

# NATALIA CHAPOURSKAYA

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**Education** – A.Y. Vaganova Academy of Choreography, Perm, Russia

Graduated with highest Honor Degree in Choreography and Highest Honor Degree as a Ballet Artist.

While at A.Y. Vaganova Academy in Perm studied with L.P.Sakharova, one of the most renowned choreography and ballet teachers.

Varna, Bulgaria Ballet Competition (1983) – Diploma

Moscow Ballet Competition (1993) – Diploma

## Stage Productions

Perm Academic Opera and Ballet Theater – Prima Ballerina

Alexandrovski Academic State Theater of St. Petersburg – Prima Ballerina

Kirov Ballet Theater St. Petersburg – Principal Dancer

Stars of Russian Ballet – Principal dancer

(Japan- with Maya Plisetskaya, Austria – with Ludmila Semeniaka and Yuri Posohov)

Nevada Ballet Theater – Principal dancer

### Lead Roles performed in:

Swan Lake	Paquita	Romeo & Juliet	Czar Boris	Coppelia
Giselle	Nutcracker	Carmen	Les Sylphides	Cinderella
Don Quixote	Corsar	Esmeralda	La Sylphide	Bayadere

### International Tours:

Austria, England, Germany, France, Italy, Spain, Belgium, Holland, Hungary, Japan, Vietnam, Brasil, Canada, Australia, Portugal, USA

## Teaching Appointments

A.Y. Vaganova Academy St. Petersburg	1990-1994
Tokyo Ballet School, Japan	1991
Greenville, Greensboro, S. Carolina, USA	1995
Atlanta Ballet, Atlanta, Georgia	1995
Nevada Dance Theater	1995-1997
Iowa Dance Theater	1996-1999-2000
Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa (Donna Reed Festival)	1998
Various Dance Companies Las Vegas, Nevada	1995-2006
Nevada Ballet Academy	1995-2006
Nevada Ballet Theater, company classes	2005-2006
Nevada Ballet Theater, Ballet Mistress	2005-2006
Park City Dance Academy Summer intensive Program	2006
Park City Dance Academy, teacher	2006-2009