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Weight: 125 lbs
Height: 5 '6"

Eye Colour: Blue
Hair Colour: Brown

AWARDS AND SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2009 Senior Miss Showbiz, Showbiz National Talent
- 2008(9) Dancer of the Year, American Dance Awards (ADA) (Nationals)
- 2008 George Lon Memorial Award, ADA (Nationals)
- 2006 Issued in *Dance Spirit Magazine*
1st Overall Solo, Co. Dance Championships (Nationals)
1st Overall Duet, Co. Dance Championships (Nationals)
- 2004 4th Runner-up Teen Dancer of the Year, ADA (Nationals)
- 2003 4th Runner-up Junior Miss Dance, Dance Masters of America (Nationals)
Junior Miss Dance of Western New York, Dance Masters of America
- 2002 Junior Champion, World Jazz Championships
- 2001 4th Runner-up Petite Miss Dance, Dance Masters of America (Nationals)
Petite Miss Dance of Western New York, Dance Masters of America
- 1998 Mini Miss Dance of Western New York, Dance Masters of America

PERFORMING EXPERIENCE

- 2009 **Dancer for Elise Estrada**
Dancer in a live performance of *Elise Estrada on Much On Demand*
- 2008 **Featured dancer for CTV**
Performed in the promo-commercial for *So You Think you Can Dance Canada*
Member of the Toronto Street Team

Cast member in an off-Broadway musical
Dancer in Alves Productions: *Six Maestros*
- 2007(9) **Dance Repertoire at Cawthra Park Secondary School**
Member: rehearsing, choreographing and performing dance pieces
- 2003 **Participated in Bravo TV**
Performed as a tap dancer for the documentary, "*All I wanna do is just have some fun*"

- 2001 **Participated in the feature-film Honey**
Performed as a principal hip-hop dancer

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2009 **Dance Teacher at The Dance Pac**
Taught acro, jazz and lyrical to dancers, aged 5 – 20

FRESH Dance Intensive faculty member

Taught and assisted classes in a variety of styles such as lyrical and jazz at a convention exposing young talented choreographers

- 2007(8) **Dance assistant at a national CanDance Convention**
Assisted a faculty of professional choreographers in jazz, lyrical, hip hop, samba and pasa double
- 2005 **Dance assistant at Performing Dance Arts**
Assisted the dance instructor in acro, ballet, jazz and tap to teach the principles and basics of dance

EDUCATION

Cawthra Park Secondary School graduate
Regional Arts Program: Major in dance

TRAINING

- Various forms of dance including ballet, pointe, jazz, tap, lyrical, modern, hip hop, acro, musical theatre, flamenco, swing, partnering and lifting
- 2005 – 2009 Performing Dance Arts
250 Trowers Road Unit 4, Woodbridge, Ontario
Danny Poland
- 2004 – 2005 Vlad's Dance Company
565 Edward Ave. Unit 10, Richmond Hill, Ontario
Vlad Novitski
- 1994 – 2004 Joanne Chapman School of Dance
55 Regan Road Unit #3, Brampton, Ontario
Joanne Chapman