6 Dancers
- 2017      *alone in a crowded room*  
Comp I Final Showing- ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
Solo
- 2017      *homestead*  
Contemporary Concert - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
11 Dancers
- 2017      *she walks into the room, and forgets she's human*  
Comp I Showing II - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
Duet

- 2017 *i can't see, but i'm reaching up*  
Comp I Showing I - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
Trio
- 2017 *what would i be without you*  
Lights Up - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
Duet
- 2016 *a car. a torch. a death*  
Lights Up - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
Trio
- 2016 *Steam Heat*  
Choreographed by Emma Konnick and Shannon Wright  
Lights Up - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
Duet
- 2016 *you are the coffin*  
Lights Up - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
Small Group
- 2015 *let me in*  
Lights Up - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre  
Duet
- 2015 *Got It* (collaborative project with Emily Donston and Donterreo Culp)  
Community Engagement Day - Lucille W. Gorham Intergenerational Community Center  
Trio

## **PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE**

- 2019 *With(out) Remembrance*  
Choreographed by Donterreo Culp  
Spring Senior Choreography II - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2018 *King and...*  
Choreographed by Megan Crotty  
Spring Senior Choreography II - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2019 *Terra Lingua*  
Choreographed by Teal Darkenwald and John Dixon  
Dance 2019 - McGinnis Theatre
- 2019 *Naughty Dessert*  
Choreographed by Tommi Galaska  
Dance 2019 - McGinnis Theatre
- 2019 *Apóleia*  
Choreographed by David Ingram  
Dance 2019 - McGinnis Theatre
- 2018 *separation fuels the soul*  
Choreographed by Matthew Lynady  
Fall Dance 2018 - McGinnis Theatre
- 2018 *Ménos*  
Choreographed by David Ingram

Fall Dance 2018 - McGinnis Theatre

- 2018 *Calling All Senses*  
Choreographed by Teal Darkenwald  
Fall Dance 2018 - McGinnis Theatre
- 2018 *mountians*  
Choreographed by Shannon Wright  
Senior Solo Showcase - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2018 *Groovitus*  
Choreographed by Melissa Henley  
Spring Senior Choreography II - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2018 *Sueno En Tango*  
Choreographed by Sarah Davis  
Spring Senior Choreography II - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2018 *This Land..*  
Choreographed by John Dixon  
Dance 2018 - McGinnis Theatre
- 2017 *Congratulations*  
Choreographed by Marissa Nesbit  
Dance @ Wright - R.H. Wright Auditorium
- 2017 *Le Corsaire*  
Staged by David Ingram  
Dance @ Wright - R.H. Wright Auditorium
- 2017 *Doomteck*  
Choreographed by Amy VanKirk  
Dance @ Wright - R.H. Wright Auditorium
- 2017 *Thousand Eyes*  
Choreographed by Caroline Markoch  
Fall Senior Choreography I - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2017 *One Way Ticket*  
Choreographed by Emma Konnick  
Fall Senior Choreography I - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2017 BbOaNrEeS  
Choreographed by Kristalyn Gill  
WaxWorks Showcase - Triskelion Arts, Brooklyn NY
- 2017 *A Smile Can Go Further Than You Think*  
Choreographed by Ashley Burt  
Lights Up! - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2017 *Don't Blink*  
Choreographed by Noelle Dave, Kennedy Hill and Ashley Beaman  
Spring Comp II Showing 3 - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2017 *you plucked the darkness out of my soul, you saved me*  
Choreographed by Taliah Vanderbeek  
Spring Senior Choreography II - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2017 *object/obstruct*  
Choreographed by John Dixon, Teal Darkenwald, David Ingram, Marissa Nesbit  
Dance 2017 - McGinnis Theatre

- 2017 *Providence*  
Choreographed by Emily Tinsley  
American College Dance Association - Mid Atlantic Conference, College Park, MD
- 2017 *Disjunction*  
Choreographed by Savannah Roberts and Madison Wolfe  
Spring Comp II Showing 2 - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2017 *when habit restricts intent*  
Choreographed by Noelle Dave  
Spring Comp II Showing 2 - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2017 *BbOaNrEeS - Multimedia Instillation*  
Choreographed by Kristalyn Gill  
BbOaNrEeS - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2017 *Providence*  
Choreographed by Emily Tinsley  
Contemporary Concert - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *Jig to the Jam*  
Choreographed by Elizabeth Cousar  
Last Dance: Final Comp I Showing - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *Steam Heat*  
Choreographed by Emma Konnick and Shannon Wright  
Lights Up!- ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *My Life dictated by Rhythmic Patterns*  
Choreographed by Hallie Arelia Hoy  
Fall Senior Choreography I - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *YOUunity*  
Choreographed by Stephanie Watterson  
Fall Senior Choreography I - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *Sorry I'm Not a Blonde*  
Choreographed by Lydia Patselas  
Fall Comp 1 Showing 3 - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *Not Enough Time, Not Enough Sleep*  
Choreographed by Emma Konnick  
Fall Comp 1 Showing 2 - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *Observance*  
Choreographed by Savannah Roberts  
Fall Comp 1 Showing 2 - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *BbOaNrEeS*  
Choreographed by Kristalyn Gill  
Fall Senior Choreography I - R.H. Wright Auditorium
- 2016 *Providence*  
Choreographed by Emily Tinsley  
Fall Senior Choreography I - R.H. Wright Auditorium
- 2016 *Begending*  
Choreographed by Hallie Arelia Hoy and Stephanie Watterson  
Dance @ Wright - R.H. Wright Auditorium
- 2016 *Tribunal (For Flint)*  
Choreographed by Marissa Nesbit

Dance @ Wright - R.H. Wright Auditorium

- 2016 *Eventually, everything connects*  
Choreographed by Taliah Vanderbeek and Sierra Gorham  
Fall Comp 1 Showing - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *Begending*  
Choreographed by Hallie Arelia Hoy and Stephanie Watterson  
Fall Comp 1 Showing - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *K.A.T.S. (Kick Ass This Summer) (Understudy)*  
Choreographed by Jazlyn Moore  
...But not an End in Itself; Senior Choreography Showcase - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *Monochrome*  
Choreographed by Tommi Galaska and Dirk Lumbard  
Random Acts - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *Life's About the Race*  
Choreographed by Shannon Carter  
Spring Comp II Showing I - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *What Happens Behind Us (II)*  
Choreographed by Emily Tinsley  
Contemporary Concert - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *To Talk without Thinking is to Shoot without Aiming (Understudy)*  
Choreographed by Jazlyn Moore  
Contemporary Concert - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2016 *Intersections*  
Choreographed by Megan Abadoo  
Contemporary Concert - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015 *Words*  
Choreographed by Erica Bolick  
Lights Up! - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015 *let me in*  
Choreographed by Shannon Wright  
Lights Up! - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015 *The Heavy Road*  
Choreographed by Katie Gannon  
Lights Up! - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015 *Toddlers and Tiaras*  
Choreographed by Donterreo Culp  
Lights Up! - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015 *Don't Look For Happiness, Create It*  
Choreographed by Emma Konick  
Lights Up! - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015 *Don't Look For Happiness, Create It*  
Choreographed by Emma Konick  
Sophomore Solo Showing - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015 *Monochrome*  
Choreographed by Tommi Golaska  
College Night - North Carolina Museum of Art

- 2015      *False Evidence Appearing Real* (understudy)  
Choreographed by Lauren Pittman  
It is a Means to an End... Senior Choreography Showcase - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015      *What Happens Behind Us*  
Choreographed by Emily Tinsley  
Fall Comp 1 Showing 2 - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015      *Medusozoa Moves*  
Choreographed by Shannon Carter  
Fall Comp 1 Showing 1 - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre
- 2015      *I Broke My Funny Bone*  
Choreographed by Drew Yowell  
Fall Comp 1 Showing 1 - ECU School of Theatre and Dance Studio Theatre

## **SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP**

- East Carolina Dance Association Secretary
- Fine Arts Funding Board Member
- East Carolina Dance Program Professional Outreach Intern
- Dance Science Club Member

## **TRAINING EXPERIENCE**

- **Modern:** John Dixon, Ji-Eun Lee, Teal Darkenwald, Danielle Sheather
- **Jazz:** Tommi Galaska, Michael Lemanski
- **Ballet:** David Ingram, Teal Darkenwald, Galina Panova
- **UltraBarre:** Teal Darkenwald
- Matt Lynady Residency
- Amy VanKirk Residency
- Megan Abadoo Residency

## **REFERENCES**

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