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HONORING ARTISTIC DIRECTOR ADAM SKLUTE'S 20TH YEAR WITH BALLET WEST



To celebrate my twentieth anniversary, I've curated audience favorites, renowned classics, and contemporary gems that reflect the strength and diversity that defines Ballet West.

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Dracula
OCT 23-31, 2026

**Rolling With
the Stones**
NOV 6-14, 2026

**The
Nutcracker**
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Don Quixote
FEB 12-20, 2027

**Carmina
Burana**
APR 9-17, 2027

**Works From
Within 2**
MAY 12-15, 2027

— SEASON ADD-ON —
FAMILY CLASSICS SERIES

**The Glass
Slipper**
APR 2 & 3, 2027



Dracula

OCT 23-31

**GOTHIC
SHOWSTOPPER**

—FRONT ROW REVIEWERS

Thrills and Chills! Back by popular demand, *Dracula* brings brilliant special effects and elegant choreography to tell this spooky dance tale inspired by Bram Stoker's legendary novel.

DRACULA

Choreography: **Ben Stevenson O.B.E.**

Music: **Franz Liszt as arranged by John Lanchbury**

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Rolling WITH THE Stones

NOV 6-14

**DIVERSE AND
ECLECTIC**

—CRITICALDANCE

Cutting-edge contemporary ballet!

Featuring *Elis*, Ballet West Soloist Vinicius Lima's charming romp to the Bossa Nova music of Elis Regina; the Ballet West premiere of *Dancing on the Front Porch of Heaven*, a moving elegy exploring love and loss; and the hip, elegant, and witty *Rooster*, set to a fusion of Rolling Stones classics.

ELIS

Choreography: **Vinicius Lima**

Music: **Pixinguinha, Gilberto Gil, Antonio Carlos Jobim**

DANCING ON THE FRONT PORCH OF HEAVEN (Utah Premiere)

Choreography: **Ulysses Dove**

Music: **Arvo Pärt**

ROOSTER (Utah Premiere)

Choreography: **Christopher Bruce**

Music: **The Rolling Stones**





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THE NUTCRACKER

DEC 4-26

**ONE OF THE BEST
NUTCRACKERS**

—THE NEW YORK TIMES

America's 1st Nutcracker™ returns!

Performed exclusively by Ballet West since 1955, the timeless choreography is now recognized as a Living Historic Landmark by the State of Utah and has remained a holiday tradition that continues to captivate audiences.

THE NUTCRACKER

Choreography: **Willam Christensen**

Music: **Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky**

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DON QUIXOTE

FEB 12-20

HEAPS OF FUN

—THE GUARDIAN

Dynamic Spanish Spectacle! Seville's vibrant streets come to life in one of ballet's greatest comedic masterpieces. Follow the spirited Kitri and clever Basilio as they navigate love and adventure in this must-see revival.



DON QUIXOTE

Choreography: **Anna-Marie Holmes**, after **Marius Petipa**

Music: **Ludwig Minkus**



CARMINA BURANA

APR 9-17

STUNNING SPECTACLE

—UTAH ARTS REVIEW

Pure Athletic Artistry! Experience George Balanchine’s dazzling, neoclassical masterpiece *Symphony in C*, featuring 50 dancers in lightning-fast unison, paired with the earthy, visceral power of Nicolo Fonte’s *Carmina Burana* with a live chorus suspended above the stage.

SYMPHONY IN C

Choreography: **George Balanchine**

Music: **Georges Bizet**

CARMINA BURANA

Choreography: **Nicolo Fonte**

Music: **Carl Orff**



WORKS FROM WITHIN 2

MAY 12-15

Where Dancers Become Creators!
Ballet West dancers step into the role of choreographer, presenting original works that push boundaries and explore new artistic voices.



Fairy Tale Magic! This enchanting family-friendly production showcases Ballet West II and Academy artists bringing the beloved *Cinderella* story to the stage.

THE GLASS SLIPPER
Choreography: Pamela Robinson-Harris
Music: Sergei Prokofiev

Family Classics Series: Performed by Ballet West II and Frederick Quinney Lawson Ballet West Academy Students

THE GLASS SLIPPER

APR 2 & 3*

*THE PERFORMANCE ON APRIL 3 AT 7 PM WILL BE PRESENTED EXCLUSIVELY WITH SPANISH NARRATION.
*LA PRESENTACIÓN DE LA NOCHE DEL 3 DE ABRIL SERÁ NARRADA EXCLUSIVAMENTE EN ESPAÑOL.
BALLET WEST II ARTISTS ZOË WILSON, MARIO MERY, & BALLET WEST ACADEMY STUDENTS | PHOTO BY BEAU PEARSON

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- Free Parking
- And More!



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SPECIAL EVENTS



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Nutcracker *Magic* Children's Gala DEC 5, 2026

Be transported to the world of *The Nutcracker* at our annual holiday children's gala, featuring a festive *Nutcracker* tea, hands-on crafts, live entertainment, and more! This event supports the Ballet West Children's Enchantment Fund, giving the gift of dance to children of all ages throughout Utah. This event sells out! Reserve your table sponsorship or tickets when you subscribe.



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SPRING SOIRÉE APR 16, 2027

An extraordinary celebration of artistry benefiting the Frederick Quinney Lawson Ballet West Academy. This magical gala includes a cocktail reception, an elegant dinner on stage, exquisite performances, live auction, and after-party. Mark your calendar now for 2027.

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SEASON CALENDAR



Janet Quinney Lawson Capitol Theatre

1 PICK YOUR DAY OF THE WEEK

- Friday Evening (Opening Night)
- Saturday Matinee
- 1st Saturday Evening
- Thursday Evening
- 2nd Saturday Evening*

All prices include fees. Storyteller membership included with Grand Tier, Boxes, Premium Orchestra, Orchestra 1, and Mezzanine 1 packages.

2 PICK YOUR SECTION

	Opening Friday, Saturday Matinee, 1 st Saturday Evening, Thursday 6-packs	2 nd Saturday Evening 5-pack*	Additional Nutcracker tickets
Grand Tier/Boxes/Premium Orchestra	\$781	\$731	\$169
Orchestra 1/Mezzanine 1	\$709	\$659	\$129
Orchestra 2/Mezzanine 2/Upper Balcony	\$410	\$360	\$97
Orchestra 3/Mezzanine 3	\$326	\$276	\$81
Orchestra 4/Mezzanine 4	\$263	\$213	\$64
Orchestra 5/Mezzanine 5	\$218	\$168	\$45

*2nd Saturday evening does not include *Works From Within 2*

3 PICK YOUR SEASON ADD-ONS

Nutcracker Magic \$150
Saturday, December 5. A Children's Gala that elevates your *Nutcracker* experience! Enjoy festive crafts, tasty treats, and more. Table sponsorships available, contact Angela Krull at AKrull@BalletWest.org.

The Glass Slipper \$29
Performances at the Capitol Theatre. Saturday evening performance is presented with Spanish narration. La presentación de la noche de sábado será narrada en Español.

Works From Within 2 \$48
Performances at the Rose Wagner Performing Arts Center.

4 CALL OR GO ONLINE

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Please Note: Performance dates, repertoire, casting, and pricing are subject to change without notice. Seating is subject to availability. Half-price tickets for a second cast are available once casting is publicly announced. May purchase equivalent number of subscription seats only.

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

Dracula, Rolling With the Stones, The Nutcracker, Don Quixote, Carmina Burana, & Works From Within 2



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2026

2027

OCT DRACULA

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
18	19	20	21	22	23 7:30 PM*	24 2 PM* 7:30 PM*
25	26	27	28 7:30 PM	29 7:30 PM*	30 7:30 PM	31 2 PM 7:30 PM*

NOV ROLLING WITH THE STONES

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6 7:30 PM*	7 7:30 PM*
8	9	10	11	12 7:30 PM*	13	14 2 PM* 7:30 PM*

DEC THE NUTCRACKER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4 7 PM*	5 11 AM* 2 PM* 7 PM*
6 12 PM 5 PM	7	8	9	10 7 PM*	11 7 PM	12 2 PM 7 PM*
13 12 PM 5 PM	14	15	16 7 PM	17	18 2 PM 7 PM	19 2 PM 7 PM
20 12 PM 5 PM	21 7 PM	22 2 PM 7 PM	23 2 PM 7 PM	24 12 PM	25	26 2 PM

*Nutcracker Magic

FEB DON QUIXOTE

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
7	8	9	10	11	12 7:30 PM*	13 7:30 PM*
14	15	16	17	18 7:30 PM*	19 7:30 PM	20 2 PM* 7:30 PM*

APR THE GLASS SLIPPER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2 7 PM	3 2 PM* 7 PM*

*En Español

APR CARMINA BURANA

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
4	5	6	7	8	9 7:30 PM*	10 2 PM* 7:30 PM*
11	12	13	14	15 7:30 PM*	16 SPRING SOIRÉE	17 2 PM* 7:30 PM*

MAY WORKS FROM WITHIN 2

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
9	10	11	12 7:30 PM	13 7:30 PM*	14 7:30 PM*	15 2 PM* 7:30 PM*

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