CU New Student Welcome 2019
Dance Majors & Minors

“There is a bit of insanity in dancing that does everybody a great deal of good.”
-- Edwin Denby

I. First Day Meeting and Audition
All new dance majors should plan on attending the dance division meeting on Monday, August 26th from 10:00am – 11:30am in W150 of the University Theatre Building. This meeting is part of the first day of class for DNCE 2021-801. Although you have been pre-enrolled in this class, you will audition on Tuesday, August 27th at 10:00am for final approval by the dance faculty. You will receive more information on the audition at the first day meeting.

Additional Auditions for technique classes
DNCE 4181: Advanced Ballet
Tuesday, Aug 27th - noon in W350

DNCE 1301: Hip Hop Technique 1
Tuesday, Aug 27th - noon in W150

DNCE 3301: Hip Hop Technique 2
Monday, Aug 26th - noon Carlson Gymnasium

Auditions for performance opportunities can be found on the website at http://www.colorado.edu/theatredance/dance/auditions

II. Getting involved in the Theatre & Dance Department
CU Dance Connection (CUDC)
Join CUDC! CU Dance Connection (CUDC) exists as a student organization to create a greater sense of community within the department and offer performance and choreographic opportunities for our students. This group of students is also very involved in fundraising for students to attend the annual American College Dance Association Conference and fully produces the wildly successful student show, Open Space.

OnStage: A Student Performing Arts Group
Join OnStage! Funded by student fees, OnStage is a performing arts organization run by CU students. (Their callboard is located in the same hallway where the Theatre callboards are located.) In addition to producing the annual CU Fringe Festival (held in April), OnStage funds productions, guest artists, speakers, and workshops throughout the academic year. www.cuonstage.org

Theatre Performance Auditions
Auditions for theatre performances are open to all students on campus. Audition information is available on our website at http://www.colorado.edu/theatredance/theatre/auditions
III. Dance Department Email List Serve
The dance email list serve is our main way of communicating with dance majors - we share information about upcoming auditions, schedule changes, internship and scholarship opportunities and more. You can elect to subscribe with your personal email if you prefer and can manage your list subscriptions on your own but you MUST be subscribed to this listserve, it is a requirement for all dance majors.

To subscribe to the undergraduate dance email list at CU, address a message from your preferred email to:
    sympa@lists.colorado.edu
Leave the Subject line blank, and in the body of the message type:
    SUBSCRIBE dance-list firstname lastname
For example:
    SUBSCRIBE dance-list Sandy Dancer

To remove yourself from a list, address a message from the email you subscribed with to:
    sympa@lists.colorado.edu
Leave the Subject line blank, and in the body of the message type:
    UNSUBSCRIBE dance-list

Sending a message to list members:
To send a message that will go to all of the members on the dance-list, you must address your message to:
    dance-list@lists.colorado.edu
This list is moderated and approved by a staff member once per day. Time sensitive material should not be sent without speaking first to the dance administrator.

IV. Department of Theatre and Dance Main Office
The main office for the Department of Theatre and Dance is located in room C132. A good place to start with questions is with the department administrative assistant, Stacy Norwood. You can reach her by phone at 303-492-7355 or email at stacy.norwood@colorado.edu.