

# BRIGID TRANSON

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## OBJECTIVE

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To obtain a position as a dance teacher in a New York City School that promotes bodily awareness, higher order thinking and emotional intelligence in the students.

## CERTIFICATIONS

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Transitional B License (Expected August 2017)  
Content Specialty Test- Passed (March 2017)  
Fingerprint Clearance- Completed  
Educating All Students – Registered to take exam in July 2017  
Certification in K-12 Education- Degree Expected Spring 2019

## EDUCATION

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**Hunter College, City University of New York/Lincoln Center Education (Expected Spring 2019)**  
Lincoln Center Scholar Master's in Arts Candidate in Dance Education in The Arnhold Graduate Dance Education Program

**University of Wisconsin-Madison (December 2016)**  
Bachelor of Science in Dance with Certificates in Dance Movement Therapy and Global Health

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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**Teaching Assistant, University of Wisconsin- Madison, Contemporary 111: Madison, WI** (September 2016- December 2016)

Demonstrated combinations for the technique class  
Assisted in creating combinations stressing various contemporary dance themes/ skills

**Dance Instructor, Performing Ourselves (Underserved youth dance program): Madison, WI** (August 2014- December 2016)

Taught dance to girls ages 5-16 at various community centers  
Incorporated dance movement therapy techniques to improve the qualities resiliency  
Organized performances including choreography, music, costuming and lighting

## VOLUNTEER TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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**Dance Instructor through Artist Striving to End Poverty, India: Pune, India** (June 2016- July 2016)

Partnered with Teach for India fellows to incorporate dance into the classroom  
Created a dance curriculum for a month of classes with 7<sup>th</sup> grade students  
Facilitated creative dance classes to generate choreography for a performance about the students' service project on sanitation

**Dance Instructor, Santa Eulalia Nutrition Center and Elementary School: Santa Eulalia, Costa Rica** (February 2011- June 2011)

Implemented a program teaching poms, ballet, Irish dance and hip-hop and taught lessons in Spanish  
Created choreography for the students  
Through this project earned my Girl Scout Gold Award

## HONORS & AWARDS

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Lincoln Center Dance Education Scholar  
University of Wisconsin Madison Dean's List (Fall 2012-Fall 2016)  
Scholarships Received from The University of Wisconsin School of Education  
-Lydia Z. Shafer Memorial Scholarship II and I in Dance (Fall 2013- Fall 2016)  
Numerous Scholarships Received to Advance Dance Training (Fall 2012- December 2016)  
Clinton Global Initiative University Conference (April 2016)