

Elizabeth Williams

www.lizandhoward.berlin

www.liz-williams.com

www.q-space.berlin

Liz Williams

Born in Florida. Studied in NYC. Lives in Berlin

Elizabeth Williams was born in Florida and moved to New York at a young age in order to attend the State University of New York Conservatory of Dance. While there, her studies included ballet, contemporary/modern dance, choreography, music, singing, theater, yoga & anatomy. She graduated Cum Laude in 2000. In NYC, Liz danced for various choreographers including Howard Katz. She began her work as an aerialist in 2004 with the Canadian company, Caravan Stage. A



professional aerialist, she has performed in many of the most prestigious German Varietes including; Chamaleon Theater (Berlin), Wintergarten Theater (Berlin), Friedrichsbau Variete, Et Cetera Variete (Bochum), State Theater Ingolstadt, and GOP Theaters to name a few. She has performed in the hit musical Rocky Horror Show. Together with Howard Katz she created the performance company, MAD Projects- Muisc Acrobatics Dance, and produced and performed in, NOIR A Circus of Love Songs at the Chamaeleon Theater Berlin. She often tours with Howard and their duo shows, *Franco & Lolla*, *Sinatra Songs* and the circus comedy, *Mojo & Moni, A Love Story at the Edge of the World*.

Liz's work centers on the integration and development of her various skills into a seamless, precise and emotional expression. Her primary skills include Vertical and Counterweight Rope, Aerial Chains, Vertical Tissue/Silks, Contemporary Dance, Acting, Singing. She is also a certified Gyrotonic Instructor and credits her study of ballet, with Janet Panetta in New York City, and 5Q with Howard Katz as the foundation of her training.

Vital experiences

As Performer

- | | |
|-----------|--|
| 2020 | International Kulturbörse Freiburg Opening Gala ' <i>Franco & Lolla</i> '
Wasserspiele Festival Multikultures Centrum Templin ' <i>Franco & Lolla</i> '
Schloss Bröllin Artist Residence, ' <i>Mojo&Moni A Love Story at the Edge of the World</i> ' |
| 2019 | German tour ' <i>Franco & Lolla</i> ' <i>Sinatra Songs</i> -
Cafe Hahn Koblenz, Rantastic Theater Baden Baden, Schloss Theater Laupheim |
| 2014-2019 | Aerialist at GOP Variete Theater, <i>Rock Star</i> , German Tour |

2016 Aerialist, Dancer, Actress in *Entangled*, Apollo Theater Stuttgart

2015 Aerialist, Dancer, Actress in *Entangled* at Friedrichsbau Variete, Stuttgart

2015 *NOIR, A Circus of Love Songs*, Chamaeleon Theater Berlin

2014-2015 Aerialist, Actress, Dancer -Krystallpalast Leipzig '*Winterflimmern*'

2013, 2011 Aerialist- Wintergarten Variete, Berlin '*Forever Young*', '*Furioso*'

2013 Aerialist musical project with Richard Cameron-Wolf at Totaldobze, Riga Latvia

2012 International Variety Festival "*Dirk Denzer's Magic Moments*", Schweinfurt

2010 Aerialist, Dancer, Singer in *Rocky Horror Show*, Staatstheater Ingolstadt

2010 Aerialist in Winter Variete, Konzert Scheune Calden

2008-2009 Aerialist at Chamaeleon Theater, Berlin, '*My Life*'

2006 Aerialist at Variete Et Cetera

2004 Aerialist, Dancer, Actress in '*John Doe*', Podewil Theater Berlin

2003 Aerialist, Dancer, Actress in Caravan Stage Company, US Tour

2001-2002 Dancer in *Entanglement* at *Budo Flux, Dance, Martial and Visual Arts*, NYC

1998-2000 Dancer in ThingsezIsee'm Dance Theater Company, NYC

As Choreographer

2017-2019 Tui Cruises Berlin- Artistic, Acrobatic, Performance Coach & Choreographer

2016 Choreographer at Krystallpalast Variete Leipzig

2015 Rehearsal Director, Concept, Production for *NOIR, A Circus of Love Songs*

2012 Aerial Choreographer at Friedrichstadtpalast "*Show Me*"

As Instructor

2017-present *Q Space* adult aerial tissue

2018-present *Qcircus* children's Circus at Space Berlin

2009 *Nomadic College Summer Dance Festival*, Hungary

2004-2005 *CABUWAZI* Circus School, Berlin, Germany

2004 *Gut Stolzenhagen Sommer Tanz Festival*

2003 K77 Studios, Berlin Germany

2001-02 Gyrotonics on the Hudson, NYC

2001 Movement Salon, NYC

Studies

1995-2000 SUNY Purchase Conservatory of Dance, NY
BFA Dance Performance Cum Laude, merit scholarship

2000 Certified Instructor Gyrotonic Expansion System, NYC

Ballet: Janet Panetta, NYC

Contemporary Dance: Howard Katz, NYC, Berlin

Acting: Susan Slavin Academy of Acting and Singing, Alec Rubin, NYC

Singing: Christopher North, NYC; Robin Lyn Gooch, Berlin

Shore Kempo Karate: Marc Trivanti, NYC