



Rochelle Gartner (B.A. Dance, S.T.A.R.S) - Artistic Director

Rochelle is an international performer that has been dancing for 40 years with over 25 years of professional teaching experience. She has completed RAD Ballet, Al Gilbert Tap, ADAPT Jazz syllabus examinations and has received numerous choreography awards.

She has performed throughout the world including Japan, North America and Europe. Some of her past credits include: Principle dancer with Las Vegas Company Farrington Productions that performed the Rio Las Vegas show in Atami Japan, "Spirit of a Nation" Victoria, BC; choreographer for CBS movie of the week "Papa's Angels"; Disney's "Honey, I Shrank the Kids"; 1988 Winter Olympic Opening Ceremonies; "Legends Alive Tour"; dancer with Princess Cruises, dancing on the American Movie Channel's TV series "Hell on Wheels" and most recently performing in Dancer's Studio West "AIR". An alumna with the Young Canadians of the Calgary Stampede and the Stampeder Outriders, Rochelle is the founder and Artistic Director of Dance with France's Calgary Dance Studio and Professional Division "Artists Elite", which is a Dance Performance Company and Talent Agency.

Rochelle holds a BA in Dance from the University of Calgary and has also danced professionally on Princess Cruise line circuits for 7 years, performing in over 18 different Broadway Musical and Las Vegas style production shows.

Miss Rochelle has an undying passion for dance and performance. She absolutely loves witnessing the growth in her students and fellow performers from year to year!