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# EMBARK

2022 BFA DANCE SHOWCASE



**MAY 19**

**5:30PM**

**MEMORIAL HALL**

**DIRECTED BY:**

WILSON MENDIETA

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# EMBARK

2022 BFA DANCE SHOWCASE

## Welcome to EMBARK:

A Choreographic and Performance Debut for BFA Dance Artists. This showcase creates a venue where graduating BFA seniors display their unique and hard-earned artistic voices as solo artists. The Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance Performance degree is designed for students committed to pursuing careers as professional performers and/or choreographers. It provides them with rigorous dance training within the context of an excellent liberal arts education. Dancers train in advanced levels of Modern Dance, Ballet and Jazz Technique and gain experience in choreography, performance, production, dance science, and teaching. This evening's showcase is a mandatory capstone requirement towards graduation for all BFA dance students. It is a celebration of both the faculty's belief in guiding each student towards their authentic voice as well as a celebration of these 25 fine people. We hope you enjoy the many visions of dance represented by our graduating BFA class, and we invite you to join the dancers for a reception after the concert to celebrate their success.

Enjoy the concert!

Sincerely,  
Julianne O'Brien  
Chair, Department of Dance

## SAVANNAH SAUER

### "Like a Heartbeat, Drives you Mad"

Choreographed by Santiago Villareal

Music: Universal Music: Blue in Green

## OLIVIA SCHROEDER

### "Earth Spins"

Choreographed by Olivia Schroeder

Music: Universal Music: As The Earth Spins by Michael James Burns

## SARA IISAKA

### "Jūbun"

Choreographed by Ido Tadmor and Sara Iisaka

Music: Preludes, Op. 28: No. 6 in B Minor, composed by Chopin, Performed by Ken Iisaka

## MEG NIEDFELDT

### "Le Fin"

Choreographed by Meg Niedfeldt

Music: "A Romantic Story Without End" by Christian Bodhi

## MAX PROSSER

### "Synkro"

Choreographed by Saleemah E. Knight

Music: "Tribe" by Synkro

## MORGYN POTTORF

### "Halcyon"

Choreographed by Alli Esposito

Music: "She Remembers" by Max Richter

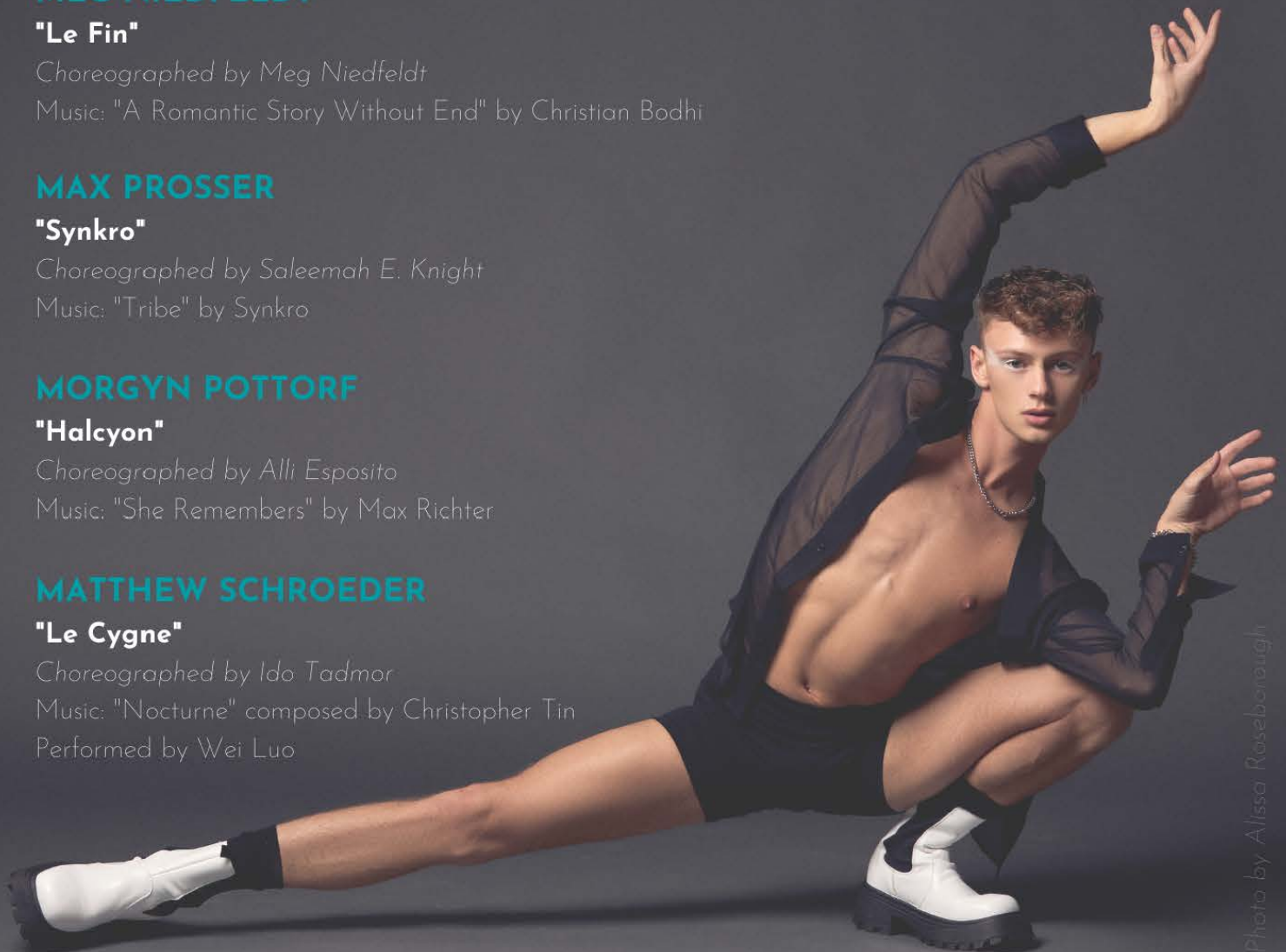
## MATTHEW SCHROEDER

### "Le Cygne"

Choreographed by Ido Tadmor

Music: "Nocturne" composed by Christopher Tin

Performed by Wei Luo



## AMY MAGSAM

### "Cheetah"

Choreographed by Alexis Roberts and Amy Magsam

Music: "CHEETAH" by Jimmy Edgar

## OLIVIA LIBERATI

### "Riot Rhythm"

Choreographed by Olivia Liberati and Andrea Bess

Music: "Riot Rhythm" by Sleigh Bells

## MEGHAN CAITO

### "Lost and Found"

Choreographed by Meghan Caito

Music: Universal Music: Lost and Found by Arnau Giordani Calsina

## JOSH ESCOVER

### "Mister"

Choreographed by Josh Escover

Music: Original Composition by Josh Escover, Mr. Lonely by Bobby Vinton

## LYDIA HARRISON

### "The beginning"

Choreographed by Shiori Kamijo

Music: "O" LVDF

## BETHANY VIOLETT

### "and again"

Choreographed by Ido Tadmor and Bethany Violet

Music: Universal Music: Evangaline by Lorenzo Castellarin

# INTERMISSION

*There will be a short Intermission*



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## TAYLER MCGUIRE

### "火"

Choreographed by Will Johnston and Tayler McGuire

Music: Original Composition by Will Johnston in collaboration with Tayler McGuire

## ALIE KRYDER

### "Give it to me right"

Choreographed by Blayke Bayer and Alie Kryder

Music: Universal Music



## LAUREN ANDERSON

### "Where you are"

Choreographed by Derek Tabada

Music: Original Composition by Takazo & Kaizo Hall



## DAISY MCMILLEN

### "Inside"

Choreographed by Angel Mammoliti

Music: Original Composition by Kurtis Sprung

## JACOB WIEDERRICH

### "Cyclical"

Choreographed by Will Johnston and Jacob Wiederrich



## CHLOE ANDERSSON

### "Myriad"

Choreographed by Ida Saki

Music: Original Composition by Marc Cardarelli

## DANI MULLAN

### "lost"

Choreographed by Azuki Umeda and Dani Mullan

Music: "lost each other" composed by Robert Gaar

## ANNE ELISE GARRISON

### "Relief"

Choreographed by Anne Elise Garrison

Music: Doris by Stephen Riley and Ernest Turner

## CAMRYN MANDELBAUM

### "After The Rain"

Choreographed by Shauna Oliverio and Camryn Mandelbaum

Music: After The Rain composed by David Shockey

## BRI NOE

### "Protect Your Energy"

Choreographed by Vickie Roan

Music: Universal Music; Voices of the Cosmos, A New Lease at Dawn

## ANNA CLAY

### "e si muoverà"

Choreographed by Jennifer Backhaus and Anna Clay

Music: and It Will Move II by Connor Lemon

## MADISON HENIFF

### "If it were a Game "

Choreographed by Madison Heniff

Music: Universal Music; Slow Cat



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# PRODUCTION STAFF AND CREW

## STAGE MANAGERS

Maddy Mracheck, Mia Harris

*Assistant Stage Managers: Grace Armbruster,  
Kerry Rimmer*

## LIGHTING DESIGNER

James Park

## SOUND DESIGNER

Andrew Weinberg

## MEMORIAL HALL MANAGER

Brian Fujii

## DECK CREW

Peyton Winsett, Kate Constantini,  
Chris Brown, Blythe Thompson

## USHERS

Isabella Piechota, Kaila Gudinas-Castrucci, Makaila Teagle,  
Zach Buri

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