



# Jennifer "JT" Thomas

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**Height:** 5' 6"  
**Hair:** red  
**Eyes:** green

**JT** has been dancing in various forms since the age of 5. She has studied ballet, jazz, tap, acrobatics and all forms of partnership/ballroom dance. She earned a BFA with an emphasis in dance at the University of Arizona in 1996 and has since competed and performed throughout the United States and Great Britain.

## Professional Competitive Experience

- Current (2007) World American Ballroom Champion
- Current (2007) U.S. National American Ballroom Champion
- 2007..... North American Smooth Champion
- 2006..... World American Ballroom Finalist
- 2005..... U.S. National Rising Star American Ballroom Champion
- 2005..... U.S. Representative at Blackpool Invitational Exhibition – 3rd place
- 2005..... U.S. Theatrical Runner-up
- 2004..... Holiday Dance Classic Showdance Champion
- 2002..... Hawaii Star Ball Rising Star Latin Champion
- 2002 ..... Ohio Star Ball Rising Star Latin Finalist
- 1999..... Fred Astaire National Rising Star Rhythm Champion

## Pro-Am Teacher/Competitor

- 15 years dance instruction experience in ballet, jazz and ballroom
- 11 years Pro-Am competition experience in all four styles –  
(Standard, Latin, Smooth and Rhythm) as well as theatrical
- 2002 Partnered U.S. National Overall Top Male Student

## Performance Experience

- 2007-2008 Featured Entertainers for competitions including: Heritage Classic, Mexico Open and Sapphire Ball
- 2007-2008 *America's Ballroom Challenge* (PBS) - featured competitor
- 2007 *Enchanted* (Disney) November release - featured dancer
- 2007 *Dancing with the Stars* (ABC) Oct 2 - featured performer
- 2005-2006 Featured dancer in ABC promotions for *Dancing With the Stars* including Good Morning America and Times Square
- 2000-2005 Featured dancer in numerous Wendy Johnson productions
- 2005 Featured dance instructor/performer in Elimidate's Elimidance
- 2003 Gracie Allen Awards Show performer
- 1998-2000 Guest dance instructor on local major network news programs

