

# Maya Paletta

Vocal Range: D3-C6 Mezzo-Soprano with Belt

Height: 5'4"

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**BFA Acting, minor Dance Performance Northern Illinois University**

## COMPANY POSITIONS

### **Chicago Danztheatre Ensemble – Ensemble Member**

*Architecture of Memory*\*\* Dancer  
*Unraveling Bill* Dancer  
*An Old Man's Requiem* Choreographer, *Body Passages*  
**\*\*Upcoming Production**

### **Water Street Dance Milwaukee- Trainee**

*Persistence of Memory* Ensemble  
*Recuerdos de Ayer* Ensemble  
*The Fair and the Weak* Ensemble  
*Pedestal* Understudy

### **Northern Illinois University School of Theatre and Dance- Student**

*The Continuum of Change* Featured Ensemble  
*Dancing Forward Together* Soloist  
*42nd Street Tap* Ensemble  
*Jus' Tappin'* Trio

## FREELANCE

*Waiting for Tonight* Dancer  
*Sunlight Hitting the Water* Dancer  
*Currents* Dancer  
*Elevate* Opening Ceremony Dancer

## CHOREOGRAPHY

*Gaze (FILM)* Choreographer, *The One Hour Project*  
*16+8* Choreographer, Apprentice  
*Tic Tic Tic* Choreographer, *Get It Out There!*  
*Desperate Undertakings (FILM)* Odette (*lead*), Choreographer  
*Romeo and Juliet* Fight Choreographer  
*A Midsummer Night's Dream* Movement Director

## THEATRE (resume available upon request)

*The Blue Dress*\*\* Dorothy  
*Charlotte's Web* Narrator, Reporter  
*Happy Holly-Daze* Sketch Ensemble  
*Toddler Hiking Club* Squirrel  
*The Distrikt of Lake Michigan* Chorus Member  
*Dragons Love Tacos* u/s Blue Dragon\*, Red Dragon, Dog  
*Dames at Sea* Ginger, u/s Ruby\*, *Dance Captain*  
*She Kills Monsters* Agnes Evans  
*Cats: The Musical* Victoria, Mr. Mistoffellees, *Dance Captain*  
**\*\*Upcoming Production** **\*Performed Understudy Track**

## TRAINING

### **RIPPLEEFFECT Intensive**

*Apprentice* Choreography, Improvisation, Hip hop, Partnering, Contemporary, Jazz Funk

### **Hubbard Street Dance Chicago- Create Intensive**

*Don't Start Guessing* Ensemble  
*The Piece with the Carpet* Ensemble  
*Over the Edge* Ensemble  
*Unveiling the Essence* Ensemble

### **Deeply Rooted Dance Theatre- Summer Dance Intensive**

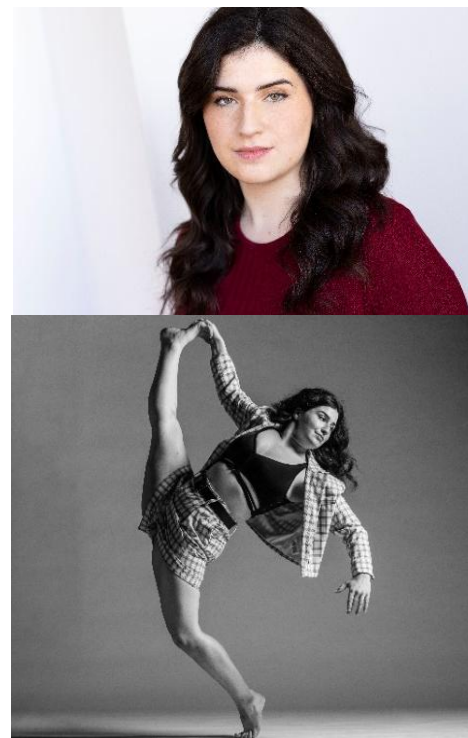
*Nightbird* Featured Ensemble  
*The Dance We Dance* Ensemble  
*Bitter Earth* Ensemble

### **The Actor's Gymnasium**

Circus Training Aerial Arts, Gymnastics, Physical Theatre

## SPECIAL SKILLS:

**Flute Skills:** Intermediate; **Stage Combat Experience:** Rapier, Dagger, Single Sword, Hand to Hand, Spear, Broadsword, Found Object; **Lift Experience:** Advanced Base, Intermediate Flyer; **Teaching Experience:** Experience in dance education ages 18 months-16 years; Conversational Spanish; Rap Skills; Comfortable with Animals; Jump Rope; Hula hoop; **Valid Drivers License**



Ellyzabeth Adler  
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Kate Alava  
Shanira Delgado  
Leila Henry  
Lean Demasco Jr.

Sarita Smith-Childs  
Marc Macaranas  
Paula Frasz  
Antonio Houston

Symbiosis Arts SANCTA  
Visceral Dance WITHIN  
RIPPLEEFFECT Intensive  
L'Bri Cosmetics: *Elevate Conference*

Project Bound Dance  
RIPPLEEFFECT Intensive  
Danceworks MKE  
NIU School of Communications  
Huntley High School  
Northern Illinois University

Yas, And! Comedy  
Alphabet Soup Productions  
Corn Productions  
Kerfuffle/Northbrook Theatre (TYA)  
Stage Left Theatre  
Northbrook Theatre (TYA)  
Citadel Theatre  
Northern Illinois University  
Youth Theatre Northwest

Stacie Flood-Popp, Justin Conte, Teddy Tedholm,  
Erica Sobol, Destini Rogers, Candace Brown

Cyrie Topete  
Gianna Burrigot  
Alexander Anderson  
Krista Ellensohn

Nicole Clarke-Springer  
Gary Abbott, Kevin Iega-Jeff  
Tracey Franklin

Britt Anderson, Austin Rambo, Kaitlyn Andrews, Griffin DiStasi

Maggie Vannucci, Braeden Barnes  
Aden Hurst  
Anna Kriofske  
Freddy Aguirre

Emily Loar, Ashley Deran  
Stacie Flood-Popp, Justin Conte  
Christal Wagner  
Anna Scanlan  
Logan Blake, Christine DeFrenesco  
Melanie Keller

Chris Willumsen, Tom Beheler  
Mark Bernstein  
Mariah Koss  
Ashley Laverty  
Seth Wilson  
Kate Sullivan Coombs  
Gregg Denhardt  
Kendra Holton  
Mimi Katano, Syd Thieme