Summary

Creator: Costas

Title: Costas dance photographs

Date: 1966 - 2016

Size: 28.15 linear feet (68 boxes)

Source: The New York Public Library acquired the Costas dance photographs collection in 2017 through a gift from the creator Costas Cacaroukas.

Abstract: The Costas dance photographs consists of prints, negatives, slides, and digital images from 1966 to 2016 of a multitude of national and international dance companies, performances, and important figures in the dance world. The collection has an emphasis on ballet, particularly the New York City Ballet. In addition, a small portion of the collection consists of non-ballet personal and professional photographs documenting trips, parties, friends, and art forms.

Access: Some collections held by the Dance, Music, Recorded Sound, and Theatre Divisions at the New York Public Library for the Performing Arts are held off-site and must be requested in advance. Please check the collection records in the NYPL’s online catalog for detailed location information. For general guidance about requesting offsite materials, please consult: https://www.nypl.org/about/locations/pa/requesting-archival-materials

Status note: Electronic records currently unavailable.


Language of the Material: English

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Creator History

The photographer, Costas, has been the photographer in residence at both New York City Ballet and
American Ballet Theatre for over forty years. In addition, he has documented both the Kirov (Mariinsky) and the Bolshoi ballet companies on their U.S. tours since the 1960s. Hailing from the Greek island of Chios, Costas studied in the United States at Wagner College on New York’s Staten Island, at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and at Brown University in Providence, Rhode Island where he focused on math and physics. When dance photography began to intrigue him, choreographer George Balanchine invited him to rehearsals. The resulting dance pictures have appeared in a variety of publications including books, periodicals, film and television footage and in gallery exhibitions around the world. Costas’ 2003 book, Balanchine: Celebrating a Life in Dance, has gone through several editions. Costas was also responsible for the photographs included in the annual Balanchine calendar which featured dancers of the New York City Ballet for 19 years.

Scope and Content Note

The Costas dance photographs collection documents various dance forms from the late 1960s to 2016 with an emphasis on ballet. Over two dozen dance companies were photographed by Costas during his nearly 50 year career.

The collection arrived in no discernable order from the creator. The initial collection assessment identified three distinct formats and an order was imposed on the collection to make it accessible to researchers. The three series are photographic prints, negatives, and slides (which make up the majority of the collection). They are arranged alphabetically by dance company, performance, and/or dancer with the exception of the New York City Ballet (NYCB) which precedes all other companies due to its large volume of materials.

Costas voraciously documented the New York City Ballet throughout his career and in turn the collection reflects this with nearly 75% of the collection dedicated to the Ballet’s repertoire, principal dancers, and choreographers. Key figures throughout the NYCB’s history such as co-founders Lincoln Kirstein, Jerome Robbins, and George Balanchine are present within the collection in addition to their many choreographed works. Most often they were photographed candidly while rehearsing with dancers on and off stage. Jerome Robbins’ signature works such as Glass Pieces, The Goldberg Variations, and Fancy Free are just a few among the many in the NYCB’s repertory. Likewise, Balanchine’s earliest works such as La Sonnambula, Bourrée Fantasque, and The Firebird are represented as well as later compositions such as Walpurgisnacht and Ballo della Regina. Additionally, the career of former principal dancer and director Peter Martins’ is chronicled throughout NYCB performances and later taking the helm of the company by directing and choreographing. Costas has spent years documenting many of New York City Ballet’s most significant and famous works including The Nutcracker, Swan Lake, The Sleeping Beauty, and A Midsummer Night’s Dream.

In addition to documenting the Company’s repertory, Costas focused on photographing many of the iconic star principal dancers including Karin von Aroldingen, Mikhail Baryshnikov, Albert Evans, Suzanne Farrell, Nikolaj Hübbe, Darci Kistler, Maria Kowroski, Kyra Nichols, Patricia McBride, Maria Tallchief, Miranda Weese, and Ethan Stiefel.

Costas also travelled widely around the world to photograph both national and international dance companies. Some of the ballet companies well represented within the collection are American Ballet Theatre, Mariinsky (Kirov) Ballet Company, Bolshoi Ballet, Béjart Ballet, Ballet de l’Opéra de Paris, Chicago City Ballet, Joffrey Ballet Company, Royal Danish Ballet, and the Royal Ballet of the United Kingdom. In addition to ballet, he also photographed many New York City based modern dance companies including Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater, Martha Graham Dance Company, and Paul Taylor Dance Company.
There is also a small portion of the collection that contains non-ballet photographs, both personal and professional. These photographs include Costas’ personal possessions, Metropolitan Opera performances, Japanese Bunraku puppet performances, images of flowers, and various non-dance events such as the annual New York City Halloween parade and the 1988 Galanos Fur fashion show. Most of the non-dance photographs, however, are made up of travel photographs that Costas took during trips around the world and within the United States.

**Key Terms**

**Subjects**
- Ballet
- Modern dance -- New York (State) -- New York
- Performing arts

**Genre/Physical Characteristic**
- Negatives (photographs)
- Photographic prints
- Slides (photographs)

**Occupations**
- Photographers

**Names**
- Aroldingen, Karin von, 1941-2018
- Balanchine, George
- Baryshnikov, Mikhail, 1948-
- Costas
- Farrell, Suzanne, 1945
- Kistler, Darci, 1964-
- Martins, Peter, 1946-
- Nichols, Kyra
- Robbins, Jerome
- Stiefel, Ethan
- American Ballet Theatre
- Bol_sho__teatr SSSR. Balet
- Kongelige Danske ballet
- New York City Ballet
- Royal Ballet
Series I: Prints 1978 - 1988 (2 boxes 0.83 linear feet)
Series I of the collection consists of a mix of both black and white and color photographic prints spanning the years 1978 to 1988. The majority of the prints are of the New York City Ballet’s (NYCB) repertory including some of its most well known works such as Coppélia, A Midsummer Night’s Dream, The Sleeping Beauty, and George Balanchine’s The Nutcracker. Important figures in the NYCB’s history were also photographed including founder George Balanchine, artistic director Peter Martins, and principal dancers Merrill Ashley, Suzanne Farrell, and Ethan Stiefel. The remainder of the prints are a variety of performances from national and international ballet companies, puppet performances, personal travel photographs, and reference photographs by other photographers. There are also two folders of unidentified prints which were not labeled or identified by the photographer.

b. 1 f. 1 American Ballet Theatre
Includes performers Roberto Bolle, Angel Corella, Herman Cornejo, Irina Dvorovenko, and Maxim Belotserkovsky.

b. 1 f. 2 Ballet de l’Opéra de Paris
Includes dancer Mathias Heymann.

b. 1 f. 3 Béjart Ballet Lausanne
Includes founder and choreographer Maurice Béjart.

b. 1 f. 4 Berlin State Ballet
Includes dancer Eva Evdokimova.

b. 1 f. 5 Bolshoi Ballet
Includes the Bolshoi Ballet school, dancer Dmitry Gudanov, and performances of La Sylphide and Spartacus.

b. 1 f. 6 Kirov Ballet Company (Mariinsky Theatre Ballet)
Includes performer Svetlana Zakharova and a performance of Giselle.

b. 1 f. 7 Luxembourg Garden puppets 1988
Performance of Les Contitures de la Duchesse.

b. 1 f. 8-10 New York City Ballet
Includes photographs of Apollo; Ash; Merrill Ashley; George Balanchine; Peter Boal; Brahms-Schoenberg Quartet; Chaconne; Concerto Barocco; Coppélia; Cortège Hongrois; Dances at a Gathering; Davidsbündertänze; Divertimento No.15; Donizetti Variations; Emeralds; Suzanne Farrell; Four Bagatelles; Glass Pieces; The Goldberg Variations; Harlequinade; Hommage à Ravel; Irish Fantasy; Jewels; La Sonnambula; Sean Lavery; Adam Lüders; Peter Martins; Paul Meja; A Midsummer Night’s Dream; the New York City Ballet orchestra; Les Noces; The Nutcracker; Opus I; Other Dances; Prodigal Son; Raymonda Variations; Serenade; The Sleeping Beauty; Stars and Stripes; Ethan Stiefel; Swan Lake; Symphony in Three Movements; Tchaikovsky Piano Concerto No. 2; Tchaikovsky Suite No. 2; Helgi Tomasson; Two and Three Part Inventions; Union Jack; Valse Fantaisie; Violette Verdy; Vienna Waltzes; and School of American Ballet instructor Stanley Williams.

b. 1 f. 11 Royal Ballet
Includes dancers Margot Fonteyn, Rudolf Nureyev, and a performance of Swan Lake.

b. 1 f. 12 Vienna State Opera Ballet
Includes a performance of Giselle.

b. 1 f. 13 Trip photographs
Includes prints of various European travels including Greece, Italy, outdoor scenes, animals, sculpture, and New York’s Rockefeller Center.

b. 1 f. 14 Unidentified individuals
Photographic prints of individual people that are unidentified and/or not labeled by the photographer.

b. 1 f. 15 Unidentified performances
Photographic prints of various ballet performances that are unidentified and/or not labeled by the photographer.
Series I: Prints (cont.)

b. 2  Other photographers 1978
Includes photographs by photographers John Blomfield, Steven Caras, Fred Fehl, Beverly Gallegos, Walter E. Owen, and Martha Swope.

Series II: Negatives 1972 - 2005 (24 boxes 9.8 linear feet)
Series II of the collection consists of a mix of black and white and color 35mm negatives spanning the years 1972 to 2005. The series begins with the New York City Ballet, which contains the largest amount of negatives, followed by dance companies and individuals arranged alphabetically. Well-known dance companies such as Alvin Alley American Dance Theater, the Martha Graham Dance Company, and the Joffrey Ballet Company are all represented within the series. Costas dedicated a large portion of his career documenting Russian companies Kirov and Bolshoi during their US tours as well as overseas. He also photographed more niche companies such as the Ballets Trockadero de Monte Carlo, Théâtre du Silence, and the Universal Ballet Company of Korea. There are over three boxes worth of unidentified negatives. These negatives have been identified as dance performances, but were not labeled or identified as to their origin or company by the photographer. There are also negatives of non-ballet subjects such as personal travel photographs, performances from the Metropolitan Opera, various friends and family of Costas, and performing arts such as Kabuki theater and puppetry in the Luxembourg Gardens.

New York City Ballet 1973 - 2004

b. 3 f. 1  Afternoon of a Faun 1981 May
Includes dancers Peter Martins, Isabelle Guérin, Helgi Tomasson, Allegra Kent, Edward Villella. Also includes negatives of Emeralds, Bugaku, Coppélia, and Firebird.

b. 3 f. 2  Agon

b. 3 f. 3  Allegro Brilliante 2004
Includes dancers Sébastien Marcovicci and Jennifer Ringer. Also includes negatives of Diamonds.

b. 3 f. 4  Ananiashvili, Nina
Nina Ananiashvili with dancer Andris Liepa.

b. 3 f. 5  Ansanelli, Alexandra
Alexandra Ansanelli with dancer Ethan Stiefel.

b. 3 f. 6  Apollo 1981 - 1988

b. 3 f. 7  Aroldingen, Karin von

b. 3 f. 8  The Arts of the Gentleman
A Jerome Robbins production.

b. 3 f. 9  Le Baiser de La Fée 2001 February 17
Includes dancers Benjamin Millepied, Margaret Tracey, Patricia McBride, Helgi Tomasson, and Nikolaj Hübbe. Also includes negatives of Donizetti Variations and the Washington Ballet Company.

b. 3 f. 10  Balanchine, George
Includes portraits of George Balanchine as well as photographs taken during various New York City Ballet rehearsals. Other significant figures included are Twyla Tharp, Rudolf Nureyev, Stanley Williams, Violette Verdy, and Jerome Robbins.

b. 3 f. 11  Ballade
Includes dancers Merrill Ashley and Ib Andersen.

b. 3 f. 12  Ballo della Regina
Includes dancers Damian Woetzel, Heather Watts, and Carlo Merlo. Also includes negatives of Divertimento No. 15 and Chaconne.
Folder contains two black and white contact sheets without their original negatives.
Includes the dancer in performances of *Coppélia*, *Symphony in C*, *Prodigal Son*, *Steadfast Tin Soldier*, *Concerto Barocco*, *Orpheus*, *Stars and Stripes*, *Harlequinade*, and *Square Dance*. Also includes dancers Peter Martins and Gelsey Kirkland.

**Black and White** 1988

**Bocca Tango** 2004

**Bonnefoux, Jean-Pierre**

**Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme**

Includes dancers Patricia McBride, Rudolf Nureyev, and choreographer George Balanchine. Also includes negatives of *Serenade* and the Moscow Ballet Company.

**Bournonville Divertissements** 1988


Folder contains one black and white contact sheet with corresponding negatives.

**Bourrée Fantasque**

**Brahms/Handel** 1983

**Brahms-Schoenberg Quartet**

Includes dancers Peter Martins, Rosemary Dunleavy, choreographer Jerome Robbins, Heather Watts, Judith Fugate, Kyra Nichols, and Darci Kistler. Also includes negatives of *Concerto Barocco*, *A Suite of Dances*, *Dances at a Gathering*, *Emeralds*, *Coppélia*, and *Donizetti Variations*.

**Brandenburg** 1997 January

**Bugaku**

Includes dancers Suzanne Farrell, Jean-Pierre Bonnefoux, and Allegra Kent. Also includes negatives of *Harlequinade*, *Who Cares*, *Swan Lake*, and *Stravinsky Violin Concerto*.

**Burleske** 2001 February 14

Includes dancer Darci Kistler.

**The Cage**

Includes negatives of *Bournonville Divertissements*.

**Calcium Night Light**

Includes negatives of *The Goldberg Variations* and *Stravinsky Violin Concerto*.

**Capriccio Espagnol**

Performance at Wolf Trap National Park for the Performing Arts in Virginia. Also includes negatives of *At The Inn*.

**Carnival in Venice** 2004 May

Includes negatives of *Shambards*.

**Chaconne** 1981 May

Includes dancer Judith Fugate. Also includes negatives of *Dances at a Gathering*, *Liebeslieder Walzer*, *The Four Seasons*, *Sonate di Scarlatti*, *Firebird*, *Western Symphony*, *Afternoon of a Faun*, *Don Quixote*, *Concerto Barocco*, *Agon*, *Who Cares*, *Diamonds*, *Bugaku*, *Allegro Brillante*, *Pulcinella*, *Brahms-Schoenberg Quartet*, *Stars and Stripes*, *Divertimento No. 15*, and *Violin Concerto*.

**Chichester Psalms** 2004 June 2

Includes dancers Henry Seth and Carla Korbes.

**The Concert (or, The Perils of Everybody)**

Includes Jerome Robbins rehearsing with the dancers.
Series II: Negatives (cont.)
New York City Ballet (cont.)

b. 4 f. 12

Concerto Barocco 2001 February 10
Includes dancers Gelsey Kirkland, Maria Kowroski, Charles Askegard, Wendy Whelan, and Jennie Somogyi as well as Peter Martins, Lincoln Kirstein, and Jerome Robbins. Also includes negatives of A Midsummer Night’s Dream, Le Tombeau de Couperin, Chaconne, Violin Concerto, Brahms-Schoenberg Quartet, Tchaikovsky Pas de Deux, Serenade, Harlequinade, Roland Petit Ballet’s Proust, and American Ballet Theatre’s La Sylphide.

b. 4 f. 13

Concerto for Two Solo Pianos

b. 4 f. 14

Coppélia
Includes dancers Muriel Aasen, Peter Martins, Shaun O’Brien, Stephanie Saland, Gelsey Kirkland, Mikhail Baryshnikov, Patricia McBride, Helgi Tomasson, Nichol Hlinka, and Damian Woetzel. Also includes negatives of Opus 19, A Midsummer Night’s Dream, Don Quixote, Harlequinade, Bouronville Divertissements, Union Jack, Rubies, La Valse, and Tchaikovsky Suite No. 3.

b. 4 f. 15

Cortège Hongrois 2004 June 23 - 27

b. 5 f. 1

D’Amboise, Jacques

b. 5 f. 2

Dances at a Gathering
Includes dancer Ethan Stieffel. Also includes negatives of Brahms-Schoenberg Quartet and Tchaikovsky Suite No. 3.

b. 5 f. 3

Danses Concertantes

b. 5 f. 4

Daphnis and Chloe

b. 5 f. 5

Davidsbündlertänze
Includes dancers Kyra Nichols, Maria Kowroski, Miranda Weese, Jennie Somogyi, and choreographer George Balanchine. Also includes negatives of Emeralds, Union Jack, The Four Seasons, Stars and Stripes, Agon, and Divertimento No. 15.

b. 5 f. 6

Deluz, Joaquin
Includes headshots, portraits, rehearsals, and performances.

b. 5 f. 7

Diamonds
Includes dancers Kyra Nichols, Peter Martins, Suzanne Farrell, Sean Lavery, and choreographer George Balanchine. Also includes negatives of Duo Concertant, Tzigane, La Valse, Chaconne, In G Major, Donizetti Variations, and Stars and Stripes.

b. 5 f. 8

Dido and Aeneas
Includes choreographer George Balanchine.

b. 5 f. 9

Divertimento No. 15 1981 May - 2001 May
Includes rehearsals with choreographer George Balanchine and dancer Ethan Stieffel. Also includes negatives of Violin Concerto, Scotch Symphony, Slaughter on Tenth Avenue, and Apollo.

b. 5 f. 10

Don Quixote
Includes dancers Karin von Aroldingen, Suzanne Farrell, Peter Lüders and choreographer George Balanchine. Also includes negatives of Vienna Waltzes, Prodigal Son, The Nutcracker, Chaconne, and Square Dance.

b. 5 f. 11

Donizetti Variations
Includes dancers Damian Woetzel, Peter Boal, Violette Verdy, Miranda Weese, Ib Andersen, Merrill Ashley, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and Helgi Tomasson. Also includes negatives of Calcium Night Light, La Valse, Ma Mere l’Oye, Swan Lake, Concerto Barocco, Coppélia, Serenade, Harlequinade, and Kammermusik No. 2.

b. 5 f. 12

Dunleavy, Rosemary

b. 5 f. 13

Duo Concertant
Includes dancers Nilas Martins and Yvonne Borree.

b. 5 f. 14

Dybbuk
Also includes negatives of Chaconne.
Series II: Negatives (cont.)
New York City Ballet (cont.)

b. 5 f. 15
*Eight Easy Pieces / Eight More*
Contains images from the work *Eight More*, a companion piece to *Eight Easy Pieces*, choreographed by Peter Martins.

b. 5 f. 16
*Emeralds*
Includes rehearsals with George Balanchine. Also includes negatives of *Serenade, A Midsummer's Night Dream, Bournonville Divertissements, Episodes, Rubies, Don Quixote, Coppélia*, and *Violin Concerto*.

b. 5 f. 17
*L'Enfant et les Sortilèges*

b. 5 f. 18
*Episodes*
Also includes negatives of *Serenade, Afternoon of Faun, Symphony in Three Movements, and Coppélia*.

b. 6 f. 1
*Eros Piano* 2004 June 2
Includes dancers Nikolaj Hübbe and Alexandra Ansanelli.

b. 6 f. 2
*An Evening's Waltzes*

b. 6 f. 3
*Fancy Free*
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Peter Martins and Mikhail Baryshnikov. Also includes negatives of *At the Inn, Coppélia, Symphony in C, and The Nutcracker*.

b. 6 f. 4
*Fanfare*

b. 6 f. 5
Farrell, Suzanne
Includes Suzanne Farrell's farewell performance.

b. 6 f. 6
*Fearful Symmetries* 2001 February 3
Includes dancers Helene Alexopoulos and Daniel Ulbricht.

b. 6 f. 7
*Firebird* 1997 February
Includes dancer Merrill Ashley. Also includes negatives of *Brahms-Schoenberg Quartet, Stars and Stripes, Harlequinade, La Source, Episodes, Tchaikovsky Suite No. 3, Square Dance, and A Midsummer Night's Dream*.

b. 6 f. 8
*Flower Festival in Genzano*

b. 6 f. 9
*Four Chamber Works*
Includes dancers Merrill Ashley, Sean Lavery, and Mel A. Tomlinson. Also includes negatives of the Royal Danish Ballet's *Napoli*.

b. 6 f. 10
*The Four Seasons*
Also includes negatives of *Ballade, The Goldberg Variations, Tchaikovsky Suite No. 3, Steadfast Tin Soldier, A Midsummer Night's Dream, Porte, Ma Mere l'Oye, Bournonville Divertissements, and Stars and Stripes*.

b. 6 f. 11
*The Four Temperaments* 2001 January 13
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Igor Zelensky, Miranda Weese, Damian Woetzel, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and Jerome Robbins. Also includes negatives of *Tchaikovsky Pas de Deux, Agon, Who Cares, Coppélia, Scotch Symphony, The Four Seasons, Firebird, and The Magic Flute*.

b. 6 f. 12
*Gershwin Concerto*
Includes negatives of *Le Baiser de la Fée*.

b. 6 f. 13
*Glass Pieces*
Includes negatives of *Davidsbündlertänze*.

b. 6 f. 14
*The Goldberg Variations*
Includes dancer Ethan Stiefel and choreographer Pola Niresska. Also includes negatives of *The Four Temperaments, Who Cares, Union Jack, and The Nutcracker*.

b. 6 f. 15
*Gounod Symphony* 1988
Includes dancers Merrill Ashley and Sean Lavery.

b. 6 f. 16
*Haieff Divertimento*
Includes dancers Wendy Whelan and Nilas Martins.
Series II: Negatives (cont.)
New York City Ballet (cont.)

b. 6 f. 17  
**Harlequinade**
Includes dancers Ethan Stiefel, Peter Boal, Margaret Tracey, Patricia McBride, Mikhail Baryshnikov, John Clifford, and rehearsals with choreographer George Balanchine. Also includes negatives of Allegro Brillante, Concerto Barocco, La Source, Kammermusik No. 2, Emeralds, Rubies, Brahms-Schoenberg Quartet, Coppélia, Episodes, Steadfast Tin Soldier, Square Dance, Bugaku, and Bolshoi Ballet's Stone Flower.

b. 6 f. 18  
Hlinka, Nichol

b. 6 f. 19  
Hübbe, Nikolaj

b. 6 f. 20  
**Hungarian Gypsy Airs**
Includes negatives of Who Cares.

b. 7 f. 1  
*I'm Old Fashioned*

b. 7 f. 2  
**In G Major 1986**
Includes dancers Kyra Nichols and Sean Lavery. Also includes negatives of Serenade, Barocco Concerto, La Source, Chaconne, Who Cares, and Ballo Della Regina.

b. 7 f. 3  
**In The Night**
Features dancers from the Ballet de l'Opéra de Paris.

b. 7 f. 4  
**Ives, Songs**

b. 7 f. 5  
**Ivesiana** 2004 May 27 - June 3
Includes dancers Sofiane Sylve and Albert Evans. Also includes negatives of Interplay.

b. 7 f. 6  
**Jewels**
Includes dancer Peter Martins, Suzanne Farrell, Patricia McBride, and Mikhail Baryshnikov. Also includes negatives of Other Dances.

b. 7 f. 7  
**Kammermusik No. 2 1981 May**
Includes negatives of Symphony in C, Walpurgisnacht, and Chaconne.

b. 7 f. 8  
Kistler, Darci
Includes dancers Peter Martins, Igor Zelensky, and Jonathan Watts.

b. 7 f. 9  
Kozlova, Valentina

b. 7 f. 10  
**Liebeslieder Walzer 1988**
Includes dancers Karin von Aroldingen and Valentine Kozlova. Also includes negatives of The Unanswered Question and Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme.

b. 7 f. 11  
**Ma Mère L'Oye (Mother Goose)**
Also includes negatives of Tchaikovsky Suite No. 2.

b. 7 f. 12  
Martins, Peter
Includes photographs of New York City Ballet founder Lincoln Kirstein, rehearsals, classes, and an appearance with former mayor of New York City Rudolph Giuliani.

b. 7 f. 13  
**Meditation**

b. 7 f. 14  
**A Midsummer Night's Dream 2001 June**
Includes dancers Mikhail Baryshnikov, Helgi Tomasson, Kyra Nichols, Wendy Whelan, Damian Woetzel, Darci Kistler, and rehearsals with George Balanchine. Also includes negatives of Donizetti Variations, Harlequinade, Afternoon of a Faun, Stars and Stripes, Opus 19, Union Jack, Tchaikovsky Piano Concerto No. 2, Diamonds, Concerto Barocco, Don Quixote, Tchaikovsky Pas de Deux, Kammermusik No. 2, Square Dance, Episodes, Divertimento No. 15, Agon, Rubies, and Brahms-Schoenberg Quartet.

b. 8 f. 1  
**Monumentum pro Gesualdo**
Includes negatives of Concertino, Rubies, La Valse, A Midsummer Night's Dream, and Dances at a Gathering.

b. 8 f. 2  
**Morgen**

b. 8 f. 3  
**Mozartiana 1988 - 2004 June 19**
Series II: Negatives (cont.)
New York City Ballet (cont.)

b. 8 f. 4  Musagète 2004 June 18
Includes dancers Maria Kowroski, Wendy Whelan, Alexandra Ansanelli, and Robert Tewsley.

b. 8 f. 5  Nichols, Kyra
Includes dancer Damian Woetzel and choreographer Jerome Robbins.

b. 8 f. 6  Noah and the Flood
Includes choreographer George Balanchine.

b. 8 f. 7  Nureyev, Rudolf
Includes School of American Ballet instructor Stanley Williams and dancers Karin von Aroldingen and Sean Lavery. Also includes negatives of Emeralds.

b. 8 f. 8-11  The Nutcracker 1988

b. 9 f. 1  Opus 19/The Dreamer
Includes dancers Mikhail Baryshnikov, Suzanne Farrell, and Peter Lüders. Also includes negatives of Gershwin Concerto and Chaconne.

b. 9 f. 2  Orpheus
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Mikhail Baryshnikov, Nilas Martins, Wendy Whelan, Adam Lüders, Peter Martins, Peter Boal, Darci Kistler, and Ask la Cour. Also includes negatives of In G Major, Violin Concerto, Harlequinade, and Walpurgisnacht.

b. 9 f. 3  Other Dances
Includes dancers Nikolaj Hübbe, Isabelle Guérin, and Damian Woetzel.

b. 9 f. 4  Paquita
Includes dancers Lourdes Lopez and Peter Martins.

b. 9 f. 5  Parties 1981
Includes negatives of various New York City Ballet parties, galas, and events including the Fall Gala Opening of 1981 with George Balanchine, a New York City Ballet party at Wolf Trap Performing Arts Center, and a New York City Ballet reunion party with Tanaquil LeClerq.

b. 9 f. 6  Pas de Trois (Minkus)

b. 9 f. 7  Les Petits Riens

b. 9 f. 8  Piano Pieces

b. 9 f. 9  Polyphonia 2001 January 4
Includes negatives of Scotch Symphony.

b. 9 f. 10  Prodigal Son
Includes choreographer Jerome Robbins and dancers Nikolaj Hübbe, Monique Meunier, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and Damian Woetzel. Also includes negatives of Le Tombeau de Couperin.

b. 9 f. 11  Pulcinella 1973
Includes dancer Edward Villella. Also includes negatives of Duo Concertant, Cortège Hongrois, and Joffrey Ballet Company's Beau Danube.

b. 9 f. 12  Raymonda Variations 1988
Includes dancers Igor Zelensky, Kyra Nichols, Andris Liepa, Nina Ananiashvili, Benjamin Millepied, Jenifer Ringer, Megan Fairchild, Nilas Martins, and Miranda Weese. Also includes negatives of The Four Temperaments and Kammermusik No. 2.

b. 9 f. 13  Robbins, Jerome
Includes the Jerome Robbins memorial and celebration, various Robbins' productions, rehearsals, and dancer Nikolaj Hübbe. Also includes negatives of American Ballet Theatre's Les Noces.

b. 9 f. 14  Romeo and Juliet
Includes dancers Peter Boal, Yvonne Borree, and Judith Fugate.
Series II: Negatives (cont.)
New York City Ballet (cont.)

b. 9 f. 15  Rossini Quartets

b. 9 f. 16  Rubies
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Mikhail Baryshnikov, Patricia McBride, Heather Watts, and Bart Cook. Also includes negatives of Diamonds, Emeralds, Porte, Opus 19, and Firebird.

b. 10 f. 1  Scherzo à la Russe
b. 10 f. 2  Scherzo Fantastique
b. 10 f. 3  Schorer, Suki
Dancer Suki Schorer with Francis Mason.

b. 10 f. 4  A Schubertiad 1997 February
Includes negatives of Tchaikovsky pas de quatre.

b. 10 f. 5  Scotch Symphony
Includes dancers Nikolaj Hübbe, Nichol Hlinka, Kay Mazzo, Margaret Tracey, Nilas Martins, Peter Martins, Sean Lavery, and Amanda McKerrow. Also includes negatives of Chaconne.

b. 10 f. 6  Serenade

b. 10 f. 7  Sketches
Includes dancer Dan Duell.

b. 10 f. 8  Slaughter on Tenth Avenue 2001 January 6
Includes dancers Suzanne Farrell, Joseph Duell, Damian Woetzel, Philip Neal, Helene Alexopoulos, Caroline Rocher, and Maria Kowroski.

b. 10 f. 9-10  The Sleeping Beauty 2004 January 1
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Kyra Nichols, Valentina Kozlova, Judith Fugate, Margaret Tracey, Ethan Stiefel, Lindsay Fischer, Darci Kistler, Nichol Hlinka, Damian Woetzel, Nilas Martins, and Alexandra Ansanelli. Also includes negatives of La Sonnambula.

b. 10 f. 11  A Soldier’s Tale
Includes negatives of Orpheus.

b. 10 f. 12  Soloists
Unidentified soloists of the New York City Ballet.

b. 10 f. 13  Sonate di Scarlatti 1981 May
Includes negatives of Emeralds and Agon.

b. 10 f. 14  Sonatine
Includes dancers Nilas Martins and Isabelle Guérin.

b. 10 f. 15  Songs of the Auvergne

b. 10 f. 16  La Sonnambula 1988
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Allegra Kent, Darci Kistler, Nikolaj Hübbe, Wendy Whelan, Yvonne Borree, and Jennifer Ringer. Also includes negatives of Bourbonville Divertissements.

b. 10 f. 17  La Source 1981 May
Includes dancers Damian Woetzel, Peter Boal, Jennifer Ringer, Abi Stafford, and Kyra Nichols. Also includes negatives of Serenade, Divertimento No. 15, Orpheus, and Afternoon of a Faun.

b. 10 f. 18  Souvenir de Florence 1981 June

b. 10 f. 19  Square Dance 1988
Includes dancers Nilas Martins, Yvonne Borree, and Sébastien Marcovici. Also includes negatives of A Midsummer Night’s Dream, Agon, Chaconne, Symphony No. 6 Pathétique, Le Tombeau de Couperin, Afternoon of a Faun, Davidsbündlertänze, Opus 19, and The Four Temperaments.
Series II: Negatives (cont.)
New York City Ballet (cont.)

b. 10 f. 20  
**Stars and Stripes** 1988

b. 11 f. 1  
**The Steadfast Tin Soldier**
Includes dancers Mikhail Baryshnikov, Yvonne Borree, and Damian Woetzel. Also includes negatives of *Dances at a Gathering* and *The Four Seasons*.

b. 11 f. 2  
**Stiefel, Ethan**
Includes dancer Peter Boal.

b. 11 f. 3  
**Stravinsky Violin Concerto** 2004 June 23 - 27
Includes dancers Alexandra Ansanelli, Nikolaj Hübbe, Sébastien Marcovici, and Sofiane Sylve. Also includes negatives of *Liebeslieder Waltzer*.

b. 11 f. 4  
**A Suite of Dances**
Includes dancer Helgi Tomasson.

b. 11 f. 5  
**Swan Lake** 1997 January

b. 11 f. 6  
**Symphony in C**

b. 11 f. 7  
**Symphony in Three Movements** 2004 June 27
Includes balletmaster and choreographer Peter Martins and dancer Ethan Stiefel. Also includes negatives of Bournonville Divertissements, Diamonds, Agon, Swan Lake, Union Jack, Coppélia, Porte, Harlequinade, Tzigane, Ivesiana, Valse Fantaisie, and Béjart Ballet company performances.

b. 11 f. 8  
**Symphony No. 6 Pathétique**

b. 11 f. 9  
**Tallchief, Maria**

b. 11 f. 10  
**Tarantella** 2004 June 2
Includes dancers Joaquin De Luz and Megan Fairchild. Also includes negatives of Chichester Psalms and Interplay.

b. 11 f. 11  
**Taylor, Paul**

b. 11 f. 12  
**Theme and Variations**
Includes dancers Igor Zelensky, Kyra Nichols, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and Gelsey Kirkland. Also includes negatives of *A Midsummer Night's Dream*.

b. 11 f. 13  
**Tomasson, Helgi**

b. 11 f. 14  
**Le Tombeau de Couperin**
Includes negatives of Ballou della Regina, Vienna Waltzes, and Davidsbündler tänze.

b. 11 f. 15  
**Tracey, Margaret**
Includes dancer Ethan Stiefel.

b. 11 f. 16  
**Tricolore**
Includes negatives of Ma Mère l'Oye (Mother Goose).

b. 11 f. 17  
**Tchaikovsky Pas de Deux**
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Margaret Tracey, Robert Tewsley, Damian Woetzel, Peter Martins, Lourdes Lopez, Cynthia Gregory, Kyra Nichols, Judith Fugate, Ethan Stiefel, Karin von Arolingen, and Mikhail Baryshnikov. Also includes negatives of The Four Temperaments, Stars and Stripes, Ma Mère l'Oye, The Nutcracker, and Concerto Barocco.
b. 12 f. 1  Tchaikovsky Piano Concerto No. 2
Includes dancers Darci Kistler, Lindsay Fischer, Igor Zelensky, Merrill Ashley, Sean Lavery, Adam Lüders, Patricia McBride, and Jean-Pierre Bonnefoux. Also includes negatives of Monumentum, Davidsbündlertänze, The Four Temperaments, Calcium Night Light, Walpurgisnacht, Serenade, The Goldberg Variations, and Valse Fantaisie.

b. 12 f. 2  Tchaikovsky Suite No. 2
Includes negatives of Serenade and Harlequinade.

b. 12 f. 3  Tchaikovsky Suite No. 3 2004 June 18

b. 12 f. 4  Two and Three Part Inventions
Includes dancer Ethan Stiefel.

b. 12 f. 5  Tzigane
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Suzanne Farrell, Ib Andersen, Darci Kistler, Nikolaj Hübbe, and Peter Martins. Also includes negatives of Violin Concerto.

b. 12 f. 6  Union Jack
Includes dancers Patricia McBride, Jean-Pierre Bonnefoux, and choreographer George Balanchine. Also includes negatives of A Midsummer's Night Dream, Symphony in C, Kammermusik No. 2, Concerto Barocco, Sonatine, and Who Cares.

b. 12 f. 7  La Valse
Includes negatives of The Goldberg Variations.

b. 12 f. 8  Valse Fantaisie 2004 June 23
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Megan Fairchild, Joaquin De Luz, Margaret Tracey, and Ethan Stiefel. Also includes negatives of Tchaikovsky Suite No. 3, The Cage, Symphony in Three Movements, and Agon.

b. 12 f. 9  Variations pour une Porte et un Soupir
b. 12 f. 10  Variations Sérieuses
b. 12 f. 11  Verdy, Violette
Photographs of Violette Verdy performing a new piece.

b. 12 f. 12  Vienna Waltzes
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancer Suzanne Farrell. Also includes negatives of Opus 19, In G Major, I'm Old Fashioned, Union Jack, Diamonds, Harlequinade, and Episodes, Square Dance, Paul Taylor's Rite of Spring.

b. 12 f. 13  Violin Concerto

b. 13 f. 1  Walpurgisnacht 2001 October 2 - 2004
Includes dancers Alexandra Ansanelli, Monique Meunier, and Nilas Martins. Also includes negatives of Souvenir de Florence and La Valse.

b. 13 f. 2  Waltz of the Flowers
b. 13 f. 3  The Waltz Project
b. 13 f. 4  Watermill
Includes rehearsals with choreographer Jerome Robbins and dancers Ethan Stiefel, Jock Soto, and Edward Villella.

b. 13 f. 5  Watts, Heather
Includes dancer Jock Soto.

b. 13 f. 6  Western Symphony
b. 13 f. 7  Wheeldon, Christopher
Series II: Negatives (cont.)
New York City Ballet (cont.)

b. 13 f. 8  **Who Cares**
Includes negatives of dancer Rudolf Nureyev, Fancy Free, Tchaikovsky Piano Concerto No. 2, Vienna Waltzes, Kammermusik No. 2, Agon, Stars and Stripes, and Ballets de Marseilles performances.

b. 13 f. 9  **Zakouski** 2004 June 23
Includes dancers Nikolaj Hübbe and Yvonne Borree. Also includes negatives of Valse Fantaisie.

b. 13 f. 10  **Zorina, Vera**

b. 13 f. 11-13  **Unidentified performances**
Negatives of New York City Ballet performances that are unidentified and/or not labeled by the photographer.

b. 16 f. 1-2  **Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater 1974 - 1998**

b. 16 f. 3-5  **American Ballet Theatre**
Includes performances of Apollo, Black Tuesday, Chopiniana, Cinderella, Clear, Configurations, Coppélia, Diana and Acteon, Diversion of Angels, Don Quixote, Etudes, Eugene Onegin, Fancy Free, Gaité Parisienne, Gemini, Giselle, Gong, Graduation Ball, Grand Pas Classique, Helen of Troy, La Bayadère, La Fille Mal Gardée, Le Sylphide, Le Baiser de le Fée, Les Patineurs, Merry Widow, Moor's Pavane, Napoli, The Nutcracker, The Sleeping Beauty, Snow Maiden, Spectre, Swan Lake, Symphony in C, Tales of Hoffman, Taming of the Shrew, Tchaikovsky Pas de Deux, Themes and Variations, Three Virgins and a Devil, Undertow, and Violin Concerto.

b. 17 f. 6  **Australian Ballet**
Includes Rudolf Nureyev in Don Quixote.

b. 17 f. 7-8  **Ballet de l'Opéra de Paris 1988**

b. 17 f. 9  **Ballet National de Marseille Roland Petit**
Includes a performance of Marcel Proust Remembered.

b. 17 f. 10  **Ballet Pacifica Conservatory**

b. 18 f. 1-2  **Ballets de Monte-Carlo**
Includes performances of The Four Temperaments, Polovtsian Dances, and Violin Concerto.

b. 18 f. 3-4  **Ballets Trockadero de Monte Carlo**
Includes performances of Firebird, Raymond Variations, and Russian Dance.

b. 18 f. 5  **Barta Ballet**
Includes a performance of The Nutcracker.

b. 18 f. 6  **Bavarian State Ballet**
Includes a performance of Swan Lake.

b. 18 f. 7-8  **Béjart Ballet Lausanne 1988 - 1993**
Includes photographs from an interview with choreographer Maurice Béjart, dancers Maya Plisetskaya and Suzanne Farrell as well as performances of Bolero, Firebird, Goleston, Isadora, Les Concours, No Exit, Notre Faust, Pétrouchka, Pit selon Pit, Rite of Spring, Symphony pour un homme seul, and What Love Tells Me.

b. 18 f. 9  **Berlin State Ballet**
Includes dancer Eva Evdokimova and performances of The Idiot and The Nutcracker.
Series II: Negatives (cont.)

b. 18 f. 10-12
Bolshoi Ballet 1973 - 2005
Includes dancers Nina Ananiashvili, Andris Liepa, Irina Dvorovenko, Svetlana Lunkina, Nikolay Tsiskaridze, Andrei Uvarov, Andrei Kramerovsky, Anastasia Volochkova, Svetlana Zakharova, and Igor Zelensky as well as performances of Don Quixote, Giselle, Golden Age, La Bayadere, La Sylphide, Legend of Love, The Pharaoh's Daughter, Romeo and Juliet, Spartacus, Stone Flower, and Symphony in C.

b. 19 f. 1
Boston Ballet
Includes a performance of The Nutcracker.

b. 19 f. 2-3
Chicago City Ballet
Includes dancer Maria Tallchief as well as performances of Brahms Waltzes, Bugaku, Cinderella, Romeo and Juliet, Serenade in A, Stars and Stripes, and Who Cares.

b. 19 f. 4-5
Dance Theatre of Harlem
Includes performances of Concerto Barocco and Scheherazade.

b. 19 f. 6
Feld, Elliot

b. 19 f. 7
Georgian State Dance Company 2005 June 27

b. 19 f. 8
Hawkins School of Performing Arts

b. 19 f. 9
Houston Ballet

b. 19 f. 10-11
Joffrey Ballet

b. 19 f. 12-16
Kirov Ballet Company (Mariinsky Theatre Ballet) 2005
Includes performances of Apollo, Chopiniana, Diamonds, Don Quixote, Esmeralda, Giselle, Grand Pas de Quatre, La Valse, Le Corsaire, Manon, Paquita, Prodigal Son, Rite of Spring, Romeo and Juliet, Rubies, Sadko, Scheherazade, Scotch Symphony, Serenade, The Sleeping Beauty, Swan Lake, Symphony in C, The Fountain of Bakhchisarai, The Tsar's Bride, Theme and Variations, and Tchaikovsky Pas de Deux.

b. 20 f. 1
Martha Graham Dance Company 1988

b. 20 f. 2
Moscow City Ballet 1988
Includes dancer Lyubov Kunakova as well as performances of Don Quixote, La Sylphide, Paquita, and the Moscow ballet performing at the New York City Opera.

b. 20 f. 3-4
National Ballet (Washington, D.C.) 1972 December
Includes performances of Raymonda Variations, The Sleeping Beauty, A Streetcar Named Desire, and Variations for Four.

b. 20 f. 7-8
National Ballet of Cuba

b. 20 f. 10
Pacific Northwest Ballet
Includes performances of Agon and La Valse.

b. 20 f. 11-12
Paul Taylor Dance Company
Includes performances of Byzantium, Diggity, Images, and Le Sacre du Printemps.

b. 20 f. 13-14
Pennsylvania Ballet

b. 20 f. 15-16
Pilobolus Dance Theatre 2001 July 2 - 2004 June 23
Includes performances of Monkey and the White Bone Demon, Night of the Dark Moon, and Symbiosis.

b. 20 f. 9
Prague National Theater Ballet
Unidentified performances that include dancers Patrick Dupond, Jana Kurova, and Lubomir Kafka.

b. 20 f. 17
Royal Ballet (United Kingdom) 1972
Includes dancers Kirk Petersen, Tamara Rojo, and Anthony Dowell as well as performances of La Bayadere, Le Poème de l'extase, Month in the Country, Raymonda Variations, Romeo and Juliet, the Royal Ballet Gala 1972, The Sleeping Beauty, and Swan Lake.
Folder also includes two color contact sheets.

b. 20 f. 18-19
Royal Danish Ballet 1992 March
Includes performances of Abdallah, Danses Concertantes, A Folk Tale, Konservoriet, La Sylphide, and Napoli.

b. 20 f. 20
Royal Winnipeg Ballet
Series II: Negatives (cont.)

b. 21 f. 1-2  San Francisco Ballet 1988
Includes performances of Golden Age, Rubies, Swan Lake, and Theme and Variations.

b. 21 f. 3-4  School of American Ballet 1978 - 1992
Includes performances of Chopiniana, Divertimento No.15, Donizetti Variations, Le roi malgré lui, Raymonda Variations, Swan Lake, Symphonie Concertante, Symphony in C, and Western Symphony.

b. 21 f. 5-6  Stuttgart Ballet 1998 July 9
Includes performances of Eugene Onegin and Romeo and Juliet.

b. 21 f. 7  Théâtre du Silence
Includes dancer Michaël Denard and a performance of Firebird.

b. 21 f. 8  Twyla Tharp Dance Foundation 2001

b. 21 f. 9  Universal Ballet Company (Korea) 2004 July 29
Includes dancers Hye Min Hwang, Jae-Yong Ohm, and Oleg Vinogradov as well as performances of Romeo and Juliet and Swan Lake.

b. 21 f. 10  Vienna State Opera Ballet 1972
Includes dancer Margot Fonteyn and performances of Die (No Suggestions) and Swan Lake.

b. 21 f. 11-12  Washington Ballet (Washington, D.C.)

b. 21 f. 13-14  Unidentified performances
Negatives of performances from various ballet companies that are unidentified and/or not labeled by the photographer.

Non-ballet 1988 - 2004

b. 25 f. 1  Apartment contents
Photographs of Costas' personal belongings including art, books, furniture, and jewelry.

b. 25 f. 2  Bunraku puppets

b. 25 f. 3  Dance Magazine Awards

b. 25 f. 4  Galanos Fur fashion show 1988

b. 25 f. 5  Halloween Parade
Photographs of the annual Halloween Parade that takes place in Greenwich Village.

b. 25 f. 6  Jeanne Daries book party

b. 25 f. 7  Kabuki theater
Photographs of Kabuki theater performances.

b. 25 f. 8  Luxembourg Garden puppets 1988

b. 25 f. 9  Metropolitan Opera
Performances include Dido, La Traviata, Lucia di Lammermoor, Marriage of Figaro, and the Treigle Gala.

b. 25 f. 10  New York City Marathon

b. 25 f. 11  Noh and Kyogen at Japan Society 2004

b. 25 f. 12  People 1997
Includes photographs of Buster Brown, Michael Douglas, David Howard, Elena Leonora, Miss Piggy and Kermit the Frog, Walter Sorell, and Rasta Thomas.

b. 25 f. 13  Puppets in Central Park, New York

b. 25 f. 14  Salzburg marionettes

b. 25 f. 15  Tencer Gala
Includes dancers Darcey Bussell, Igor Zelensky, Lucia Lacarra, Cyril Pierre, Agnès Letestu, José Carlos Martinez, Susan Jaffe, Charles Askegard, Alina Cojocaru, and Herman Cornejo.

Trip photographs 1975 - 1997
Personal travel photographs taken by Costas.

b. 25 f. 16  Argentina
Series II: Negatives (cont.)
Non-ballet (cont.)
Trip photographs (cont.)
b. 25 f. 17 Belgium
b. 25 f. 18 Canada
b. 25 f. 19 Denmark
b. 25 f. 20 England
b. 25 f. 21 France
b. 26 f. 1 Greece 1975
b. 26 f. 2 Italy 1997
b. 26 f. 3 Mexico
b. 26 f. 4 Netherlands
b. 26 f. 5 Spain 1997
b. 26 f. 6 Thailand
b. 26 f. 7 Turkey
b. 26 f. 8 United States
b. 26 f. 9 Unidentified locations
b. 26 f. 10 Zulu Macbeth at Festival ’97 1997 July
Critically acclaimed South African production of Welcome Msomi’s Umabatha - the Zulu Macbeth, with a cast of 46 actors and dancers during its summer engagement at New York’s Lincoln Center Festival ’97.

Series III: Slides 1966 - 2003 (42 boxes 17.51 linear feet)
Series III of the collection consists of 35mm slides spanning the years 1966 to 2003. Color slides make up the largest volume of material in the collection. The series begins with the New York City Ballet, which contains the largest amount of slides, followed by dance companies and individuals that are arranged alphabetically. A portion of the series also includes non-ballet subjects such as performances of the Salzburg marionettes, Japanese Bunraku puppets, and a South African performance of Zulu Macbeth at Festival ’97 in Lincoln Center. Costas’ travels are also documented from trips throughout the United States and Europe. There is one folder worth of unidentified slides. These slides have been identified as dance performances, but were not labeled or identified as to their origin or company by the photographer.

New York City Ballet 1978 - 2003
b. 27 f. 1-2 Afternoon of a Faun
Includes dancers Peter Martins, Isabelle Guérin, Helgi Tomasson, Allegra Kent, and Edward Villella.
b. 27 f. 3-6 Agon
Includes dancers Darcey Bussell, Helgi Tomasson, Maria Calegari, Heather Watts, Mel Tomlinson, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and choreographer George Balanchine.
b. 27 f. 7 Alexopoulos, Helene
b. 27 f. 8-9 Allegro Brillante 1979
Includes dancers Sébastien Marcovici and Jennifer Ringer.
b. 28 f. 1 Ananiashvilli, Nina
b. 28 f. 2 Andersen, Frank
b. 28 f. 3 Andersen, Ib
b. 28 f. 4 Antique Epigraphs
b. 28 f. 5-9 Apollo
Includes dancers Ib Andersen, Nina Ananiashvilli, Andris Liepa, Heather Watts, Mikhail Baryshnikov, Peter Boal, Jean-Pierre Frohlich, Suzanne Farrell, Nikolaj Hübbe, Peter Martins, Ethan Stiefel, Igor Zeleńsky, and Maria Kowroski.
b. 28 f. 10 Aroldingen, Karin von
b. 28 f. 11 Ash
b. 28 f. 12 Ashley, Merrill
b. 29 f. 1  **Le Baiser de La Fée**
Includes dancers Benjamin Millepied, Margaret Tracey, Patricia McBride, Helgi Tomasson, and Nikolaj Hübbe.

b. 29 f. 2-3  **Balanchine, George 1982 February**
Photographs of choreographer and New York City Ballet founder George Balanchine during rehearsals, performances, formal events, and candid shots.

b. 29 f. 4  **Balanchine: Celebrating A Life In Dance 2003**

b. 29 f. 5  **Ballade**
Includes dancers Merrill Ashley and Ib Andersen.

b. 29 f. 6  **Ballet d’Isoline**

b. 29 f. 7  **Ballo della Regina**
Includes dancers Damian Woetzel, Heather Watts, and Carlo Merlo.

b. 29 f. 8  **Barber Violin Concerto**

b. 29 f. 9  **Baryshnikov, Mikhail 1978 November 25**
Includes performances of *Coppélia, Symphony in C, Prodigal Son, Steadfast Tin Soldier, Concerto Barocco, Orpheus, Stars and Stripes, Harlequinade, and Square Dance.*

b. 29 f. 10  **The Beethoven Seventh**
Choreography by Twyla Tharp.

b. 29 f. 11  **Behind China Dogs**

b. 29 f. 12  **Black and White**

b. 29 f. 13  **Boal, Peter**

b. 29 f. 14-15  **Bournonville Divertissements**

b. 30 f. 1  **Bourrée Fantasque**

b. 30 f. 2  **Brahms/Handel**

b. 30 f. 4-6  **Brahms-Schoenberg Quartet**
Includes dancers Peter Martins, Rosemary Dunleavy, Heather Watts, Judith Fugate, Kyra Nichols, Darci Kistler, and choreographer Jerome Robbins.

b. 30 f. 7-8  **Brandenburg**

b. 30 f. 9  **Bugaku**
Includes dancers Suzanne Farrell, Jean-Pierre Bonnefoux, Allegra Kent, and Jock Soto.

b. 31 f. 1  **The Cage**

b. 31 f. 2  **Calcium Night Light**

b. 31 f. 3  **Calegari, Maria**

b. 31 f. 4  **Capriccio Italien**

b. 31 f. 5-6  **Chaconne**
Includes dancers Judith Fugate, Peter Martins, and Suzanne Farrell.

b. 31 f. 7  **The Chairman Dances**

b. 31 f. 8-9  **Circle of Fifths**

b. 31 f. 10  **Circus Polka**

b. 31 f. 11  **Concert Fantasy**

b. 31 f. 12-13  **The Concert (or, The Perils of Everybody)**
Includes Jerome Robbins rehearsing with the dancers.

b. 31 f. 14  **Concerti Armonici**

b. 31 f. 15  **Concertino**
Concerto Barocco
Includes dancers Gelsey Kirkland, Maria Kowroski, Charles Askegard, Wendy Whelan, and Jennie Somogyi. Also features photographs of artistic director Peter Martins, and founders Lincoln Kirstein and Jerome Robbins.

Concerto for Piano and Winds

Concerto for Two Solo Pianos 1983

Concerto in Five Movements

Coppélia
Includes dancers Muriel Aasen, Peter Martins, Shaun O'Brien, Stephanie Saland, Gelsey Kirkland, Mikhail Baryshnikov, Patricia McBride, Helgi Tomasson, Margaret Tracey, Nichol Hlinka, and Damian Woetzel.

Cortège Hongrois
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Kyra Nichols, Peter Lüders, Stephanie Saland, Jock Soto, Nilas Martins, Jenifer Ringer, Albert Evans, Abi Stafford, and Caroline Cavallo.

Dances at a Gathering

Danses Concertantes

Davidsbündlertänze
Includes dancers Kyra Nichols, Maria Kowroski, Miranda Weese, Jennie Somogyi, and choreographer George Balanchine.

Delibes Divertissement

Diamonds
Includes dancers Kyra Nichols, Peter Martins, Suzanne Farrell, Sean Lavery, and choreographer George Balanchine.

Divertimento No. 15
Includes rehearsals with choreographer George Balanchine and dancer Ethan Stiefel.

Don Quixote
Includes dancers Karin von Aroldingen, Suzanne Farrell, Peter Lüders, and choreographer George Balanchine.

Donizetti Variations
Includes dancers Damian Woetzel, Peter Boal, Violette Verdy, Miranda Weese, Id Andersen, Merrill Ashley, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and Helgi Tomasson.

Duell, Joseph

Duke!

Duo Concertant
Includes dancers Nilas Martins and Yvonne Borree.

Echo

Ecstatic Orange

Eight Lines

Eight More
Companion ballet piece to Eight Easy Pieces choreographed by Peter Martins.

Élégie

Emeralds
Includes rehearsals with George Balanchine.

Episodes

Eugene Onegin Waltz

Evans, Albert
Series III: Slides (cont.)
New York City Ballet (cont.)

b. 35 f. 14  Fancy Free
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Peter Martins and Mikhail Baryshnikov.

b. 36 f. 1  Fanfare

b. 36 f. 2  Farrell, Suzanne
Includes Suzanne Farrell's farewell performance.

b. 36 f. 3  Fearful Symmetries 1991 January
Includes dancers Helene Alexopoulos and Daniel Ulbricht.

b. 36 f. 4-5  Firebird

b. 36 f. 6  A Fool For You 1989 May 12
Photographs include musician Ray Charles performing with the New York City Ballet. At the premiere performance and on the closing night of the festival, Ray Charles and his back-up singers, the Raelettes, performed on-stage with the dancers of the New York City Ballet, singing such classic songs as "Hit the Road Jack," "I Got A Woman," and "What'd I Say" among others. Joining Charles in playing for the engagement were members of his original band, Hank Crawford, Leroy Cooper, and David "Fat Head" Newman.

b. 36 f. 7  For the Love of Duke

b. 36 f. 8-9  Four Chamber Works
Includes dancers Merrill Ashley, Sean Lavery, and Mel A. Tomlinson.

b. 36 f. 10  The Four Seasons
b. 37 f. 1-3

b. 37 f. 4-6  The Four Temperaments
Includes dancers Igor Zelensky, Miranda Weese, Damian Woetzel, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and choreographers Jerome Robbins and George Balanchine.

b. 37 f. 7  Fugate, Judith 1983

b. 37 f. 8  Galas
Photographs from various New York City Ballet galas.

b. 37 f. 9  Les Gentilhommes

b. 37 f. 10  Gershwin Concerto

b. 37 f. 11-12  Glass Pieces 1983

b. 38 f. 1  Glazunov Pas de Deux

b. 38 f. 2-4  The Goldberg Variations
Includes dancer Ethan Stiefel and choreographer Pola Nirenska.

b. 38 f. 5  Golden Age

b. 38 f. 6  Gounod Symphony
Includes dancers Merrill Ashley and Sean Lavery.

b. 38 f. 7  Haieff Divertimento
Includes dancers Wendy Whelan and Nilas Martins.

b. 38 f. 8-10  Harlequinade
Includes dancers Ethan Stiefel, Peter Boal, Margaret Tracey, Patricia McBride, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and John Clifford and rehearsals with choreographer George Balanchine.

b. 38 f. 11  Hlinka, Nicol

b. 38 f. 12  Hübbe, Nikolaj

b. 38 f. 13  Hungarian Gypsy Airs

b. 39 f. 1  I'm Old Fashioned

b. 39 f. 2  In G Major
Includes dancers Kyra Nichols and Sean Lavery.

b. 39 f. 3  In Memory Of
In The Night
Features dancers from the Ballet de l'Opéra de Paris.

Interplay

Irish Fantasy

Ives, Songs

Ivesiana
Includes dancers Sofiane Sylve and Albert Evans.

Jazz

Jeu de Cartes

Kammermusik No. 2

Kistler, Darci
Includes dancers Peter Martins, Igor Zelensky, and Jonathan Watts.

Kowroski, Maria

Kozlova, Valentina

Lavery, Sean

Liang, Edwaard

Liebeslieder Walzer
Includes dancers Karin von Aroldingen and Valentine Kozlova.

Lopez, Lourdes

Martins, Peter

McBride, Patricia

Meditation

A Midsummer Night's Dream
Includes dancers Mikhail Baryshnikov, Helgi Tomasson, Kyra Nichols, Wendy Whelan, Damian Woetzel, and Darci Kistler, and rehearsals with George Balanchine.

Millepied, Benjamin

Monumentum pro Gesualdo

Ma Mère L'Oye (Mother Goose)

Movements for Piano and Orchestra

Moves

Mozart Piano Concerto

Mozartiana

New York City Ballet orchestra
Photographs of the orchestra pit and various musicians.

Nichols, Kyra

Noah and The Flood
Includes choreographer George Balanchine.

Les Noces

Norwegian Moods
Series III: Slides (cont.)
New York City Ballet (cont.)

b. 43 f. 13  The Nutcracker 1983
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Svetlana Zakharova, Igor Ze- lensky, Rudolf Nureyev, Kyra Nichols, Nikolaj Hübbe, Isabelle Guérin, Heather Watts, Suzanne Farrell, Valentina Kozlova, Damian Woetzel, Margaret Tracey, Ghislaine Thesmar, Ethan Stiefel, Nilas Martins, Yvonne Borree, Arch Higgins, and Paloma Herrera. Also includes images from the 1,000th performance of The Nutcracker which was attended by former New York City mayor Rudolph Giuliani.

b. 47 f. 7  Open Strings
b. 47 f. 8  Opus 19/The Dreamer
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Mikhail Baryshnikov, Nilas Martins, Wendy Whelan, Adam Lüders, Peter Martins, Peter Boal, Darci Kistler, Ask la Cour, Suzanne Farrell, and Peter Lüders.

b. 48 f. 2  Other Dances
Includes dancers Nikolaj Hübbe, Isabelle Guérin, and Damian Woetzel.

b. 48 f. 3  Pas de Deux
b. 48 f. 4  Pastoral Dances
b. 48 f. 5  Pastorale
b. 48 f. 6  Persephone
b. 48 f. 7  Les Petits Riens
b. 48 f. 8  Piano Pieces
b. 48 f. 9  Piano-Rag-Music
b. 48 f. 10  Poulenc Sonata
b. 48 f. 11  Prague Symphony

b. 48 f. 12-13  Prodigal Son
b. 49 f. 1-3  Includes choreographer Jerome Robbins and dancers Nikolaj Hübbe, Monique Meunier, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and Damian Woetzel.

b. 49 f. 4  Ragtime
b. 49 f. 5-6  Raymonda Variations

b. 49 f. 7  Red Angels
b. 49 f. 8  Rehearsals
Photographs from behind-the-scenes rehearsals with choreographers and dancers.

b. 49 f. 11  Réjouissance
b. 49 f. 10  Reliquary
b. 49 f. 14  Rhapsody in Blue
b. 49 f. 12  Ringer, Jenifer
b. 49 f. 13  River of Light

b. 50 f. 1  Robbins, Jerome
Includes the Jerome Robbins memorial and celebration, various Robbins' productions, rehearsals, and dancer Nikolaj Hübbe.

b. 50 f. 2  Romeo and Juliet
Includes dancers Peter Boal, Yvonne Borree, and Judith Fugate.

b. 50 f. 3-4  Rubies 1983
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Mikhail Baryshnikov, Patricia McBride, Heather Watts, and Bart Cook.

b. 50 f. 5  Saland, Stephanie
b. 50 f. 6 Schaufuss, Peter
b. 50 f. 7 Scherzo à la Russe
b. 50 f. 8 A Schubertiad
b. 50 f. 9 Scotch Symphony
   Includes dancers Nikolaj Hübbe, Nichol Hlinka, Kay Mazzo, Margaret Tracey, Nilas Martins, Peter Martins, Sean Lavery, and Amanda McKerrow.

b. 50 f. 10 Septet
b. 50 f. 11-13 Serenade
   Includes dancers Suzanne Farrell, Joseph Duell, Damian Woetzel, Philip Neal, Helene Alexopoulos, Caroline Rocher, and Maria Kowroski.

b. 51 f. 1 Serenade en La
b. 51 f. 2 Slaughter on Tenth Avenue
   Includes dancers Suzanne Farrell, Joseph Duell, Damian Woetzel, Philip Neal, Helene Alexopoulos, Caroline Rocher, and Maria Kowroski.

b. 51 f. 3 Slavonic Dances
b. 51 f. 4-10 The Sleeping Beauty
   Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Kyra Nichols, Valentina Kozlova, Judith Fugate, Margaret Tracey, Ethan Stiefel, Lindsay Fischer, Darci Kistler, Nichol Hlinka, and Damian Woetzel.

b. 52 f. 1 A Soldier’s Tale
b. 52 f. 2 Sonatas and Interludes
b. 52 f. 3 Sonate di Scarlatti
b. 52 f. 4 Sonatine
   Includes dancers Nilas Martins and Isabelle Guérin.

b. 52 f. 5 Songs of the Auvergne
b. 52 f. 6 La Sonnambula
   Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Allegra Kent, Darci Kistler, Nikolaj Hübbe, Wendy Whelan, Yvonne Borree, and Jenifer Ringer.

b. 52 f. 7 Sophisticated Lady
b. 52 f. 8 Soto, Jock
b. 52 f. 9 La Source
   Includes dancers Damian Woetzel, Peter Boal, Jenifer Ringer, Abi Stafford, and Kyra Nichols.

b. 52 f. 10 Souvenir de Florence
b. 52 f. 11-12 Square Dance
   Includes dancers Nilas Martins, Yvonne Borree, and Sébastien Marcovici.

b. 52 f. 13 Stabat Mater
b. 52 f. 14-16 Stars and Stripes
   Includes dancers Adam Lüders, Colleen Neary, Ethan Stiefel, Margaret Tracey, Merrill Ashley, Damian Woetzel, and Nichol Hlinka.

b. 52 f. 17-18 The Steadfast Tin Soldier
   Includes dancers Mikhail Baryshnikov, Yvonne Borree, and Damian Woetzel.

b. 53 f. 1 Stiefel, Ethan
b. 53 f. 2 La Stravaganza
b. 53 f. 3-4 Stravinsky Violin Concerto
   Includes dancers Alexandra Ansanelli, Nikolaj Hübbe, Sébastien Marcovici, and Sofiane Sylve.

b. 53 f. 5 A Suite of Dances
   Includes dancer Ethan Stiefel.
Swan Lake 1980


La Sylphide

Sylvia Pas de Deux

Symphonic Dances

Symphonie Concertante

Symphony in C

Includes dancers Ethan Stiefel, Kyra Nichols, Maria Calegari, Sallie Wilson, Peter Martins, Suzanne Farrell, Wendy Whelan, Merrill Ashley, and Lourdes Lopez, and choreographer George Balanchine.

Symphony in Three Movements

Includes artistic director and choreographer Peter Martins and dancer Ethan Stiefel.

Symphony No. 6 Pathétique

Tango

Tarantella

Includes dancers Joaquin De Luz and Megan Fairchild.

Them Twos

Theme and Variations

Includes dancers Igor Zelensky, Kyra Nichols, Mikhail Baryshnikov, and Gelsey Kirkland.

Tomasson, Helgi

Le Tombeau de Couperin

Tomlinson, Mel A

Touch

Tracey, Margaret

Tricolor

Tchaikovsky Festival

Tchaikovsky Pas de Deux

Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Margaret Tracey, Robert Tewsley, Damian Woetzel, Peter Martins, Lourdes Lopez, Cynthia Gregory, Kyra Nichols, Judith Fugate, Ethan Stiefel, Karin von Aroldingen, and Mikhail Baryshnikov.

Tchaikovsky Pas de Quatre

Tchaikovsky Piano Concerto No. 2

Includes dancers Darci Kistler, Lindsay Fischer, Igor Zelensky, Merrill Ashley, Sean Lavery, Adam Lüders, Patricia McBride, and Jean-Pierre Bonnefoux.

Tchaikovsky Suite No. 2

Tchaikovsky Suite No. 3

Includes dancers Angel Corella, Miranda Weese, Carla Korbes, Stephen Hanna, Rachel Rutherford, James Fayette, and Jean-Pierre Bonnefoux.

Two and Three Part Inventions

Includes dancer Ethan Stiefel.

Tzigane

Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Suzanne Farrell, Ib Andersen, Darci Kistler, Nikolaj Hübbe, and Peter Martins.

The Unanswered Question
Union Jack
Includes dancers Patricia McBride, Jean-Pierre Bonnefoux, and choreographer George Balanchine.

Urban Dances

La Valse

Valse Fantaisie
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancers Megan Fairchild, Joaquin De Luz, Margaret Tracey, and Ethan Stiefel.

Vienna Waltzes
Includes choreographer George Balanchine and dancer Suzanne Farrell.

Walpurgisnacht
Includes dancers Alexandra Ansanelli, Monique Meunier, and Nilas Martins.

The Waltz Project

Waltz-Scherzo

Watermill
Includes rehearsals with choreographer Jerome Robbins and dancers Ethan Stiefel, Jock Soto, and Edward Villella.

Weese, Miranda

West Side Story

Who Cares

Zakouski
Includes dancers Nikolaj Hübbe and Yvonne Borree.

Zenobia (Pas de Deux)

Unidentified performances
Slides of New York City Ballet performances that are unidentified and/or not labeled by the photographer.

Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater
Includes a performance of Revelations.

American Ballet Theatre 1966 November 26
Includes performances of Don Quixote, Gaité Parisienne, Grand Pas Glazunov, La Bayadère, and Swan Lake.

Ballet de l’Opéra de Paris

Béjart Ballet Lausanne

Berlin State Ballet
Includes a performance of The Idiot.

Bolshoi Ballet
Includes performances of Apollo, Don Quixote, Giselle, Golden Age, La Bayadère, Le Corsaire, Legend of Love, and Petrushka.

Cedar City Junior Ballet 1968 August 22 - 1969 February 1

Chicago City Ballet
Includes a performance of Cinderella.

Dance Theatre of Harlem
Includes a performance of Scheherazade.
Kirov Ballet Company (Mariinsky Theatre Ballet)  
Includes performances of Apollo, The Fountain of Bakhchisarai, Giselle, Le Corsaire, Romeo and Juliet, Serenade, and The Sleeping Beauty.

Moscow City Ballet  
Includes performances of Diana and Acteon, Donizetti Variations, Don Quixote, La Bayadere, La Sylphide, Pas de Sclaf, and Swan Lake.

National Ballet of Cuba

Paul Taylor Dance Company  
Includes performances of Byzantium, Diggity, Esplanade, House of Cards, Mercuric Tidings, Orbs, and Roses.

Royal Ballet (United Kingdom) 1967 May 20 - 1991 March  

Royal Danish Ballet

San Francisco Ballet  
Includes a performance of Theme and Variations.

School of American Ballet 1984 January

Twyla Tharp Dance Foundation  
Includes a performance of Catherine Wheel.

Universal Ballet Company 1990 September  
Andris Liepa in Petrushka.

Vienna Opera Ballet

Washington Ballet (Washington, D.C.)

Unidentified performances  
Slides of performances from various ballet companies that are unidentified and/or not labeled by the photographer.

Non-ballet 1988 - 1997

Apartment contents  
Photographs of Costas’ personal belongings including art, books, furniture, and jewelry.

Bunraku puppets

Event at The Asia Society

Flowers

Galanos Fur fashion show 1988

Kabuki theater

Metropolitan Opera  
Includes performances of Dido and Aeneas, Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme, Lucia di Lammermoor, and Mamou.

People  
Includes images of Costas himself, Michael Douglas, Rosemary Dunleavy, Rudy Giuliani, Robert Irving, Jack Kempf, Minnie Pearl, Stanley Williams, and other unidentified peoples.

Salzburg marionettes  
Photographs taken of Salzburg marionettes performances.

Trip photographs  
Personal travel photographs taken by Costas which range from the late 1960s to the 1990s.

Belgium

England

France

Germany
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b. 68 f. 4 Poland
b. 68 f. 5 Spain
b. 68 f. 6 Switzerland
b. 68 f. 7 United States of America
b. 68 f. 8 Unidentified locations
b. 68 f. 9 Zulu Macbeth at Festival '97 1997 July
   Critically acclaimed South African production of Welcome Msomi's Umabatha - the Zulu Macbeth, with a cast of 46 actors and dancers during its summer engagement at New York's Lincoln Center Festival '97.