INACATIVE COMBINE

Sunday, December 3rd from 9:00am-3:15pm
University of Kansas
Robinson Center, 1301 Sunnyside Avenue, Lawrence, KS 66045

Join us for the 2023 Combine!

Innovative Choreography is thrilled to be partnering with the University of Kansas to bring a collegiate dance combine to the Kansas City area for the sixth year. Colleges and universities from the midwest will be in attendance to recruit and represent their programs. For a complete and updated list of colleges and universities involved, please visit https://www.innovativechoreography.com/innovative-college-combine.

Dancers will begin the day with an opportunity to have professional headshots and full body photos taken by the amazing Alexis Close of B.Close Photography. All photos will be made available to purchase! Innovative Choreography faculty members will teach technique, a pom sideline, a hip hop combination, and a review of a jazz combination (dancers will receive the jazz choreography ahead of time). Participants will have an opportunity to demonstrate each routine for the collegiate coaches. Throughout the day, dancers will interact with coaches through scheduled mingle sessions. Additionally, all participants will be provided a list of coaches and contact information. Likewise, all coaches will be provided a list of participants and contact information.

Combine Details for Dancers

The Robinson Center at the University of Kansas is located at 1301 Sunnyside Avenue, Lawrence, Kansas 66045. Dancers are encouraged to wear formed-fitting dance attire (tanks, sports bras, etc). Please come game day ready! You may wear your hair down and wear performance makeup. You are welcome to bring shoes and extra clothes for the hip hop combo. We will have each grade level wear a different color top to distinguish their age:

Freshmen - Grey Sophomores - Grey Juniors - Black

Seniors & Current College Students - any color top (please avoid grey and black)

Please pack a lunch, snacks, and water!

Optional E.D.G.E. Workshop

Saturday, December 2nd from 6-8pm Johnson County Dance Center 19425 W 151st Terrace, Olathe, KS 66062

Attending dancers will have an option to add on a two-hour workshop. Here's the information shared with them:

E.D.G.E. - Elevating Dancer's Goals Effectively

Join us for a two hour session with Tim Flattery. This is a session designed to elevate each dancer to be the best you can be and to prepare for the next step in your dancing journey. The E.D.G.E. College Audition Workshop will cover tips to improve desired areas of technique while highlighting your greatest strengths and creating a mindset and approach to new combos/choreography. Tim will also take you from being a good candidate to a great candidate by discussing ways to put your best foot forward while achieving goals that will give you that extra E.D.G.E. The E.D.G.E. Workshop will help prepare you for the Innovative College Combine...don't miss your change to have an edge up!

Feedback

All high school dancers will receive feedback from a collegiate dancer and/or an Innovative staff member! We hope this addition will provide even more education, support, and encouragement to every dancer in attendance. We need your help in order to make this happen. On the registration form, we will ask if we can "borrow" your dancers at one point during the day to help provide feedback to the high school attendees.

College Dancers

If your college dancers are not helping us with providing feedback to the high school dancers, we invite them to take any class they want! We do need waivers from them on file before they can participate (see end of packet for both the Innovative Choreography waiver and the University of Kansas waiver). Feel free to take choreography back to your schools to use at games/performances! We would LOVE for you to tag us in social media posts when/if you perform any of our routines.

Schedule

Saturday 12/2

Dancers who elect to add on the EDGE Workshop with Tim Flattery will join us at Johnson County Dance Center (19425 W 151st Terrace, Olathe, KS 66062) from 6-8pm.

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Time		Event				
9:00 - 10:00am		Registration, Professional Photos & Mingle with College Coaches				
10:00 - 10:15am		Warm Up				
10:15 - 11:00am		Technique				
11:00 - 11:15am		Review Jazz Combo				
11:15 - 11:30am		Jazz Combo Show Off				
11:30 -12:30pm		Lunch Break (no mingling from 11:30-12:00)				
12:00 - 12:30pm		SENIOR ONLY Mingle with College Coaches				
12:30 - 1:00pm		Learn Pom Sideline				
1:00 - 1:15pm		Pom Sideline Show Off				
1:15 - 2:00pm		Learn Hip Hop Combo				
2:00 - 2:15pm		Hip Hop Combo Show Off				
2:15 - 2:45pm		One at a Time Show Offs (each dancer gets 4 eight counts to showcase anything he/she would like)				
2:45 - 3:00pm		Combine Wrap Up, Drawings & Giveaways				
3:00 - 3:15pm		Final Mingle with College Coaches Opportunity				
3:15 - 4:15pm		Senior Recording Opportunity				

Recruiting

Throughout the day, dancers will interact with coaches through scheduled mingle sessions. Additionally, all participants will be provided a list of coaches and contact information. Likewise, all coaches will be provided a list of participants and contact information.

To encourage dancers to visit all college recruiting booths, we would like to do a drawing at the end of the day. All high school dancers will be given paper with their names on it. As they visit the college tables, they will drop off a piece of paper in the drawing on each table. We ask that you bring something representing your college/university/team to be given away in the drawing. Ideas include: school or team shirt, swag, free/discounted admission to a dance clinic, etc. Drawings will occur during the Combine Wrap Up at the end of the day.

After the combine, Innovative Choreography will share any videos we take with you. Additionally, graduating seniors have an opportunity to sign up for recording with Innovative staff. We will share senior videos with you as well. We hope this will help with your recruiting process!

Combine 2023 T-Shirt

We are thrilled to offer commemorative t-shirts for the Innovative Combine 2023! Shirts are generic (not women's) sizes, soft style, and are classic fit. Participating colleges/ universities will be listed on the back <u>if registered by Monday, November 6th.</u> Shirts are available at cost (\$13 each, tax included) to college coaches and dancers.



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Chest (in)	24-36	38-40	42-44	46-48	50-52	58-60

Innovative College Combine Registration

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Register online: https://www.innovativechoreography.com/innovative-college-combine

Required Waivers

Innovative Choreography Waiver

All coaches and dancers attending must submit a waiver for Innovative Choreography. You will receive a confirmation email once we have received your waiver. Fill your waiver out here: https://www.webwaiver.com/sign/innovativechoreography/waiver

University of Kansas Waiver

All coaches and dancers attending must submit a waiver for the University of Kansas. Download your waiver, fill it out, and submit it to Innovative Choreography.

Download here: https://drive.google.com/file/d/11xAnjhrbeWvtXkryGR5Agy8qcqFfHQyz/view?usp=sharing

Submit to Innovative Choreography via email: innovativechoreography@gmail.com

You will receive a confirmation email once we have received your KU waiver and your Innovative waiver.

If you need to contact us leading up to or the day of the Combine, feel free to use the following modes of communication:

innovativechoreography@gmail.com

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