



FOSTER TALENT · DANCE RESUME

Mackenzie Salazar

DANCER · TEACHER

Austin, TX Height 5'6" @kenzieeesalazar



Mackenzie Salazar is an Austin-based dancer and performer trained in jazz, contemporary, lyrical, ballet, hip-hop and pom. A former Kilgore College Rangerette and Rangerette Swingster, she performed at the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, including as a backup dancer for Mariah Carey, then danced competitively with the Loyola University Chicago Dance Team. She has performed with Revision Dance Company and teaches and coaches at Illusion Dance Center.

Professional Experience

Mariah Carey	2022
Backup dancer · Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, NYC	
Revision Dance Company	2025–2026
Company member	
Kilgore College Rangerettes performances	2021–2022
Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, NYC (2021, 2022) · 80th Anniversary Pearl Harbor Performance, Hawaii (2021) · Cotton Bowl pregame and halftime (2021, 2022)	
Illusion Dance Center	2025–present
Instructor and team coach	

Teams & Organizations

Kilgore College Rangerettes	2021–2023
Line member and Swingster	
Loyola University Chicago Dance Team	2023–2025
Member · DTU College Classic (2024) · NDA Collegiate Dance Championship (2025)	

Training

Collegiate pom, jazz, gameday, hip-hop and contemporary	2023–2025
Loyola University Chicago Dance Team, Chicago	
Collegiate high kick, field jazz, jazz, lyrical, hip-hop, contemporary and modern	2021–2023
Kilgore College Rangerettes, Kilgore	
Ballet, jazz, jazz funk, contemporary, contemporary fusion, hip-hop and commercial	2017–2021
Balance Dance Studios, Austin	
Ballet, jazz, lyrical, tap, contemporary, acro and hip-hop	2007–2017
Dance Unlimited, Buda	

Special Skills

- Acro
- Singing
- Kickline and precision dance
- Choreography
- Improvisation and freestyle
- Partnering
- Performance for camera

Awards & Achievements

3rd in Pom 2024
DTU national rankings

12th in Jazz 2024
DTU national rankings