

# DANCE, BA & KINESIOLOGY, BS

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*for the dual degree of Bachelor of Arts Major in Dance and the Bachelor of Science, Major in Kinesiology*

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The BA curriculum in dance is designed to provide an integrated and individualized approach to undergraduate studies of dance. The degree is designed for students who want to explore interdisciplinary approaches to art-making, and simultaneously pursue a major or minor in other discipline. Students will study three core areas in Dance: Technique, Creative Process, and Dance Academics. The key other area of interest for this Dual Degree Pathway is Kinesiology. Under the mentorship of a faculty member, students will create a BA Capstone Project in their senior year as a synthesis of the studies within dance and another area of study.

Students pursuing a Dance degree at the University of Illinois must be admitted to the BFA in Dance (audition required). Once admitted, those desiring a broader education may choose to apply for admittance into the BA in Dance, rather than continuing in the BFA.

The Kinesiology curriculum leads to a bachelor of science degree that will prepare students for careers in human movement-related fields and/or advanced professional or graduate study. The undergraduate program provides the student with a broad general education, a departmental core integral to the understanding of the diverse aspects of human movement, and a correlate area of courses specific to the student's area of concentration within Kinesiology, which in this Dual Degree Pathway, is Dance.