

Personal Statement

Chinese Dance is an important part of my life. It is as essential as breathing, eating and sleeping. Ever since I was a little girl I have always had a keen interest in dance. With every move I make, I can communicate to a group of people without ever having to move my lips. I have accumulated traits that will forever help me through life. In the course of my years I have been given the opportunity to study culture that I would have otherwise lost touch with, Chinese culture. Not only do I learn dance moves and technique but I also learn about the Chinese history and culture.

I dream to dance as good as a famous Chinese dancer, Loping Yang, who is well-known as "The Princess of Peacock" because of her peacock dance that highlights the vitality and elegance of the noble creature. To fulfill my dream, I received strict training from ballet school and practice every basic but essential movement and step. I was born to Sidney Wang, a well known Chinese Dancer both in China and in Los Angeles. Growing up, my mother was and still is a major part of my dancing and has helped me achieve everything I have accomplished in dance. My mother has opened a door for me and led me to this wonderful thing that I love. Through her strict training and encouragement she has helped me become who I am today.

During my life I have learned dances of various styles such as Mongolian, Vietnamese, Thai and Classical dance from many dancing teachers such as Ms. Olivia Tsuyin Liou and also received classical ballet training from Ms. Li Zhang and Ms. Xiao Yun Li at Li's Dance Studio. In my freshman year of high school I was selected as a member of the school dance team in which we are very involved in school performances and numerous competitions. Moreover I have also learned other styles of dance like Hip

Hop and Jazz at my school. Through their teachings, I go on and teach young children in which they overtake and compete in competitions.

In my many years of guidance with dance artists I have attained many aspects that are very important and necessary throughout life. I can manage my time well and am dedicated to anything that I have to do. Through hard work, I can accomplish that goal. Right now, I do not know what I will grow up to be or become but I know that I will always have the art of dance remain in my heart and that dance will always be a part of my life because it has shaped everything that I am today.