

A photograph of an aerialist performing on a hoop. The aerialist is wearing a red leotard with a gold sequined sleeve and a red sash. She is holding the hoop with both hands and has her legs wrapped around it. The background is dark with red and gold lights.

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February 14, 2026

8:00 AM PST

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DANCER CALL

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TIME ZONE



Welcome to the broadcast of the WDM Virtual Competition! We have combined some categories and styles that did not have enough entries per the 'Rules and Regulations'. We never combine age levels. All the awards will be announced at the end of the competition, including the Top Overall Cash Prize Awards and some additional special awards.

ENJOY THE SHOW!

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INTERNATIONAL VIRTUAL COMPETITION

February 2026 - WDM Virtual Aerial Competition

Final Schedule

08:00 AM SATURDAY FEBRUARY 14th, 2026

WELCOME

Student - Solo ~ Silk	Participant
1 HOUND DOG United Kingdom Acrosphere Circus Studio	Max Allen
2 COWBOY FROM A FAIRYTALE Poland AKRO FLY	Karina Kryvohuz
3 HELIUM United States South Coast Conservatory	Steffany Almendarez
4 STRING OF FIRE South Africa Skyfit Studio	Lana Doubell
5 WONDERFUL LIFE Australia Ovation Arts	Audrey Reisinger
6 YOUNG ROCKY Poland AKRO FLY	Kludia Drozhnevskaya
7 HURRICANE Malta Colibri Aerial Fitness Gozo	Julia Naudi
8 LITTLE PIRATE Austria Zirkuszauber	Emilia Szekely

Student - Solo / Duo ~ Hoop will be judged together

Student - Solo ~ Hoop	Participant
9 THIS WISH United States	Payton Fox

08:30 AM

10 AFTERGLOW Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Abigail Potashinsky
11 CIRCUS GIRL Australia Ovation Arts	Audrey Reisinger
12 ROTTEN TO THE CORE United Kingdom Violet mciloon	Violet Mciloon

Student - Duo ~ Hoop	Participant
13 DAZZLING ELVES Malta Colibri Aerial Fitness Gozo	Amber Mejlak, Julia Naudi

Student - Solo ~ Hammock	Participant
14 SOULMATE Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Anna Kolesnikov
15 ORDINARY Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Maya Lvovski
16 I WANNA BE YOURS Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Eva Malonda
17 UNKNOWN Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Kira Anokhina
18 IF I DIE TOMORROW Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Valentina Lvovski
19 DREAMS COME TRUE Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Mackenzie Fazekas
20 NEZUKO Thailand Unify Healthstyle Studio	Phatu Chudech

09:00 AM

21 JE TE LAISSERAI DES MOTS Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Miya Vaserman
22 ATTENTION Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Ellie Huh
23 DEAD DANCE Canada Ultimate Acro by UC	Velina Sychev



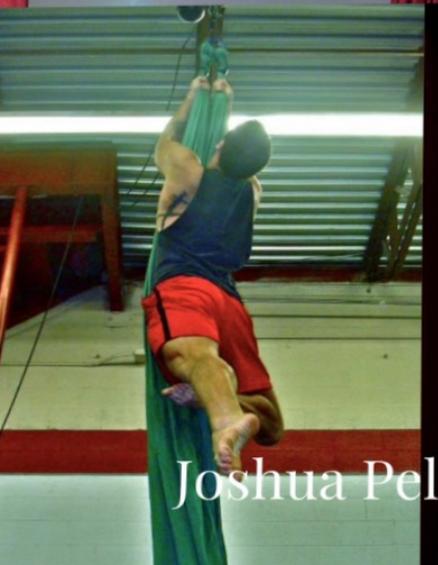
Claudia Cavalli



Terry Beeman



Jessa Mendoza



Joshua Pelatzky



PRODIGES

24	A MILLION DREAMS	Canada	Ultimate Acro by UC	Leah Jeong
25	ARABIAN NIGHTS	Canada	Ultimate Acro by UC	Leonora Martins
26	FREAKSHOW	Malta		Amber Mejlak
27	HAMMOCK	Poland		Amelia Kuzia
27A	PINK PANTHER	USA	AIRDANCES	Rachel Kosovsky

Student - Solo ~ Straps / Trapeze / Pole will be judged together

Student - Solo ~ Straps

28	BOND	United Kingdom	Acrosphere Circus Studio	Theodore Karpovich
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Student - Solo ~ Trapeze

29	MIME	United Kingdom	Acrosphere Circus Studio	Etta Ashbee
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09:30 AM

Student - Solo ~ Pole

30	BUTTERFLY	Malta	Colibri Aerial Fitness Gozo	Julia Naudi
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Junior - Solo ~ Silk

31	NIGHTMARE	United Kingdom		Elissa Clarkson
32	EARLY SPRING	Poland	AKRO FLY	Elzhibieta Nowak
33	SHERLOCK HOLMES	Poland	AKRO FLY	Agata Matushek
34	ENCHANTED ELF	Poland	AKRO FLY	Zofia Matushek
35	ARABIAN NIGHT	Poland	AKRO FLY	Antonina Radomska
36	THE LIONESS	Poland	AKRO FLY	Myroslava Dolia
37	FALLOUT	Poland	AKRO FLY	Karolina Krotoschak
38	FRENCH SPY	United Kingdom	Acrosphere Circus Studio	Leyla Davis

10:00 AM

39	HEALING INCANTATION	Canada	Ultimate Acro by UC	Sofia Solomonov
40	AS REAL AS YOU AND ME	United States	Aerial Ovation	Addie Laroche

Junior - Solo ~ Hoop

41	WARRIOR	United Kingdom	Acrosphere Circus Studio	Grace Wakefield
42	OFF WITH YOUR HEAD	United Kingdom	Aerial Zone	Sophie Mitchell
43	LOVELY	United States	Pole to Pole, LLC	Ella Merkel
44	JAZZ	United Kingdom	Acrosphere Circus Studio	Ava Winteridge-Palmer
45	SHADOW STREAK	Poland	AKRO FLY	Emilia Shander
46	BAD TO THE BONE	Thailand	Unify Healthstyle Studio	Phuphing Trakul-Uengjareem
47	CONFIDENT	United Kingdom	Aerial Zone	Lucy Humphries

10:30 AM

48	CATS	United Kingdom	Acrosphere Circus Studio	Fern Davis
49	LA PORTE DE L'ENFER	Japan		Kyara Takai
50	AERIAL HOOP	United Arab Emirates		Maiya Anoshko

Junior - Duo ~ Hoop / Straps will be judged together

Junior - Duo ~ Hoop

51	DUO AERIAL HOOP	Poland	AERIAL ELITE	Julia Gladysinska, Rozalia Ogórek
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52 YOU DON'T OWN ME United Kingdom Aerial Zone

Lucy Humphries, Sophie Mitchell

52A CATS United Kingdom Air Intensity

Darcy MacDonald, Eleni Carlson

Junior - Solo ~ Hammock / Trapeze / Straps will be judged together

Junior - Solo ~ Hammock

Participant

53 LET THE WORLD BURN Canada Ultimate Acro by UC

Alyssa Kolesnikov

54 TRIUMPH Malta Colibri Aerial Fitness Gozo

Kate Naudi

55 COUNTING STARS Canada Ultimate Acro by UC

Kateryna Tkachenko

56 BLACK CAT Thailand Unify Healthstyle Studio

Ariya Rattanasem

Junior - Solo ~ Trapeze

Participant

57 SURVIVAL TRAPEZE Czech Republic Schola Artist - Pole - Aerial - Dance & Yoga studio

Liliana Velíková

11:00 AM

Junior - Solo ~ Straps

Participant

58 COILS OF POWER United Kingdom Acrosphere Circus Studio

Leyla Davis

Junior - Duo ~ Straps

Participant

59 PHANTOM HEARTS United Kingdom Acrosphere Circus Studio

Fern Davis, Leyla Davis

Senior - Solo ~ Silk

Participant

60 OSCAR WINNING TEARS United States Aerial Ovation

Jordan Solomon

61 CREEP United States

Nate Jones

62 PTOLEMAEA Poland AKRO FLY

Malwina Waloshchyk

63 WAIT BY THE RIVER United States Samantha Gamatko - Pole To Pole Fitness

Samantha Gamatko

64 RAEDYN LARSON United States Skybound Aerial and Fitness

Raedyn Larson

65 TAINTED LOVE United States South Coast Conservatory

Heather Hyjek

11:30 AM

66 RADICI NEL VENTO Italy Irene Latorre

Irene Latorre

Senior - Solo / Duo ~ Hoop will be judged together

Participant

67 SACRIFICE Thailand Unify Healthstyle Studio

Woralux Phusoongnern

68 BLACK VELVET United States Aerial Arts NYC

Anna Hiran

69 CABARET SHOW Thailand Unify Healthstyle Studio

Kamonporn Kunrattanawanich, Nichaphat Thongsri

Senior - Solo ~ Hammock / Chains / Rope will be judged together

Senior - Solo ~ Hammock

Participant

70 HERITAGE Greece

Neonilli Gkiouli

71 ETERNITY Poland

Wiktorja Stawiszynska

Senior - Solo ~ Chains

Participant

72 CHAINS United States

Angie Mar

Senior - Solo ~ Rope

Participant

73 UNFORGETTABLE United States Warped Studios

Sekora Berge

Senior - Solo ~ Rope

Participant

74 INTRECCI Italy

Claudia Mastrolia



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12:00 PM

Pre-Professional - Solo ~ Chains / Open / Silk / Hammock will be judged together

Pre-Professional - Solo ~ Chains

Participant

75 TAKE IT ALL BACK South Africa Twisted Cirque Aerial Academy

Madison Cousins

Pre-Professional - Solo ~ OPEN

Participant

76 GOODBYE United States Warped Studios

Azrielle (Azy) Berge

Pre-Professional - Solo ~ Silk

Participant

77 WHITE CAVE BAT Poland AKRO FLY

Oleksandra Zelenska

Pre-Professional - Solo ~ Hammock

Participant

78 TO THE BUS! United States Warped Studios

Sekora Berge

Pre-Professional - Solo / Duo ~ Hoop will be judged together

Participant

Pre-Professional - Solo ~ Hoop

79 HOOP Hong Kong Charisse

Yuen Ki Chan

80 BATTLE WITHOUT HONOR OR HUMANITY Norway Sometimes Aerial and Pole

Svetlana Naumova

81 FUR ELISE South Africa Twisted Cirque Aerial Academy

Madison Cousins

82 DEAR GOD United States Warped Studios

Azrielle (Azy) Berge

12:30 PM

Pre-Professional - Duo ~ Hoop

Participant

83 DUO Japan LunaSpira

Kyara Takai, Lisa Matsumoto

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- 🎯 **Student - Aerial Hoop Solo / Duo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Student - Aerial Hammock Solo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Student - Aerial Straps / Trapeze / Pole AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Junior - Aerial Silk Solo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Junior - Aerial Hoop Solo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Junior - Aerial Hoop / Straps Duo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Junior - Aerial Hammock Solo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Junior - Aerial Trapeze & Straps Solo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Senior - Aerial Silk Solo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Senior - Aerial Hoop Solo / Duo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Senior - Aerial Hammock Solo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Senior - Aerial Chains / Rope Solo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Pre-Professional - Aerial Chains / Open / Silk / Hammock Solo AWARDS**
- 🎯 **Pre-Professional - Aerial Hoop Solo / Duo AWARDS**
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*- Julie McDonald
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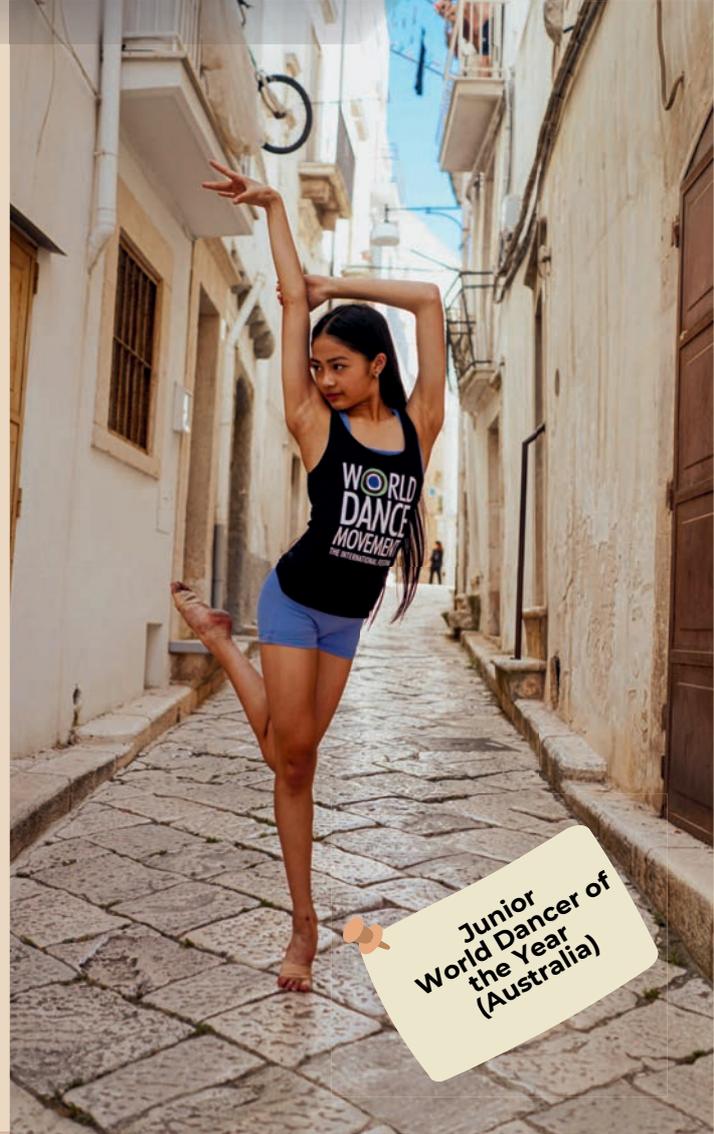
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