

## DANCE

**SAMPLE OCCUPATIONS** Please ask a career advisor for help in identifying resources for the following occupations and job titles. Note that some of these options may require an advanced degree.

Artistic Director	Dance Cuer	Opera Dancer
Artistic Representative/Agent	Dance Critic	Opera Ballet Dancer
Background Dancer	Dance Studio Owner	Patter Caller
Ballet Dancer	Dance Therapist	Private Dance Teacher
Ballet Master/Mistress	Dance Writer	Producer/Manager
Choreographer	Director of Arts (advocacy agencies)	Production Manager
Community Relations Director	Director of Development (theaters)	Professional Dancer Affiliate
Costume Designer	General Manager (theater management)	Salsa Rueda Caller
Classical Ballet Dancer	Marketing Director	Stage Manager
Dance Captain	Modern Dancer	Tap Dancer
Dance Company Manager	Modern Western Square Dance Caller	Teacher/Rehearsal Master
Dancer		Tour Manager

### **SAMPLE CAREER CENTER LIBRARY RESOURCES**

Artist Communities: A Directory of Residencies in the United States that Offer Time and Space for Creativity VIB6 K8  
Breaking in the Music Business IIB 27-2040 S5  
Careers for Culture Lovers & Other Artsy Types IIACF-C8  
Career Opportunities in Theater and Performing Arts IIB27-2012.02 F5  
Dancers File 2 IIB 27-2031  
Dance Therapists IIB 29-1125.02  
Everything Alternative IIA M3  
Hollywood Creative Directory VIB6 H6  
How to Get a Job on a Cruise Ship: A Step-By-Step Guide IVC K3  
Opportunities in Performing Arts Careers IIB 27-2000 B4  
Opportunities in Music Career IIB 27-2040 G4  
The Business of Being an Artist IIB 27-1010G7  
The Career Guide for Creative and Unconventional People IIA E39

For POSSIBLE electronic format for these or other related resources, use the FSU Libraries Catalog at [lib.fsu.edu](http://lib.fsu.edu); select Advanced Catalog Search: **Keywords Anywhere** = vocational And **Title Keywords** = type a specific career area (think of alternate terms to describe your career in case one doesn't give results).

### **SAMPLE WORK SETTINGS**

Arts Advocacy Agencies	National Endowment for the Humanities
Arts Management Firms	Newspapers/Magazines
Centers for the Arts	Office of International Education
Cruise Ships	Peace Corps/AmeriCorps
Cultural Affairs Agencies	Private Dance Studios
Dance Companies/Organizations	Production Companies
Dance Festivals	Publishing Firms
Department of Education	Public Library for Performing Arts
Elementary and Secondary School	Theme Parks
Media Films National Archives	Traveling Theaters
Music Videos	University Setting, Center for the Arts
National Endowment for the Arts	

## **OTHER SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

Choices Planner

[www.bridges.com/cpflorida/](http://www.bridges.com/cpflorida/)

eDISCOVER

[www.act.org/discover/login](http://www.act.org/discover/login)

(Obtain a User ID from a career advisor)

Encyclopedia of Careers & Voc. Guidance

IIA E6 v. 1-5

Occupational Outlook Handbook

[www.bls.gov/oco/](http://www.bls.gov/oco/)

O\*NET

[www.onetcenter.org/](http://www.onetcenter.org/)

SIGI 3

[www.career.fsu.edu/sigi](http://www.career.fsu.edu/sigi)

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## **SAMPLE PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

International Tap Association

P.O. Box 356

Boulder, Colorado 80306

[www.tapdance.org](http://www.tapdance.org)

National Dance Association

1900 Association Dr.

Reston, VA 20191

[www.aahperd.org/nda/](http://www.aahperd.org/nda/)

National Association of Schools of Dance

11250 Roger Bacon Dr., Suite 21,

Reston, VA 20190

[www.nasd.arts-accredit.org](http://www.nasd.arts-accredit.org)

Stage Directors and Choreographers

1501 Broadway Ste. 1701

New York, New York 10036

[www.ssd.org](http://www.ssd.org)

For other related professional organizations, use Gale's Organization through FSU Libraries database at [lib.fsu.edu](http://lib.fsu.edu); select List all Databases; select Gale's Ready Reference shelf; choose Organizations.

## **SAMPLE WEB SITES**

[www.tapdance.org/tap/](http://www.tapdance.org/tap/) (Tap Dance Homepage)

[www.sapphireswan.com/dance/](http://www.sapphireswan.com/dance/) (Sapphire Dance Directory)

[www.manhattandancecompany.com](http://www.manhattandancecompany.com) (Manhattan Dance Company)

[www.danceusa.org](http://www.danceusa.org) (dance USA)

[www.arts-accredit.org/](http://www.arts-accredit.org/) (National Association of Schools of Dance (NASD))

[www.cyberdance.org/](http://www.cyberdance.org/) (Ballet on the Net)

<http://www.tcg.org/artsearch/index.cfm> (Password required) —Ask a career advisor

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