

Student Dance Groups at Emory

Adrenaline is a co-ed hip hop dance club formed for the purpose of self-expression and growth through the process of learning various styles of hip-hop. Being a part of Adrenaline provides students the opportunity to develop their dance skills, choreograph new routines, make friends and learn about the Emory hip-hop community.

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Alas de un Mismo Pájaro Through dance performance and cultural education, we emphasize that Latinx and Latin American cultures would not exist without the contributions and foundations of the African diaspora in Latin America.

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BAM (Brotherhood of Afrocentric Men) and **Ngambika (meaning “carry the load”)** are both community service organizations who are known for their tremendous skill of stepping. BAM is all freshman males and Ngambika is all freshman women. Ngambika is a community service organization open to all freshman women of color. We focus on our four core values: Sisterhood, Academics, Service, and Step. Throughout our first year, we build community and bond with each other through step, as well as engage with our local community through meaningful service.

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Blaez Dance Team Blaez is a co-ed dance crew focusing on street dance, urban, and K-pop. Our vision is to unify multiple communities across Emory by embracing different pop cultures. We are run solely by students with a passion for dance.

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Break Emory Break Emory cultivates the element of hip-hop known as breaking (commonly referred to as breakdancing) within Emory’s campus. Break Emory strives to provide connections between the local Atlanta dance community and Emory’s student body. We teach newcomers at established workshops or on the side during normal practice and welcome people of all levels and backgrounds. In the past we have also hosted several events that brought professional level b-boys from the community to compete.

- Instagram: @break_emory; Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/breakemory/>

E-Motion is the official dance team of the Emory Eagles. We perform primarily jazz dance pieces at all major school-wide events (Dooley’s Week, cultural festivals, Best in Show, etc.), various sporting events throughout the year, and the biannual Emory Dance Network showcase.

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Emory Ballroom Dancing Club Ballroom Dancing Club is a club that hosts weekly ballroom lessons and monthly social dances. We provide instruction in a variety of ballroom dances. No prior experience is required!

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The **Emory Dance Network** is a student-run dance organization that allows dancers of all levels to choreograph and perform. At the beginning of each semester, they hold auditions for student choreographers and dancers, whose talent is then showcased in an end-of-semester recital. Our showcases also highlight the talent of other invited dance groups on campus.

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Emory Karma Bhangra dances a folkloric style from the Punjabi Diaspora called Bhangra. They are Emory’s premiere all-inclusive bhangra team.

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Fifth Position is Emory's only ballet club. Participation is on a semester basis with one hour rehearsals each week, culminating in an end of the semester performance. Past performances have included excerpts from "The Nutcracker" and "Sleeping Beauty."

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Mulan Dance is a co-ed dance club specializing in Chinese traditional and pop dances. Their activities range from dance workshops to performing at the campus' largest events. Feel free to reach out — they're always looking to connect to more friendly faces on campus.

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Persuasion is an all-female dance crew that incorporates various types of hip-hop styles. Originally founded in 2008 as a small Asian dance team, the team fuses urban and modern hip-hop dance styles.

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SaRaas is the first and only Raas/Garba competitive dance team at Emory. We are a nationally ranked team that competes in 4-5 cities annually. You do not need any dance experience to try out!

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Salsa Club Emory's Salsa Club is a club that hosts classes and socials. Salsa Club's mission is to unite a diverse group of people through Salsa, Latin Dances and Latino culture to promote cultural awareness, community involvement and service, physical and mental health, and stress reduction. No experience necessary!

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Savera is a classical fusion dance team combining the dance styles of Odissi, Kathak, Kuchipudi, and Bharatanatyam.

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Tap That is Emory's only tap dance group. Focused on learning and cultivating skills, we hope to inspire performers, both seasoned and new, in order to feel more confident in their tap dancing abilities. Each semester we work together to put together a performance mash-up that we hope to share with the Emory community.

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TrickaNomeTry (TNT) Created in the Fall of 2009, TrickaNomeTry (TNT) is a co-ed hip hop dance crew. Over the years, we have developed an energetic style of dancing, focusing on a diverse range of choreographic styles. Onstage, TNT strives both to entertain audiences and to have fun doing it. New members are recruited every year.

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Vibez is an Afro-Caribbean dance team. VIBEZ is the dance component of The Association of Caribbean Educators and Students (otherwise known as ACES). It is a co-ed dance group whose primary goals are to provide a pathway for Caribbean students and those interested in the culture to express themselves as well as spreading awareness across campus. They perform a combination of soca, dancehall, and popular music choreographed by members of the team.

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Zeebah means "beautiful" in Farsi, which is the language of Iran. Our diverse all-female dance group performs a wide range of dances of Middle Eastern origin combined with hip hop and modern dance. Our goal is to use traditional Arab and Middle Eastern music in order to further spread awareness of Middle Eastern dance and culture.

- Instagram: @zeebah_emory

Zuri is Emory's first and only African dance team. We aim to spread awareness of the beauty and diversity of the various cultures in Africa through dance. Our team welcomes anyone and everyone who likes any style of African dance or music.

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