DANCE LIKE EVERYONE IS WATCHING
The School of Dance has given generations of talented young dancers the tools they need to succeed professionally.

Today, our dancers concentrate in Classical Ballet or Contemporary Dance and train extensively with internationally recognized faculty to develop technical excellence that spans both styles. Equally at home in the studio and onstage, students work as professionals with choreographers in the industry, becoming truly versatile artists in the process. Here, you’ll be challenged and supported, encouraged and elevated — and you’ll be able to rise, becoming the dancer you were born to be.
IN SCHOOL, I FOUND FREEDOM THROUGH CHOREOGRAPHY AND THAT CONTINUED TO BE REFLECTED IN MY EXPERIENCES AS A PROFESSIONAL.

and regardless of the struggles, I learned how important it is to find liberation in all circumstances.

Camille A. Brown
B.F.A. ’01
Award-winning director and choreographer

ABUNDANT PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES
We set the stage for you to unleash your potential through a dazzling array of performance opportunities. With a repertoire that spans timeless classical ballets and cutting-edge contemporary works, you will be immersed in a world of dance that will push you to expand your horizons and elevate your artistry. At UNCSA, every dancer has multiple opportunities to perform and develop the skills and mindset of a true performer. From the discipline and dedication required for rehearsals to the creative problem-solving and teamwork needed to bring a performance to life, our students emerge from each opportunity as stronger dancers and more well-rounded individuals.

FOCUS ON WELLNESS
For dancers, discipline and health go hand in hand. Our comprehensive wellness program gives our students access to trainers, nutritionists, counselors and physical therapists.
EXPERIENCED FACULTY

Our faculty are known globally, with years of industry experience as professional artists across all forms of dance in the U.S. and abroad. As you train under their guidance, you will benefit from their expertise and extensive connections in the performing arts industry, preparing you for the next stage of your career.

REWARDING CAREERS

Our alumni have become soloists, principal dancers, choreographers and artistic directors with the American Ballet Theatre, Dance Theatre of Harlem, New York City Ballet, Pacific Northwest Ballet and the Joffrey Ballet. In the contemporary sphere, our graduates are dancers and choreographers for both on- and off-Broadway productions, as well as for Paul Taylor Dance Company, Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater and the Martha Graham Ensemble. You’ll graduate from the School of Dance equipped with versatility, collaborative skills and technical prowess.