



# HOLLY WILLIAMS

**DIRECTOR / HEAD TEACHER**

## PROFILE

Holly started dancing at the age of 3 in Bundaberg, Queensland and has trained in all styles of performing arts including Acrobatics, Jazz, Tap and Ballet. At the age of 18 she literally ran away to join the circus.

Holly has many students that have gone onto professional work including- CATS The Musical, Strictly Ballroom The Musical, Dance Academy TV Show, King Kong The Musical and the Moulin Rouge in Paris.

After many years teaching around Australia, Holly is proud to have opened her own school Upside Down Acrobatic and Circus Arts in Melbourne in 2016.

### Get to know Holly!

Holly isn't just a passionate teacher and performer. Holly is also a wife to husband Ash and Mum to her two girls Savannah and Georgia. She has a guilty love for hot chips and dancing to old school R&B in her lounge room! Her favourite movie is Night at the Roxbury and if she was an animal she would be a Monkey.

## UPSIDE DOWN CONTACT DETAILS

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## QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

### OWNER/HEAD TEACHER

#### UPSIDE DOWN ACROBATIC & CIRCUS SCHOOL 2016-PRESENT

- Specialising in Acro, Tumbling and Acrobatic Exams
- End of year Showcase at Silvers Circus

### COURSE /WORKSHOP CONDUCTOR

#### ACROBATIC ARTS CANDADA 2018-PRESENT

- Module 1 and 2 Course Conductor throughout Australia and New Zealand
- Workshop Conductor

### EXAM FACILITATOR and EXAMINER

#### ACROBATIC ARTS CANDADA 2018-PRESENT

- Facilitating Exams throughout Australia

### MODULE 2 CERTIFICATION

#### ACROBATIC ARTS CANDADA 2018

- Specialising in Acro Teaching Level 7- Pre-professional

### MODULE 1, 2 and 3

#### ACROBATIC ARTS CANDADA 2017

- Specialising in Acro Teaching Level Primary - Level 6

### DEAKIN UNIVERSITY

#### GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF APPLIED LEARNING 2010

- Specialising in teaching Dance and VCAL

### COMMONWEALTH SOCIETY OF DANCE TEACHING

#### FULL TEACHERS DIPLOMA 2009

- Specialising in teaching Acro, Tap and Jazz

### CIRCUS PERFORMER

#### SILVERS CIRCUS VICTORIA 2008=2009

- Hoola Hoop Solo Act
- Dancer
- Magician Assistant

### CIRCUS PERFORMER

#### ZIPPOS CIRCUS/ ACA London 2005

- Hoola Hoop Solo Act
- Handstand Solo Act
- Aerial Web Solo Act
- Dancer

### MAY DOWNS SCHOOL OF DANCE

#### FULL TEACHERS DIPLOMA 2008-2020

- Head Acro Teacher

### SWINBURNE UNIVERSITY

#### BACHELOR OF CIRCUS ARTS 2004

- Specialising in Hoola Hoops, Handstands, Tumbling and Aerials

### COMMONWEALTH SOCIETY OF DANCE TEACHING

#### STUDENT TEACHERS DIPLOMA 1999

- Specialising in teaching Acro, Tap and Jazz