



MEET THE DANCERS MORGAN “MO” WILLIAMS

What is your favorite style of dance?

"Hip-Hop. With hip-hop there is no true technique required and anyone could do it. It's such a free form style that is forever evolving."

Who or what inspires you to dance?

"There are two people who have inspired me to dance. First, Randy Duncan, the teacher at the Joffery All-Boy Spring Intensive, told me and my grandmother at the end of the program that if I stuck with dance, I could be amazing. Second, my grandmother, Margaret Williams. She has never missed any of my dance performances."

What is your dance training/background?

"I began dancing at Hyde Park School of Ballet, now Hyde Park School of Dance. Then I went to train at Joel Hall Dance Center, where I ended up falling in love with jazz. From there I was fortunate enough to be able to attend The Chicago Academy for the Arts on a full scholarship. During the summers, I have attended summer intensives at Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater, Hubbard Street Dance Chicago, and Deeply Rooted Dance Productions on full scholarships."

What was your most exciting dance experience?

"A two-month tour with a music artist named 'JQ.' I love traveling."