

## ~Erin Walton~ 2017 Hip Hop Adjudicator

Erin Walton aka Chalice is a versatile dance artist specializing in freestyle, performance, creation & instruction. With roots in both the street and studio worlds of dance Erin has spent the majority of her life expressing and expanding through movement. Growing up in Saskatoon Saskatchewan Erin's studio training focused on Ballet, Jazz, Musical Theatre and Contemporary. Outside of the studio Erin's teachings came from programs such as Rap City and Yo MTV Raps. Learning hip-hop & breaking from music videos and sessions with Local Saskatoon bboy crews such as Eternal bboys and

Skill force. In hopes to grow her abilities she begun pursuing knowledge and training in cities such as Vancouver, Los Angeles & New York and eventually moved to Vancouver in 2009. Over the past seven years she has trained with programs and teachers in hip-hop, waacking, popping, locking, house and breaking such as Mr. Wiggles, Archie Burnett, Tyrone Proctor, Foret Noir, Waackisha, Black Kat, SOULdiers (Kim Sato), Natasha Gorrie, Groovaloos, Ibuki, Sam-I-Am, Lady C & Meech de France. Currently you can find Erin competing in Hip-Hop, Waacking & All-Styles battles throughout Canada and the US, performing & teaching with Project Soul and choreographing for The Lovers Cabaret.

Recent performances include Macklemore's 'Dance off' Official Music Video & Subcura's 'Volition'.