

Gabriel Bruno Eng Gonzalez

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Education

- 2025** MFA Dance, University of Illinois Urbana Champaign
Advisor: Roxane D 'Orleans Juste
- 2020** BA Sociology, Beloit College [**Magna Cum Laude**]
BA Dance, Beloit College [**Magna Cum laude**]

Teaching Experience

Graduate Teaching Assistant, College of Fine and Applied Arts, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, Illinois

August 2022 - present

- *DANC 116/316/516 - Multimodal Performance Art /
DANC 498 - BFA Thesis /
- *DANC 116/316/516 - Dance Party Aerobics /
DANC 490 - Repertory Company /
- *DANC 100 Introduction to Contemporary Dance /
- *Dance 100 (online) /
- *DANC 270/470 - Dancing in Community /

*Primary Instructor

Dance Church IRL Instructor, Urbana Dance Company, Urbana Illinois
2023 - present

Awards/Fellowships

- 2024** **Vannie L. Sheiry Memorial Scholarship 2024 (\$1,000)**
Given to a dance major who has demonstrated exceptional performing talent.
- 2023** **Mellon Foundation [Interseminars Graduate Fellow](#) (\$35,000)**
Interseminars funds three projects over three successive years, each selected through a competitive application process. This initiative represents the latest thinking on how best to practice a collaborative and equitable commitment to graduate training in the public research university of the 21st century. This initiative is supported by a \$2,000,000 grant from the Mellon Foundation,
- 2022-2023** **Graduate College Master's Fellowship (\$20,000)**
- 2022 - 2023** **Creative & Performing Arts Fellowship (\$2,000)**
- 2021 - 2022** **Foundation for Scholarly Exchange and Taiwan Ministry of Education, English Teaching Flagship Award, Penghu County Taiwan**
The English Teaching Flagship Award is given to those who are willing and are qualified to be English teachers in Taiwan. The Foundation for Scholarly Exchange (FSE) cooperates with the MOE (Ministry of Education) in Taiwan in order to achieve the goal of becoming a bilingual country by 2030.

**2020 - 2021 Fulbright Foundation for Scholarly Exchange, English Teaching Assistant
Kinmen County Taiwan**

The English Teaching Assistant (ETA) Programs place Fulbrighters in classrooms abroad to provide assistance to the local English teachers. ETAs help teach English language while serving as cultural ambassadors for the U.S.

2020 Weissberg Human Rights Fellowship (\$1,000)

Selected Group and Solo Performances

- 2024 The Winged**, [Eros Soloist], José Limón,
Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, October Dance, Urbana IL
Reconstructor, Roxane D'Orleans Juste
- 2024 [Beneath Our Feet: Grounded Space, Place, and Worldmaking](#)**, Urbana IL,
Independent Media Center.
Performance Lead
- 2024 [so! what now?](#)**, Adanya Gilmore, Studio Dance 2024, Urbana IL
"I'd like to cite the Black women and femmes who, while being creative innovators,
inspired this piece: Pinkydoll (the queen of NPC), Junglepussy (poet, actress, rapper),
Legacy Russell (curator and writer), and for the title alone: Azealia Banks (rapper,
song-writer)." - Adanya
- 2024 [Re-Re]**, Oluwadamilare (Dare) Ayorinde, Studio Dance Extended, Urbana IL
The work focuses on Ayorinde's time spent on deepening his understanding of the body
while diving into the well of black diasporic dance and their related worldviews. *[Re-Re]* is
the performative aspect of Ayorinde's thesis that reflects on the journey of that research.
- 2023 [Steps In The Street](#)**, Martha Graham, Krannert Center for the Performing Arts,
October Dance, Urbana IL
Regisseurs Miki Orihara Elizabeth Auclair
- 2023 [Cetacean](#)**, Deke Weaver, The Stock Pavilion (on the University of Illinois,
Urbana-Champaign campus), Urbana, Illinois.
Selections from the CETACEAN (The Whale) performance can be viewed on NPR, PBS
[Prairie Fire Episode](#)
- 2023 **Heap Loose****, Jennifer Monson, Links Hall Chicago IL
- 2022 [far from the 掛包: a memoir of reintegration](#)**, Elevate Chicago Dance Festival
2022, Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago IL
[Review](#)
- 2021 **Estrella Supernova, G Solo: underground underneath the underground****
[u.u.u.], prelude, Virtual premiere via CounterPulse, San Francisco, CA:
- 2021 [Things Are Still Not Fine - How Have You Been?](#)**, This Body Shows Up,
New York, NY
- 2021 [Things Are Still Not Fine](#)**, Winter Mini Fringe: Out With the Old!, Elgin, IL
- 2020 [Daddy Dom Cyber Som](#)**, Queerly Contemporary Festival, New York, NY
- 2018 [2,109.2 mi via I-80 W](#)**, ACDA North Central Conference, Madison, WI
(Original Choreography)
THE CHROMATIC GOSPEL, Gina T'ai, ACDA North Central Conference,
Madison, WI
- 2017 **It Goes Without Saying****, Chris Johnson, ACDA North Central Conference,
Duluth, MN