

Parents & Dancers,

I just wanted to say that I am so excited to be the new owner of Elite Dance Center. This has been a dream of mine ever since I was 2 years old and I saw my grandma run her own dance studio for over 60 years now. I have so many ideas and I cannot wait to grow EDC into the best studio it can be. Here is a little about me.

I am originally from Wisconsin and started dancing at my grandmother's dance studio at age 2. I started my ballet training at the School of Madison Ballet in middle school. I then moved to Fort Wayne when I started high school. I continued to dance as a competition student dancing at Dancers Edge in Marion, training under Brooke Napier. Competing in lots of competitions and conventions and learning from some of the top choreographers in the United States. I then joined Fort Wayne Ballet's Auer Academy during my junior year to continue my training at a higher level. After graduating from Homestead High School, I joined Fort Wayne Ballet's company as a trainee and later a member of the Corps De Ballet as a Professional Dancer. I graduated from Ivy Tech Community College with a degree in Business Administration. While dancing with Fort Wayne Ballet my favorite pieces have included Gerald Arpino's Light Rain, Lead Arabian and Waltz of the Flowers in The Nutcracker, and Morgan Grady's Jealous. I danced as a professional with Fort Wayne Ballet for 5 years and I am super excited to transition into being the owner of Elite Dance Center. I am very excited for this season and all the new opportunities that are coming.

Thank you SO much!

Emily Hulburt

Owner/Director Elite Dance Center