

## PRESS RELEASE

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### **New York Dance Artistry | Hariyama Ballet**

#### **In celebration of the 20th Anniversary at Symphony Space.**

On Sunday, June 8, New York Dance Artistry Hariyama Ballet will hold its 20th Anniversary Performance at the historic Symphony Space. The program features performances by current students and active instructors based in New York City, alongside guest artist appearances, live music, and the premiere of new works—making this a one-time-only special event.

#### **Event Information**

**Date/Time:** Sunday, June 8, 4 PM

**Venue:** Symphony Space | Peter Jay Sharp Theatre (750 seats)

**Address:** 2537 Broadway at 95th St.

**Admission:** Adults \$35–\$40 / Children \$35 / Students (ID required) \$30

**Tickets:**

<https://www.symphonyspace.org/events/vp-hariyama-ballet-20th-year-anniversary-performance>

#### **Main Program**

Highlight from Swan Lake, Highlight from Don Quixote Jupiter (Premier by Mami Tomotani), Taiko & Dance Collaboration 2025 (20th anniversary special edition), etc.

#### **Main Performers**

Mami Hariyama, Akira Iida (Washington Ballet), COBU (Rhythm Performance Group), Brian Sevilla (New Jersey Ballet), Tomoko Ishikawa (HIPHOP), Tamii Sakurai (Tap), NY Dance Artistry Dancers, etc.

## [The 20-Year History of Haruyama Ballet]

After studying abroad from Japan, Mami Hariyama moved to New York and opened the school in 2005. Starting with an adult beginner class, the number of young students gradually grew, and in 2010, Hariyama opened a dedicated ballet studio in Midtown. Welcoming international students as well, she has since taught over 800 students, sharing both the joy and the discipline of ballet. In 2019, the studio relocated to 33rd Street, just across from Penn Station and Madison Square Garden, where Hariyama continues to offer daily classes in ballet, contemporary, K-pop, tap dance, and more.



< With the school's students. A training camp class with exchange students from Japan. >

## [Mami Hariyama]



Born in Osaka. Studied abroad in New York in 2003. In 2005, she started her own ballet class in New York. In 2007, became a ballet instructor at the Nippon Club, which has a history of over 100 years in New York, and since 2009, she has been invited to teach and be a judge for the competition in Japan and the U.S.

The school is currently located in Penn Station in central New York, and is attended by children, students aiming to become professionals, and adults. Also host summer intensives and short-term study abroad programs in New York every year, host training camps, accept students, and teach students who come to New York from all over the country. She supports dancers from long-term study abroad to professional dancers and providing them dormitories.

As a producer, she has produced and hosted over 30 performances in New York and Japan. She also performs as a dancer. Also hosting events that bring children to adults, and families together to enjoy the performing arts such as ballet and music.

In addition to running a studio, she also works as a ballet pianist and provides piano accompaniment at well known

dance studios and companies such as American Ballet Theater in New York. In 2014, the first official ballet CD with Disney was released by AvexJapan. She also write reviews of dance performances.

## **[NY Dance Artistry - Hariyama Ballet]**

The motto is to be fun and serious. We give serious, authentic, and fun lessons, and we also place great importance on teaching manners and other things that you can learn from lessons.

We aim to cultivate mental strength, stamina, flexibility, imagination, musicality, and express the joy of dance from the heart, and we also aim to teach social skills, time management, manners, etiquette, etc. through lessons.

I hope that they will also learn how wonderful it is to experience the sense of accomplishment that comes from working hard to achieve the goals.

### **[School Information]**

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### **[Official Photos / Videos for Press]**

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1rBP4bUM1eZR4DlyxnSEIV3mNplu3afq2?usp=sharing>

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 Emma Aoki  
 Iris Ban  
 Emma Bell  
 Abigail Comstock  
 Erika Duan  
 Miori Endo  
 Seia Endo  
 Léa-Miyu Foulloy  
 Sara Fujimura  
 Emma Fujisawa  
 Sophie Amiri Goodman  
 Nanao Gunji  
 Sophia Guo  
 Kanna Hayashi  
 Miko Ikezawa  
 Lena Kawashima Ito  
 Sakura Jung

Reina Kalancha  
 Mina Kalancha  
 Emma Kaloudis  
 Joe Karaki  
 Lynn Karaki  
 Ame Kasami  
 Aoi Katsuno  
 Anna Keh  
 Nicole Lee  
 Diane Martin  
 Olivia McNeill  
 Anna Minegishi  
 Sara Miura  
 Akari Watanabe Murphy  
 Yuzu Nakamizu  
 Mio Nakanishi  
 Junsuke Nishimura  
 Risa Nishimura

Emi Noguchi  
 Emer O'Hara  
 Kaho Okada  
 Mio Okamoto  
 Aki Onaka  
 Nikita Paas  
 Victoria Ramirez  
 Alaska Saifi  
 Rina Shikanai  
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 Sofia Tang  
 Sanoka Toyama  
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 Miki Yamamoto  
 Skye Yang  
 Annika Zurl



**NY DANCE ARTISTRY HARIYAMA BALLET**

**20<sup>TH</sup>**  
**ANNIVERSARY**

**PERFORMANCE**

Swan Lake, Don Quixote, Jupiter,  
 Taiko Dance Fusion, K-POP, Tap Dance



**June 8 2025** 4PM

Cast: NY Dance Artistry - Hariyama Ballet Students, Mami Hariyama,  
 Akira Iida ( Washington Ballet), Brian Sevilla (New Jersey Ballet)  
 KOBU(Japanese Drum Performer), Yui Hasegawa, Yuka Kawasaki,  
 Manatsu Aminaga, Miku Hirayama, and more!



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