PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

2020	MFA, Florida State University School of Dance
2014	AA, Latvia Culture College. Major: Contemporary dance
2009	BS, Riga Technical University. Major: Telecommunications

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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	2020 - present	Dance and Acrobatics Instructor, Dance Studio <i>Benefice</i> , Riga, Latvia.
	2017 - present	Dance, Capoeira, and Acrobatics Instructor, Dance School <i>Dzirnas</i> , Riga,
		Latvia.
	2020 - present	Capoeira Instructor as part of <i>Latvia Capoeira Center</i> , Riga, Latvia.
	2020	Dancer, <i>Initium</i> community theater organization, Riga, Latvia.
	2018 - 2020	Stagehand, Florida State University College of Music.
	2017 - 2020	Graduate Teaching Assistant, FSU School of Dance. Capoeira for
		Non-Majors, Intro to Dance Profession, Rhythmic Analysis.
	2019 - 2020	Acrobatics Teacher, Artistry Dance Alliance studio, Tallahassee, FL.
	2019	Production Assistant (one month internship), b12 Dance Festival, Berlin,
		Germany.
	2017 - 2019	Graduate Assistant, FSU School of Dance. Production, Community
		Engagement.
	2009 - 2017	Capoeira Instructor, Dance and Personality Culture Center I-Dejas Maja,
		Riga, Latvia.
	2016	Dancer/Entertainer, Miraggio Thermal Spa Resort, Paliouri, Greece.
	2015	Dancer/Performer, <i>Daile</i> Theater, Riga, Latvia.
	2014 - 2015	Founder and Artistic Director, Catalyst Dance Group, Riga, Latvia.
	2013 - 2014	Dancer, Zi.temp Dance Company, Riga, Latvia.
	2012 - 2015	Dancer, Concert Production Company Latvijas Koncerti, Riga Latvia.
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HONORS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

2020	Latvia Culture Capital Foundation Artists' Support Grant. Awarded for the
	creation of the dance film <i>Traces</i> .
2020	FSU College of Fine Arts Travel Grant. Awarded to perform solo work
	XY21 at A.I.R. Dance Conference in Miami Dade College, Miami, FL.
2019	FSU College of Fine Arts Dean's Scholarship. Awarded for presentation of
	MFA thesis project Rules of engagement.
2019	FSU College of Fine Arts Travel Grant. Awarded for travel to present
	collaborative project Choreographic Structures for Change with Dr.
	Hannah Schwadron in <i>Festiwalla</i> conference in Berlin, Germany.

2019	FSU Dance Alumni Scholarship. Awarded for pursuing an MFA degree at Florida State University.
2019	FSU Internship Fund Scholarship. Awarded to pursue the Production Assistant internship for b12 Dance Festival in Berlin, Germany.
2019	Friends of Dance 2019 Summer Study Scholarship. Awarded to participate in research and performance workshops at b12 Dance Festival in Berlin, Germany.
2019	FSU College of Fine Arts Travel Grant. Awarded for travel to present dance film <i>Artist Inside</i> in World Dance Alliance - Americas Regional Assembly in El Paso, TX.
2019	FSU Congress of Graduate Students Travel Grant. Awarded for travel to present dance film <i>Artist Inside</i> in World Dance Alliance - Americas Regional Assembly in El Paso, TX.
2018	Howell Ferguson & Sharon Maxwell-Ferguson Scholarship. Awarded for pursuing an MFA degree at Florida State University.
2018 - 2020	University of Central Florida Eastern Euopean Linkage Institute Tuition Exemption program. Awarded for pursuing an MFA degree at Florida State University.
2017	FSU Men's Provost and School of Dance Scholarships. Awarded for pursuing an MFA degree at Florida State University.
2016	60 seconds dance festival Swedish jury runner-up prize. Awarded for the dance short film <i>Artist Inside</i> .

COURSES TAUGHT

Capoeira (Non-Majors)

Intermediate Contemporary Dance (Non-Majors)

MASTER CLASSES AND INVITED WORKSHOPS

October 2020	Aigars Larionovs. Guest workshop in acrobatics methodology for dance
October 2019	professionals at <i>Dzirnas</i> dance school in Riga, Latvia. (national) Tiffany Rhynard and Aigars Larionovs. Guest workshop in contemporary dance technique at University of Trinidad and Tobago's National
	Academy for the Performing Arts, as part of <i>COCO</i> Dance Festival in Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago. (international)
October 2019	Hannah Schwadron and Aigars Larionovs. Dancing DestiNations:
	Choreographic Structures for Change. Workshop at Theater X Festiwalla
	ConferAction, Berlin. (International)
October 2019	Aigars Larionovs. Guest capoeira teacher at Allied Capoeira League
	Tallahassee Fall tournament event. (Local)
July 2019	Aigars Larionovs. Guest teacher of contemporary dance and acrobatics at
	dance school <i>Dzirnas</i> summer camp in Ragana, Latvia. (Local)
June 2019	Aigars Larionovs. Two week artist's residency at Latvia Culture College in
	Riga, Latvia. (Local)
April 2019	Aigars Larionovs. Physicality in Contemporary Dance master class at
	Dance-A-Palooza week in FSU School of Dance. (Local)
March 2019	Aigars Larionovs. Capoeira master class at Miami Dade College as part of
	A.I.R. Dance Conference in Miami, FL. (Regional)

December 2018	Aigars Larionovs. Dynamic Release Technique master class at	
	Dance-A-Palooza week in FSU School of Dance. (Local)	
July 2018	Aigars Larionovs. Guest teacher of contemporary dance and acrobatics at	
	dance school <i>Dzirnas</i> summer camp in Ragana, Latvia. (Local)	
June 2018	Aigars Larionovs. Guest Capoeira teacher at Cordao de Ouro Riga	
	summer workshop in Riga, Latvia. (National)	
April 2018	Aigars Larionovs. Partnering master class at Dance-A-Palooza week in	
	FSU School of Dance. (Local)	
December 2017	' Aigars Larionovs. Capoeira master class at Dance-A-Palooza week in FSU	
	School of Dance. (Local)	
April 2017	Aigars Larionovs. Capoeira master class at dance and personality culture	
	center <i>I-Dejas Maja</i> , Riga Latvia. (Local)	
May 2016	Aigars Larionovs. Guest capoeira teacher in Barracao Capoeira studio,	
	Athens, Greece.	
April 2016	Aigars Larionovs. Capoeira master class in dance school <i>Dzirnas</i> as part	
	of the International Day of Dance Celebration, Riga, Latvia.	
April 2016	Aigars Larionovs. Four week <i>Capoeira for Dancers</i> workshop at dance	
·	school <i>Dzirnas</i> for Latvia Choreographers Association, Riga, Latvia.	
January 2016	Aigars Larionovs. Three day capoeira workshop in Milan, Italy.	
January 2016	Aigars Larionovs. Two day capoeira workshop in Vilnius, Lithuania.	

ORIGINAL CREATIVE WORK

FILM

Aigars Larionovs, Ian Slayton (Choreographer, Dancer). (2020) *Traces* [Dance short-film] Aigars Larionovs, Kaspars Bondars, Reinis Inkens (Choreographer, Director, Cinematographer). (2016) *Artist Inside* [Dance short-film] Aigars Larionovs, Dimitris Agyriou (Choreographer, Director). (2014) *AIGARS* [Dance short-film]

JURIED PERFORMANCE

Aigars Larionovs (Choreographer and Dancer). (2021, January) *XY21* [Solo]. Online performance as part of Mark DeGarmo Dance Virtual Saloon Series.

Aigars Larionovs (Choreographer and Dancer). (2019, October) *Passage* [Solo]. Queen's Hall, Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago as part of *COCO* Dance Festival.

Aigars Larionovs (Choreographer). (2019, April) *Unshaken* [Dance]. Florida State University's Nancy Smith Fichter Dance Theater as part of the Days of Dance 2019 concert.

Aigars Larionovs (Choreographer and Dancer). (2019, April) *Rules of Engagement* [Dance]. Florida State University Turnbull Convention Center as part of the TEDxFSU Conference.

Aigars Larionovs (Choreographer and Dancer). (2019, March) *Passage* [Solo]. Miami Dade College Kendall Campus as part of A.I.R. Dance Conference.

Aigars Larionovs (Choreographer). (2018, April) *Brotherhood of Man* [Dance]. FSU Nancy smith Flchter Dance Theater as part of the Days of Dance 2018 concert.

NON-JURIED PERFORMANCE

Hannah Schwadron, Aigars Larionovs (Co-choreographer and Performer). (2019, October) *Choreographic Structures for Change* [Duet]. Theater X in Berlin, Germany as part of *Festiwalla* Conference.

Aigars Larionovs (Choreographer and Dancer). (2019, June) *Passage* [Solo]. Latvia Culture College as a guest performer in the senior capstone concert.

Hannah Schwadron, Aigars Larionovs (Co-choreographer and Performer). (2019, May) *Public Practice* [Duet]. 621 Gallery, Tallahassee, Florida, as part of First Friday dance program.

Aigars Larionovs, Josh Saul (Choreographer and Dancer). (2018, March). Untitled Collaboration [Dance]. 621 Gallery, Tallahassee, Florida, as part of Choreographer/Composer collaboration project by 621 Gallery.

Aigars Larionovs, Pavel Azamatov, Ksenija Simanova, Janis Orbidans, Sabine Neilande (Co-choreographer and Dancer). (2015, July) *Price of Admission* [Ensemble Dance]. Salacgriva, Latvia, as part of *Positivus'14* summer music festival.

ADDITIONAL ENSEMBLE CHOREOGRAPHY

Aigars Larionovs (Choreographer and Dancer). (2015, May) *Astral Lane* [Dance]. Saldus, Latvia and Latvia Culture College, Riga, Latvia.

Edite Neimane, Aigars Larionovs (Choreographer). (2014, April) *Ei, Jus Tur* [Ensemble Theater]. Latvia Culture College, Riga, Latvia.

LANGUAGES

Mother tongue: Latvian Other languages:

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
ENGLISH	C1	C!	C2	C1	C1
RUSSIAN	B2	A2	B1	B1	A1
GERMAN	B2	B2	B1	B1	B1
PORTUGUESE	B1	B1	B1	B1	A1