



# — THE — NUTCRACKER



2022 CASTING

## PRODUCTION

**Production Manager:** Dan Feith  
**Stage Manager:** Leigh Ann Andrews  
**Technical Director:** Jon Mackey

**Lighting Designer:** Raquel Davis  
**Associate Lighting Designer:** Brandon Washington

## COSTUMES

**Costume Director:** Keri Fitch  
**Costume Shop Assistant:** Teresa Sorenson  
**Costume Crafts:** Chantell Fuller, Flynn Ericson, Abbey Holley

**Stitchers:** Alexandria Paz,  
Diemut Rencken,  
Aubrie Rosenkoetter, Mia Tureson

## ACT I, Scene 1: The Christmas Party

**Frau Stahlbaum** ..... Jessica Sulikowski (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Cydney Covert (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 7pm), Adrienne Kerr (12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm)

**Herr Stahlbaum** ..... Justin Hughes (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Graham Gobeille (12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Clara** ..... Madeline Burpee (12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Ina Jane Quandt (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Fritz** ..... Rocco Kormylo (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/11 5pm), Oliver Thomas (12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm and 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 12pm, 12/19 12pm and 5pm)

**Parlor Maid** ..... Sophia Schepers (12/9 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Giana Parlin (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/18 5pm), Emily Van Citters (12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm)

**Herr Drosselmeyer** ..... John Frazer (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Andrew Taft (12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Daniel Ojeda (12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm)

**Children's March** ..... Stephanie Brioso, Madeline Burpee, Addison Bybee, Anastasia Cervena-Najman, Scarlet Fields, Allyson Henke, Moana Olson, Chloe Paz, Ina Jane Quandt, Lucy Robison, Lillian Stahlberg, Rylee Saba, Kathryn Wimer

**Party Children** ..... Hazel Keller, Ava Martin, Elizabeth Maxwell-Macca, Elizabeth Wimer

**The Ballerina Doll** ..... Kylie Corrigan (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/18 12pm), Megumi Nishimori (12/10 2pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm), Lydia Acker (12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**The Mouse Doll** ..... Megumi Nishimori (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Ashley Baker (12/10 2pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Elizabeth Kanning (12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 12pm)

**The Nutcracker Doll** ..... Jacob Beasley (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Cyrus Bridwell (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/18 12pm), Leonardo González (12/11 12pm, 12/17 2pm)

**Elegant Lady** ..... Evelyn Febuary (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Madeline Bay (12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Elegant Man** ..... Cyrus Bridwell (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Jacob Beasley (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm)

**Soldier** ..... Michael Driskill

**Soldier's Wife** ..... Emma Wessel (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Sophia Schepers (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Traveler** ..... Ian Rotheroe

**Traveler's Wife** ..... Izzy Urbano (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Lyla Davey (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm)

**Writer's Wife** ..... Lily Cole (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Sofia Striegl (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Russian Guest** ..... Elizabeth Kanning (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Megumi Nishimori (12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/18 12pm)

**Poor Relation** ..... Daniel Ojeda (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), John Frazer (12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm)

**Sister of Poor Relation** ..... Kaelyn Lefferts (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Regan Lamb (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Grandmother** ..... Lydia Acker (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Cydney Covert (12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Grandfather** ..... Leonardo González (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm and 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Cyrus Bridwell (12/11 12pm, 12/17 2pm)

**The Mutant Mouse** ..... Michael Driskill (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm), Kaelyn Lefferts (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm), Izzy Urbano (12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/18 12pm)

**The Mouse King** ..... Ian Rotheroe

**Soldiers** ..... Maria Bounds, Dahlia Fields, Vivian Gendler, Maylee Helmer, Beatrice Hurwit, Anne Marie Lehn, Ava Martin, Isla Sale, Alice Shipsey, Elizabeth Wimer

**Livery** ..... Itxaso Beristain Dougherty, Abby Hansen, Moana Olsen, Chloe Paz

**Mice** ..... Stephanie Brioso, Addison Bybee, Anastasia Cervena-Najman, Audrey Helmer, Hazel Keller, Madeline Meier, Lucy Robison, Rylee Saba, Kathryn Wimer, Nevada Zach

**Mini Mice** ..... Juniper Bernardin (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm), Sebastian Maupin-Coronado (12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Macy Crafton, Rebekah Helmer, Nova Kron, Victoria Marschalik (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm), Anne Elizabeth McGonegle (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm), Eliana Miraglia, Lili Mrozinski (12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Lilian Osterkamp (12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Asher Redifer (12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Shoshana Redifer, Coraline Rogers (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm), Anya Saxler (12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Ava Shively (12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Mabel Taylor, Evan Thomas (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm), Adie Velazco (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm)

## ACT I, Scene 2: The Land of the Snow

**The Snow Queen** ..... Madeline Bay (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Anissa Bailis (12/10 2pm and 7pm), Adrienne Kerr (12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**The Snow King** ..... Graham Gobeille (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Justin Hughes (12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

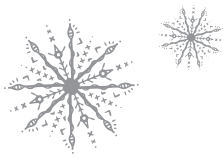
**Snowflakes** ..... Lydia Acker, Anissa Bailis (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm), Ashley Baker (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Jacob Beasley (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm,

12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Cyrus Bridwell (12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm), Lily Cole (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Kylie Corrigan, Cydney Covert (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 5pm), [Michael Driskill, Evelyn Febuary, John Frazer (12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Leonardo González (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Elizabeth Kanning (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Isabella Knott (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 12pm,

12/18 12pm), Regan Lamb (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/18 12pm), Kaelyn Lefferts, Kyla Marcus (12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/18 5pm), Megumi Nishimori (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Daniel Ojeda (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Ian Rotheroe, Sofia Striegl, Emma Wessel (12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm and 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm)

**Unicorns** ..... Addison Bybee, Lucy Robison

**Pages** ..... Stephanie Brioso, Anastasia Cervena-Najman



## ACT II: The Land of the Sweets

**The Sugarplum Fairy** .... Elizabeth Barreto (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/11 12pm), Ashley Baker (12/11 5pm, Jessica Sulikowski (12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm), Adrienne Kerr (12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm)

**Her Cavalier**..... Sebastian Vinet (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/11 12pm), Justin Hughes (12/11 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Graham Gobeille (12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Ribbon Candy Fairies** ... Madeline Burpee (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Isabella Collins, Lindsay Engelhard, Scarlet Fields, Sofia Grubbs (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Cara Halford, Meredith Hamilton, Kameron Helmer (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Claire Hirsch, Naomi Johnson, Eliza Jost (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm), Catherine McGonegle, Eva Neville (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm), Ina Jane Quandt (12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Isabella Sullivan

**Bakers**..... Maria Bounds (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm), Dahlia Fields, Abby Hansen, Audrey Helmer, Maylee Helmer, Beatrice Hurwit, Hazel Keller (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Ava Martin (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm), Elizabeth Maxwell-Macca (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Isla Sale (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Alice Shipsey (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Spanish Chocolate** ..... Anissa Bailis (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm), Ashley Baker (12/10 2pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Cyrus Bridwell (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm), Cydney Covert (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Michael Driskill (12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Evelyn Febuary (12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm) John Frazer (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm), Megumi Nishimori (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Daniel Ojeda (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm), Ian Rotheroe (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm)

**Arabian Coffee** ..... Adrienne Kerr (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/15 7pm), Jessica Sulikowski (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm), Madeline Bay (12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Justin Hughes (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/15 7pm), Graham Gobeille (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm), John Frazer (12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm)

**Chinese Tea** ..... Leonardo González (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm), Jacob Beasley (12/10 2pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Kaelyn Lefferts (12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm), Daniel Ojeda (12/18 5pm)

**Chinese Tea Corps de Ballet**... Emily Van Citters (12/10 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Charlotte Evans (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Patricia Gordon (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Meredith Hamilton (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Claire Hirche (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Sarah Hurty (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Eliza Jost (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Eva Neville (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Sophia Schepers (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/17 2pm)

**French Marzipan** ..... Madeline Bay (12/15 7pm, 12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm), Elizabeth Kanning (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/18 12pm), Anissa Bailis (12/10 7pm, 12/17 7pm), Elizabeth Barreto (12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**French Marzipan Corps de Ballet**..... Lydia Acker, Kylie Corrigan (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Sarah Hurty (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Isabella Knott (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Kyla Marcus, Mia Tureson (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**Russian Nougat** ..... Daniel Ojeda (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Leonardo González (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/18 5pm)

**The Wolf**..... Ian Rotheroe (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm), Michael Driskill (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Graham Gobeille (12/10 7pm, 12/18 12pm)

**Lamb**s ..... Maria Bounds, Dahlia Fields, Beatrice Hurwit, Anne Marie Lehn, Isla Sale, Elizabeth Wimer

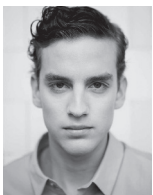
**Salt Water Taffy Sailors**... Madeline Burpee (12/9 7pm, 12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Isabella Collins, Lindsay Engelhard (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm), Scarlet Fields (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Sofia Grubbs, Meredith Hamilton, Allyson Henke (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Eliza Jost (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm), Eva Neville (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm), Moana Olson (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Chloe Paz (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Ina Jane Quandt (12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 12pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Lillian Stahlberg (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 5pm)

**The Dewdrop Fairy** ..... Ashley Baker (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/18 5pm), Megumi Nishimori (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Elizabeth Barreto (12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm)

**Flowers** ..... Lydia Acker, Anissa Bailis (12/9 7pm, 12/11 12pm and 5pm), Kylie Corrigan, Cydney Covert (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Lyla Davey (12/10 2pm and 7pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 12pm and 5pm), Valentina Facal, Elizabeth Kanning (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/17 2pm and 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Kaelyn Lefferts, Emma Lundvall (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/18 12pm), Kyla Marcus (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/17 2pm, 12/18 12pm), Megumi Nishimori (12/9 7pm, 12/10 7pm, 12/11 12pm, 12/15 7pm, 12/16 7pm, 12/17 7pm, 12/18 5pm), Sophia Schepers (12/10 2pm, 12/11 5pm, 12/15 7pm) Sofia Striegl, Izzy Urbano



## GUEST ARTISTS



SEBASTIAN VINET

Born in Santiago de Chile, Sebastian began ballet training at Escuela de Ballet del Teatro Municipal de Santiago. He moved to Houston, Texas to finish his training at Ben Stevenson Houston Ballet Academy and in 2009 he joined the Houston Ballet. In 2010 he went on to dance with the San Francisco Ballet. Vinet danced principal roles by renowned choreographers including Marcia Haydée, Kenneth Macmillan, William Forsythe, Christopher Wheeldon, Helgi Tomasson, Stanton Welch, Mark Morris, Ben Stevenson, Demis Volpi, Val Caniparoli, John Cranko, among others. He has been invited to dance at international ballet galas around the world was one of the winners and an apprenticeship recipient at the 2009 Prix de Lausanne. Vinet also was a recipient of the Premio Jovenes Líderes del diario El Mercurio (2009) – an award to Chilean artists, presented by the ambassador of Chile in the United States. Sebastian is currently a principal guest dancer with Utah Metropolitan Ballet and Australian National Youth Ballet in addition to his work with Ballet Idaho.



JACOB BEASLEY

Jacob grew up in Las Vegas, Nevada, where they trained at the Rock Center for Dance with April Wexelman and Don Bellamy. In 2016, Jacob was invited to study at Houston Ballet Academy under the direction of Vicki Attard. Jacob was selected to represent the Houston Ballet by participating in the Prix de Lausanne's choreographic project under instruction of Goyo Montero. Jacob joined BalletMet 2 in 2018, where they had the opportunity to dance alongside the company in Ekman's *Cacti*, Liang's *Don Quixote*, and dance the role of the Chinese doll in *The Nutcracker*. Jacob subsequently Joined Ballet Idaho as a company apprentice for the 20/21 season, and was promoted to Company Dancer in 2021. With Ballet Idaho, Jacob created roles in works by Craig Davidson, Robyn Mineko Williams, Lauren Edson, FLOCK and Garrett Anderson. Jacob has danced the title role in Peter Anastos's *The Nutcracker* and "Peter" Anne Mueller's *Peter and the Wolf*.



ANDREW TAFT

Andrew was born in Miami, Florida where he began his classical training at the age of 9 with Ruth Wiesen at the Miami Conservatory. He studied also with Thomas Armour, Robert Pike, Nancy Raffa, and other professional guest artists. He was then trained in both Limon and Graham technique at the New World School of the Arts. His ballet training continued in New York City with private coaching by Johan Renvall and David Howard.

Andrew joined Ballet Idaho in 2008 and was promoted to Principal Dancer in 2012. He has danced leading roles in *The Nutcracker*, *Romeo and Juliet*, *Pulcinella*, *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, *Piano Concerto in G*, *Firebird*, *Cinderella*, *Yes, Virginia*, *Another Piano Ballet*, *Akimbo*, *Swan Lake*, *The Sleeping Beauty*, *Don Quixote*, *Raymonda's Wedding*, *Rubies from Jewels*, *Allegro Brillante*, among others. In addition to his work with Ballet Idaho, Andrew has performed around the country as a guest dancer.