## Eden Legrand

Eden began dancing at the age of 4 and she hasn't stopped since. Eden's dancing began at Anderson Dance Depot under the instruction of Susan Williams(BFA) where she trained for the next 14 years in cecchetti ballet, tap and jazz and later became focused on musical theater and acrobatics. Throughout her childhood Eden was highly competitive through the Dance Masters of America program as well as many other competitions. In her teen years Eden was lucky to take part in several conventions and pre professional dance camps while also delving into the worlds of competitive cheerleading and theater. After attending the University of Arkansas, Eden returned to her home studio, now Anderson Dance Academy, to teach. Over the last twelve years she has seen success as a teacher and choreographer, traveling to studios in the Midwest to choreograph award winning numbers as well as providing opportunities for her own students. Eden now coaches the varsity dance team at her alma mater and hopes to continue opening the eyes of small town dancers to all the opportunities the dance world can provide. She is the most proud to have former students pursuing their own professional dance and teaching careers. Eden continues to be a student of dance, taking any and all opportunities that might make her a better dance teacher and choreographer.