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**Scenic Painter** - Grace Bennett, Matthew Harbison

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# ILLUSIONS

## SPRING DANCE CONCERT



Dr. Jack Hawkins, Jr., Chancellor  
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## SPRING DANCE CONCERT

APRIL 21-27, 2022

TROJAN CENTER THEATER

### ARTISTIC STAFF

**Artistic Director**  
JAMES BOYD

**Assistant Director**  
TAYLOR DEWBERRY

**Scenic Designer**  
ASHLEY ANN WOODS

**Costume Designer**  
BRITTANY DEE BODLEY

**Lighting Designer**  
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**Stage Manager**  
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**Properties Master**  
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**Light Board Operator**  
GABBIE REEVES

**Sound Board Operator**  
MANDI SELLERS

**Sound Technician**  
PATE SPENCER

**Assistant Stage Managers**  
ISAAC BLACK  
MARY ELIZABETH BROOKS  
ANDI LANCASTER  
AMBER SMITH

**Graphic Designer**  
OLIVIA KATTOS

### Apperception

**Choreographers:** Carlos Garland and Marisa Dolan

**Videography:** DanceLook, LLC

**Music:** B.O.B Feat. Nicki Minaj "Out of My Mind," a Clark Kent remix,  
Tomme Profitt feat. Fleurie "Mad World"

**Cast:** Madison Alward, Ireland Clayton, Gabby Deaton, Taylor Dewberry  
(4/23,4/24, 4/27), Crystal Dubose, Caroline Gerhart (4/22,4/24, 4/26), Maliya  
Harris (4/24), Kyndal Hearn, Anna Grace Johnson, Erin Johnson,  
Malachi Leaks, Michaela Pearse, Leia Riehl

**Understudies:** Maliya Harris

### Awakenings

**Choreographer:** Dominique Angel

**Music:** Philip Glass "Metamorphosis II"

**Cast:** Adrienne Hicks, James Boyd (4/21, 4/22, 4/23, 4/27)  
Taylor Griffith, Quintin Moore (4/24, 4/26)

### Ever Present

**Choreographer:** Adrienne Hicks

**Music:** Bishop Briggs, "Dead Man Arms"; Lindsey Stirling, "Underground"

**Cast:** Ceara Calton, Gabby Deaton, Alex Folkes, Taylor Griffith (4/21, 4/22, 4/23,  
4/27), Grayson Harris (4/21, 4/22, 4/23), Ashley Hood, Erin Johnson,  
Sarah Sinclair, Elizabeth Smith, Ethan Tyler, Ryan Tucker and Emily Ward  
**Swings:** Madison Alward (4/22), Carson Harris (4/23, 4/24, 4/26, 4/27),  
Morgan Jensen (4/22, 4/23, 4/24, 4/26, 4/27)

**Understudy:** Alina Sullivan

### From Across the Room

**Choreographer:** Jamal White

**Music:** Pink Martini, Storm Large "Solidao"; Pink Martini "Una Notte a Napoli";  
Pink Martini, Ari Shapiro "Ov Sirun Sirun"

**Cast:** Ceara Calton, Danielle Daniel, Crystal Dubose, Taylor Griffith,  
Grayson Harris, Kyndal Hearn, Olivia Kattos, Meghan Lyman,  
Quintin Moore and Emily Ward

### INTERMISSION

### Threads From A String of Swing

**Choreographer:** Daryl Gray

**Music:** Glen Miller Orchestra "String of Pearls,"

"Tuxedo Junction," "Farewell Blues," "In the Mood," and  
"Don't Sit Under the Apple Tree"(Performed by The Andrew Sisters)

**Cast:** Antonio Christian, Ireland Clayton, Carsyn Harris, Grayson Harris (4/24,  
4/26, 4/27), Quintin Moore, Cedrick Scruggs\*, Elizabeth Smith and Ethan Tyler

**Understudies:** Jaala Hall, Malachi Leakes and Michaela Pearse

### Beneath the Surface

**Choreographer:** Kelsey Metz

**Music:** Anna Caragnano and Donato Dozzy, "Parola"; Thom Yorke, "Dawn Chours"

**Cast:** Christina Cervone, Antonio Christian, Gabby Deaton, Alex Folks,  
Jaala Hall, Maliya Harris, Ashley Hood, Julia Huskey, Anna Grace Johnson,  
Michaela Pearse, Abigail Prather, Leia Riehl, Cedrick Scruggs\*

**Understudies:** Ashton Fisher (4/24), Jasmine Hargreaves (4/24)  
and Sarah Sinclair (4/24)

### Vortex

**Choreographer:** Marcus Allan Cobb

**Music:** Tsar B "Elevate"; Bree Runway "Hot Hot"; Tekno Yemi Alade,  
Mr. Eazi and Lord Africana "Don't Jealous Me"; Pedro "Drenas"

**Cast:** Ceara Calton, Ireland Clayton, Antonio Christian, Gabby Deaton,  
Taylor Dewberry, Crystal Dubose, Caroline Gerhart, Teniyah Ginyard, Taylor Griffith,  
Grayson Harris, Maliya Harris, Kyndal Hearn, Morgan Jensen, Anna Grace Johnson  
(4/21, 4/22, 4/23, 4/27), MacKenzie McMillion, Quintin Moore, Michaela Pearse,  
Gracie Smith, Arlana Spencer (4/23, 4/24, 4/26), Ryan Tucker, Ethan Tyler

**Understudy:** Cedrick Scruggs



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about the choreographers!

### DIRECTOR'S NOTES:

Tonight's performance will flood your senses with visual fictions aimed to trigger your curiosity, possibly, causing you to wonder as we have during this creative process: What is illusion? We attempt to make sense of our world by shifting the time and space of perception. So prepare to experience the interlacing of unique lighting, scenic designs, costume designs and illusory motion. Guaranteed to delightfully deceive, *Illusions* poses the question, Is anything we experience real?

As the Artistic Director, I'm thrilled to say I've had the pleasure of working with a world-class production team who is the best of Troy University's Theatre and Dance faculty. With their support and guidance, we are able to offer you an original dance concert performed by pre-professionals driven to succeed and hungry for success. It truly takes a village to create a production, especially one original from beginning to end, and it is an honor to be a part of and to create with the Department that works with such joyous effort. I want to thank everyone involved with making this original production possible, and I want to thank you, audience, for attending and supporting the Arts! Now, sit back and enjoy as we stretch reality, manipulate focus, light up the space, and expand the ILLUSION UNIVERSE!

James L. Boyd III, MFA, CMAP  
Artistic Director