

Mindy Lasko

Mindy Lasko began her training at Salt Lake City Ballet under the direction of Teruyo (Terry) Davis before joining the University of Utah's BFA Ballet Program in 2019 and receiving her BFA in 2023. She attended summer programs at Ellison Ballet, Bolshoi Ballet, Ballet Idaho, and New York Dance Project. Mindy's previous notable performances include Giselle, as Giselle with Salt Lake City Ballet, The Sleeping Beauty Act III, Don Quixote Dream Scene, and Carmina Terra during her time at the University of Utah. Throughout her journey, Mindy has been recognized for her dedication and skill during her time at the University of Utah, earning the Fine Arts Advisory Board Scholarship and Alice Walton Call Scholarship as well as the Award for Excellence in Dance from the Puerto Rico Classical Dance Competition. Mindy joined Colorado West Performing Arts Company in 2023, where she received the opportunity to dance the roles of Finger Fairy in *Sleeping Beauty*, Dewdrop, Sugarplum Fairy, and Ballerina Doll in *The Nutcracker*, and Sebastian in *The Little Mermaid*. Mindy is happy to join Colorado West Performing Arts Company for her second season and is excited to continue sharing the magic of dance throughout the Western Slope.