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EXPERTISE

Arts Education
Live Music Collaboration
Storytelling
Artistpreneurship
Mentorship
Improvisation

LANGUAGE

English: Native
Spanish: Fluent
Rhythm: Fluent

TAP DANCE LINEAGE

Mentored by:
Dr. Harold 'Stumpy' Cromer
Deborah Mitchell
Karen Callaway Williams

INTERESTS

Muay thai ooweee
Nora Roberts' books
Family recipes

HILLARY-MARIE

International Performance Artist & Educator

Interdisciplinary American tap dance artist committed to preserving the oral tradition of tap dance, ensuring its vibrancy for future generations.

AWARDS

Mid-Atlantic Arts // New Jersey State Council on the Arts

Individual Artist Fellowship Interdisciplinary Arts (2024)

Individual Artist Finalist Choreography (2023)

Individual Artist Fellowship Choreography (2017)

Fellowships and Residencies

NJPAC Fellowship (2019–2022)

COLAB Arts Residency (2017)

Long Island University Residency (2015, 2016)

Grants

Changing Times Tap Initiative (2024)

Dance New Jersey (2021, 2022, 2023)

LEADERSHIP

Founder and Director

iTap Teacher Retreat New Jersey (2025–Present)

The iTapOnline Studio Worldwide (2016–Present)

iTap Teacher Certificate Program Worldwide (2018–Present)

Grooves Unlimited Dance Studio Livingston, NJ (2012–2023)

FutureSTEP Tap Company Livingston, NJ (2016–2023)

Jersey Tap Fest Bloomfield, NJ (2010–2020)

Lost in the Shuffle Tap Dance Podcast (2018–2022)

NOTABLE COLLABORATIONS

Live Stage & Recordings

Wycliffe Gordon award-winning trombonist (2012–present)

Vincent Pierce Smith Percussionist (2023–present)

Emily Braden Vocalist (2015, 2025)

Mark Martin Champion Beatboxer (2024)

Take 6 Grammy-award acapella group (2023)

American Tap Dance Foundation Tony Waag (2023)

LayeRhythm Mai Lê Hô (2023)

Ami Madeleine Folk singer songwriter (2017–2023)

Willerm Delisfort Pianist (2012–2022)

Mark G. Meadows Pianist (2018–2019)

1 More Than 2 Lynn Schwab, Jenn Rose (2018)

Carolyn Dorfman Dance Up Close & Personal (2018)

Gabriel Hermida Flamenco Guitarist (2014–2018)

Jennifer Vincent Bassist (2016, 2017)

Big Bad VooDoo Daddy Grammy-nominated band (2016)

Nancy Harmes Vocalist (2016)

Roxane Butterfly New Dance Alliance (2016)

Heather Cornell Manhattan Tap Repertoire (2015–2016)

JC Hopkins Biggish Band (2012)

Boston Tap Company (2012)

New Jersey Symphony Orchestra (2008–2012)

Nat Adderley, Jr. Pianist and Arranger (2010)

Princeton Symphony Orchestra (2009)

Marvin Hamlisch award-winning Composer (2008)

EDUCATOR & PERFORMER

Featured Artist & Faculty

Body Rhythm Hamburg Germany (2026)
Escola Luthier de Dansa Spain (2018, 2023–2025)
Swim Out Costa Brava Spain (2025)
International Body Music Festival Greece (2024)
Mallorca Tap Festival Spain (2024)
Luthier Tap Festival Spain (2023, 2024)
LaJam Spain (2024)
Costa Rica Open Dance Fest Costa Rica (2023)
Dance For All Scotland (2023)
Claque Tap Spain (2018, 2023)
London Tap Academy UK (2023)
Orlando Tap Festival Florida (2023)
When Waves Collide New Jersey (2022)
JAM Project Maryland (2017, 2018, 2020–2022)
Brazil International Tap Festival Brazil (2019)
Paris Tap Crew France (2015, 2018)
Old Kent Road UK (2018)
Rock City Tap Fest Ohio (2016, 2018)
Dance On The Lawn New Jersey (2017)
NJHS Dance Festival New Jersey (2017)
Big Apple Tap Festival New York (2014, 2015, 2017)
Lindy Focus North Carolina (2014, 2016, 2017)
Westobou Festival Georgia (2017)
CTTap Collective Connecticut (2014–2017)
Resonance Tap Convention U.S. tour (2017)
NADAA Greater NY Chapter New Jersey (2015–2017)
BOGOTap Festival Colombia (2017)
New Dance Alliance NYC (2016)
The Krazy Tap Taiwan (2016)
Jimmy Slyde Institute Spain (2015)
House of Hoofing Sweden (2015)
Centro De Danza Honduras (2015)
MadTap Spain (2015)
Tanzhaus Tap Ahead Festival Germany (2014)
Cien Ritmos un Paso Guatemala (2014)
Anguilla Jazz Boat Anguilla (2013)
Philly Tap Challenge Pennsylvania (2011, 2013)

Dance Companies

A.C.G.I. Jason Samuels Smith (2015)
Sophisticated Ladies Dormeshia (2012–2016)
Above Ground Project Maurice Chestnut (2010–2015)
Tap Phonics Lisa LaTouche (2011)
NJTAP Ensemble Deborah Mitchell (2006–2012)

Regional Theatre

Rhythm is Our Business Derick K. Grant (2013)
W-L-U-V Christopher Scott (2013)
Harlem Stage E-Moves (2011)
Sonnets on Tap Awoye Timpo (2014)
Rhythm in the Night Boston Tap Company (2012)

INTENSIVE STUDY

Additional Studies

Frame Drum with Glen Velez (2026)
Frame Drum Camp Portugal, Murat Coskun (2026)
SHIFT Sound Therapy 300 hours (2025–2026)

MEDIA

Speaker

The Dance Talk Podcast (2023)
Tap Love Tour Podcast (2019)
TEDxRutgers (2012)
Terrence Taps Podcast (2011)
The Kiner Hour (2011)

Television

30 Rock NBC (2016)
The Power of Times Square Anchor Light (2014)
Inside New York City Dance MMN (2012)
SwiftKey Android Central (2012)
The Colbert Report Comedy Central (2011)

Magazines and News

Feature in Bernardsville News (2008, 2023)
Feature in New Jersey Stage (2014, 2018, 2022)
Feature in Broadway World (2012–2018)
Feature in The New York Times (2016)
Feature in The Dance Enthusiast (2016)
Featured in Female Run (2016)
Feature in Culturebot (2016)
Feature in Star Ledger (2010–2016)
Feature in Dance Spirit Magazine (2010, 2015)
Feature in Dance Teacher Magazine (2014)
Feature in Dance Studio Life Magazine (2012)
Feature in NJArts.net (2011)
Feature in SouthOrange Patch (2010)

ACADEMIA

Universities

Augusta University guest artist (2026)
Drew University guest artist (2023)
Hofstra University guest artist (2012–2021)
Montclair State University adjunct (2017)
Long Island University AIR (2015–16)
Fairleigh Dickinson entrepreneur studies (2010)
Drew University pan-african studies (2009)

REFERENCES

Available Upon Request