



# Rae Lawhorne

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Circus Artist Specializing in Aerial Hoop/Lyra, Chinese Pole, and Dance

## Performance

2025	<b>Circus Spectacular</b>	<i>New England Center for Circus Arts</i>	Ground Cube	4 shows
2024	Tent & Pop-Up Shows	<i>Westchester Circus Arts</i>	Duo Lyra/Clown	6 shows
2024	Cabaret	<i>Brattleboro Queer Dance Party</i>	Solo Dance	1 show
2024	<b>What To Do If Your Balloon Pops</b>	<i>New England Center for Circus Arts</i>	Lyra/Chinese Pole/Ensemble	5 shows
2024	<i>VIVA Fest Emerging Pro Competition</i>		Lyra	1 show
2023	<b>Daymares &amp; Nightdreams</b>	<i>New England Center for Circus Arts</i>	Lyra/Chinese Pole/Ensemble	3 shows
2022	<b>The Nutcracker</b>	<i>Old Dominion Performance Arts Studio</i>	Lyra	2 shows
2022	Guilford Fair	<i>New England Center for Circus Arts</i>	Lyra	2 shows
2021	<b>SOUL Stars</b>	<i>SOUL Aerial and Performing Arts</i>	Lyra	1 show
2020	<b>Body &amp; SOUL</b>	<i>SOUL Aerial and Performing Arts</i>	Lyra	1 show
2019	<i>American College Dance Festival</i>		Ensemble Dance	1 show
2018	<b>Frameworks: An Evening of Experimental Dance</b>	<i>TheatreLAB</i>	Ensemble Dance	1 show
2017	<b>Inside/Out: ACDA Highlights Program</b>	<i>Jacob's Pillow</i>	Ensemble Dance	1 show

## Coaching

2024	Westchester Circus Arts	Youth Circus Coach	NY
2024	SHOW Circus Studio	Adult Aerial Coach	Northampton MA
2022-25	New England Center for Circus Arts	Youth Circus Coach	Brattleboro VT
2020-21	SOUL Aerial and Performing Arts	Youth Aerial Coach	Richmond VA

## Additional Skills

English (Native)  
 French (Conversational)  
 Stilt Walking  
 Experience speaking/singing on stage  
 Tech experience (crew, wardrobe, rigging)

## Personal Statistics

Height: 5'5"/165 cm  
 Age: 27  
 Hair: Brown  
 Eyes: Green

## Education

- 2021-24 **New England Center for Circus Arts (NECCA)**, Brattleboro VT  
 ProTrack Program graduate  
 Specialization: aerial hoop/lyra and Chinese pole  
 Other training: physical theater, partner acro, tumbling, dance, juggling, handbalancing
- 2015-19 **Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU)**, Richmond VA  
 BFA Dance & Choreography  
 Dual degree focusing on modern and contemporary dance technique and performance
- 2018 **University of South Florida (USF)** Dance in Paris Semester Program, Paris FRANCE  
 Study abroad program focused on modern, ballet, world dance, and French language