



Peter Chu

Class of 1997

Peter Chu, CBHS Class of 1997, is a distinguished artist who strives to push the physical bounds of dance in his own performance and newly formed company, chuthis. Peter began his training as a competitive gymnast and continued as a cheerleader. He nurtured his artistry at Dussich Dance Studio (Merritt Island) where his evolution into dance began. As a BFA student at The Juilliard School (under direction of Benjamin Harkarvy), Peter was pushed further as a technical mover and began an explosive journey into choreography. Upon graduation he was awarded the Hector Zaraspe Prize for Choreography. Peter has danced with companies such as BJM_Danse and EZdanza. Peter was "A New Day" cast member starring Celine Dion in Las Vegas. He can also be seen as the lead male in Christina Perri's, "Jar of Hearts" music video. Currently, Peter is enjoying his time dancing with Crystal Pite's company, Kidd Pivot Frankfurt RM.



Pursuing a career as choreographer and performer, Peter formed the chuthis. group. Since then, Peter has been involved in many exciting projects such as Naomi Stikeman's, Çaturn (consulted by Robert Lepage), as both choreographer and dancer. Peter has had the pleasure of creating work for Montreal based solo performer, Sarah Williams, in her solo evening show titled, "ICI EST TOUJOURS AILLEURS". His choreography is also featured on the ARTV series in Quebec: Meneuse de Claques (Cheerleaders). In 2008, Peter was selected to present his work and the chuthis. group at the Perry-Mansfield New Works Festival in Colorado. He has created pieces for the Houston Metropolitan Contemporary dance company, San Diego Dance Theatre, SUNY at Purchase (graduation performance solo), Southern University of Utah, The Juilliard summer dance program, High School for Performing Visual Arts, Booker T. Washington Performing Arts School, Edge scholarship show, the Monsters of hip/hop and contemporary show, and for many training programs throughout North America. This past year, Peter acted as artistic assistant and repetiteur for Cullberg Ballet by remounting Crystal Pite's, "Xspectacle." He is also the proud recipient of the 2010 Capezio A.C.E awards for choreography.



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chuthis. Foundation is a non-profit organization created in 2010 to benefit chuthis. chuthis. is a Las Vegas, Nevada, project based performance group created by Juilliard graduate dancer/choreographer Peter Chu. Peter has performed nationally and internationally with many illustrious companies, including Céline Dion's A New Day (in Las Vegas), BJM_Danse, EZdanza, Aszure ® Artists, and (currently) Kidd Pivot Frankfurt RM (director/choreographer Crystal Pite). Peter is the featured dancer in Christina Perri's Jar of Hearts music video. In addition, Peter has choreographed for numerous world-renowned companies and artists.

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