

Nancy Donnes trained as a competitive dancer at Main Street Dance in Hammond, LA for 15 years winning numerous regional awards and national titles such as Teen Miss Dance of America in 2013. She attended summer training programs such as Complexions Contemporary Ballet Intensive in Dallas, Axis Connect in New York, and Al Blackstone's Marquee in Los Angeles. She graduated from Marymount Manhattan College with a BFA in Dance and a Minor in Arts Management in 2021. She was also awarded the Gold Key for excellence in the Jazz Concentration. While at school, Nancy was selected to perform in many works including a reconstruction of Jessica Lang's piece titled "Lines Cubed" as well as works by Antony Morigerato, Belinda McGuire, and John Heginbotham.

Nancy has danced in a National Walmart Commercial directed by Seth Rogen and choreographed by Tricia Miranda, appeared in the TV series "Queen of the South" Ep. 506 and Netflix's "Tall Girl 2." Nancy performed as a company member with Odyssey Dance Theatre based in Salt Lake City for the 2021-2022 season and was a part of the company's Germany tour. Nancy is so excited to be back at DMA as a teacher to share her experience, knowledge, & love of dance with the upcoming generation of dancers!