

# 2024-2025 SBA Student Accomplishments

## YAGP Finals (2025) – Tampa, FL

Afina Gosla – invitation to compete in Junior Final Round  
Leon Sai – **2<sup>nd</sup> Place Junior Men**  
Silvia Snow - invitation to compete in Junior Final Round

## LA Music Center Spotlight Awards (2025)

Mia Frederick – Ballet Semifinalist  
Afina Gosla - Ballet Semifinalist  
Michelle Lu – Ballet Semifinalist  
Brielle Aucoin – Ballet Merit Award  
Julia Prevost – Ballet Merit Award  
Silvia Snow – Ballet Merit Award

## YAGP Semi-Finals

### San Diego – March 2025

Minyang Gong – **2<sup>nd</sup> Place Classical**, Junior  
Mandy Hur – Top 12 Classical & Top 24 Contemporary, Junior  
Daria Podolsky – Top 24 Classical, Senior  
Sunhoo Kang – Top 24 Classical, Senior

### LA/Irvine – March 2025

Mia Frederick – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place Classical**, Senior  
Mari Kinouchi – Top 24 Classical, Senior  
Anya Rich – Top 24 Contemporary, Junior  
Ginevra Liu – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place Classical** & Top 24 Contemporary, Junior  
Chloe Chang – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Wendy Rasmussen – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Madeline Chang – **2<sup>nd</sup> Place Classical** & Top 12 contemporary, Pre-Competitive  
Gemina – Ginevra & Magnolia Liu – Top 12 Small Ensemble

### San Diego – February 2025

Johanna Malmkov – Top 24 Classical, Senior  
Emily Holder – Top 12 Classical, Junior  
Julia Kent – Top 12 Classical, Junior  
Audrey Schneider – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Sean Sai – **2<sup>nd</sup> Place Classical**, Pre-Competitive

### LA/Huntington Beach –February 2025

Felicity Rae Gunderson – Top 12 Classical, Senior  
Clara Attlesey – Top 24 Classical & Top 12 Contemporary, Senior  
Keira Kuennemann – Top 24 Classical, Senior  
Katerina Carney – **1<sup>st</sup> Place Classical** & **2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Contemporary, Junior  
Amelie Hong – Top 12 Classical, Junior  
Lena Lee – Top 12 Classical, Junior  
Anya Rich – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Riley Hendricks – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Zoe Zixuan Zeng – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Sara Nyman – Top 24 Contemporary, Junior  
Sara Takeuchi – Top 12 Classical, Pre-Competitive  
Madeline Chang – Top 12 Contemporary, Pre-Competitive

### Las Vegas – January 2025

Brielle Aucoin – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place Classical**, Senior  
Mari Kinouchi – Top 12 Classical, Senior

## YAGP Semi-Finals (Continued)

### San Diego – November 2024

Julia Prevost – Top 12 Classical, Senior  
Katarina Carney – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place Classical** & Top 12 Contemporary, Junior  
Amelie Hoang – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Brynn Oh – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Mandy Hur – Top 24 Classical, Junior

### YGP Italy – November 2024

Mia Frederick - Top 12 Classical & Top 12 Contemporary, Senior  
Afina Gosla - Top 12 Classical, Junior

### LA/Irvine – October 2024

Mia Frederick – **1<sup>st</sup> Place Contemporary** & Top 12 Classical, Senior  
Daria Podolsky – Top 12 Contemporary, Senior  
Leon Sai – **1<sup>st</sup> Place Classical** & **1<sup>st</sup> Place Contemporary**, Junior  
Silvia Snow – **2<sup>nd</sup> Place Classical** & Top 12 Contemporary, Junior  
Emily Holder – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Julia Kent – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Ginevra Liu – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Maya Villaneuva – Top 24 Classical, Junior  
Madeline Chang – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place Classical**, Pre-Competitive  
Sean Sai – Top 12 Classical, Pre-Competitive

## YAGP Finals Participants

Pre-Competitive Classical – Madeline Chang (11), Sean Sai (9)  
Junior Division – Katarina Carney (13), Afina Gosla (14), Leon Sai (13), Silvia Snow (14)  
Senior Division – Brielle Aucoin (16)  
Duet – Gemina (Ginevra Liu & Magnolia Liu)  
Ensemble – Thoughts & Breaths of Roma (Sasha Broderson, Madeline Chang, Riley Hendricks, Clara Lee, Lena Lee, Chloe Luc, Emma Nyman, Sara Nyman, Zoe Zeng)

## ADC|IBC Semi-Finals – Los Angeles

Julia Prevost, **4<sup>th</sup> Place** Classical, Senior and **4<sup>th</sup> Place** Contemporary, Senior

## Universal Ballet Competition Semi-Finals – Los Angeles

Cecelia Gundersen- **5<sup>th</sup> Place** Junior Intermediate Classical  
Mae Liu – **9<sup>th</sup> Place** Junior Intermediate Classical  
Minyang Gong – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place** Junior Competitive Classical  
Ginvera Liu – **9<sup>th</sup> Place** Junior Competitive Classical  
Lena Lee – **12<sup>th</sup> Place** Junior Competitive Classical  
Mandy Hur – **14<sup>th</sup> Place** Junior Competitive Classical  
Julia Kent – **9<sup>th</sup> Place** Junior Contemporary  
Sarah Nyman – **12<sup>th</sup> Place** Junior Contemporary  
Clara Attlesey – **9<sup>th</sup> Place** Senior Competitive Contemporary  
Marlie Jean-Baptiste – **6<sup>th</sup> Place** Senior Intermediate Classical & **9<sup>th</sup> Place** Senior Intermediate Contemporary  
Zeraphine Jaeckel – **6<sup>th</sup> Place** Senior Competitive Classical Solo  
Felicity Gundersen – **13<sup>th</sup> Place** Senior Competitive Classical Solo  
Gemina – Magnolia & Ginevra Liu – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place** Junior Competitive Duo/Trio  
Breaths of Roma – **3<sup>rd</sup> Place** Junior Competitive Ensemble

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## **California Dance Classics Semi Finals – San Diego**

Mandy Hur – Honorable Mention Classical, Ages 13-14  
Julia Kent – **Special Honorable Mention** Classical, Ages 11-12  
& **Special Honorable Mention** Contemporary, Ages 11-12  
Wendy Rasmussen – **Gold Medal** Neo-Classical, Ages 13-14

## **California Dance Classics Semi Finals – Los Angeles**

Mia Frederick – **Silver Medal** Classical & **Silver Medal** Contemporary, Ages 15 & older  
Julia Prevost – **Bronze Medal** Classical & Special Honorable Mention (4th Place) Contemporary, Ages 15 & older  
Brielle Aucoin – Special Honorable Mention, Classical, Ages 15 & older  
Pas de Deux from Le Corsaire – Mia Frederick & Ryan Robinson – **Gold Medal** Classical Pas de Deux, ages 14 and older  
Ginevra Liu – **Silver Medal** Classical & **Bronze Medal** Contemporary, Ages 13-14  
Anya Rich – Honorable Mention Classical & Honorable Mention Contemporary, Ages 13-14  
Magnolia Liu – Honorable Mention Classical & Honorable Mention Contemporary, Ages 13-14  
Amelie Hoang – Honorable Mention Classical & Honorable Mention Contemporary, Ages 13-14  
Sara Takeuchi – **Bronze Medal Classical**, Ages 8-10  
Veronica Chen – Honorable Mention Classical, Ages under 8

## **KAR – Redondo Beach, February 2025**

Arya Nguyen- **3<sup>rd</sup> Overall** Top Primary Solo, Ages 12-14  
Veronica Chen – **8<sup>th</sup> Overall** Top Primary Solo, Ages 6-8  
Attacca – **1<sup>st</sup> Overall** Primary Small Group, Ages 12-14, Judges Award for “Lovely Lines”  
Breaths of Roma – **4<sup>th</sup> Overall** Secondary Small Group, Ages 12-14, Judges Award for “Exquisite Extensions”