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BOWMAN DANCE COMPANY & SCHOOL



## *Desiree Lovett*

Desiree' Lovett, dancer and freelance photographer, graduated from The University of The Arts with a BFA in dance performance and a concentration in photography in May 2016.

Desiree grew up in Maplewood, NJ and started her dance career at the age of three at Newark Community School of the Arts, Newark, NJ. Her pre-professional training began at Dance Theater of Harlem, Harlem, NY for six years. At the age of eleven she trained at The Ailey School in Manhattan, NY in the Pre-Professional and Professional Program in addition to

performing in NJ Tap Ensemble under the direction of Deborah Mitchell at Sharon Miller Performing School of the Arts, Montclair, NJ. Her training at The Ailey School included acceptance in the Fellowship program for three years where she gained experience in assisting and teaching young children to dance. During her time at Alvin Ailey she performed excerpts of Revelations at the Apollo with the Ailey Company and Second Company, Ailey's signature piece "Cry" on Oprah with Dwana Smallwood (legendary Company member), The Annual Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade for Alvin Ailey's 50th Anniversary and The World Cup Diski Dance choreographed by Lucus Radebe on CBS Early Morning Show. She performed pieces choreographed by Franchesca Harper, Earl Mosley and Elenor Scott in Earl Mosley's Dance against Cancer Winter Repertory Showcase.