

**UC Irvine – Department of Dance  
PLACEMENT AUDITION  
INFORMATION:**

Welcome to the Dance Department at UC Irvine! Please read this important information about the required Placement Audition. This year's audition will be held in person on Wednesday, September 27th, from 8:30am to 1:00pm.

**LOCATION:**

Department of Dance, 300 Mesa Arts Building, Irvine, CA 92697

Registration: Dance Office Lobby

Placements: William J. Gillespie Performance Studios -- PSTU 1100, 1130, and 1140

**GENERAL SCHEDULE:**

- 8:30-9am: Dance Office Lobby Registration
- 9-10:20am Warm-up /Ballet Instruction /Ballet presentation to Ballet faculty
- 10:20- 11:40am: Warm-up/ Modern Instruction/ Modern presentation to Modern faculty
- 11:40-1:00pm: Warm-up /Jazz Instruction /Jazz presentation to Jazz faculty

**ALL DANCE MAJORS are required to attend all parts of the audition even if you do not enroll in all 3 genres your first year. Your placement will apply when you enroll.**

**DRESS CODE RECOMMENDATION**

<b>Ballet</b>	<b>Modern/Contemporary</b>	<b>Jazz</b>
Solid-colored leotard and tights, or unitard.  Tights must be full length – no shorts or skirts.  Shoes: Ballet slippers	Fitted dance clothes Shoes:  Barefoot or socks	Fitted dance clothes  Shoes: Soft-soled jazz shoes or socks (barefoot is an option)

Please always read your UCI email so you are informed about all schedule updates and requirements. We look forward to seeing you. Enjoy the rest of your summer!

**ENROLLMENT INSTRUCTIONS:**

- An email will be sent to your UCI email address before or by 3:30 p.m. with a Google link to a spreadsheet with all technique placements.
- The placements will not use any names but will be recorded by audition number and list designated placement levels in ballet, modern, jazz.
- We highly recommend you review the schedule of classes <https://www.reg.uci.edu/perl/WebSoc> in advance and pre-plan your Fall schedule with different scenarios should you be placed at various levels.
- To request an enrollment code for technique class, email [bcodes@uci.edu](mailto:bcodes@uci.edu) with the following information:
  - Full Name
  - ID Number
  - Audition Number
  - A list of courses that you wish to add (please include the section and course code)

**For example:**

Dance 133: Ballet III Section A Course Code: 02160
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- ***Please limit your request to ONLY TWO technique courses to allow space for all students to enroll. If you wish to add an additional technique, you can request it AFTER week 1.***
- If your email does not contain the necessary information, the requested information will be delayed. Please note that at all codes will be distributed on a first come first serve basis and it is subject to availability. If the class is full, we will not provide you a code.
- Audition Numbers 1-24 are to email JoAnn Jamora at [jjamora@uci.edu](mailto:jjamora@uci.edu) to request authorization codes.
- Audition Numbers 25-47 are to email Michelle Hu at [mahu@uci.edu](mailto:mahu@uci.edu) to request authorization codes
- ***Please note that students must email by 6:00 p.m. with their requests for Fall course enrollment. Emails sent after 6:00 p.m. will be responded to the following day.***