

# Travis and Jaimee Tuft

Travis and Jaimee have gained international success performing and teaching across the United States, as well as Europe and Asia. They were also invited as guest performers on the luxury cruise line, Crystal Cruises and have been asked repeatedly to perform live with the Philadelphia Orchestra. Their show numbers are highly acclaimed, for which they have received numerous invitations to dance in the beautiful Empress Ballroom at the prestigious Blackpool Dance Festival.

Travis and Jaimee were both born and raised in Idaho on their family farms. Travis, originally from Boise, began dancing in a once-a-week social ballroom dance class at the age of 14. Jaimee, originally from Idaho Falls, trained in classical ballet beginning at the age of 5. While in high school she began training and competing in International style Ballroom and Latin, and American style Rhythm and Smooth. Travis and Jaimee both went on to study at Brigham Young University in Provo, UT where they were members of BYU's prestigious Ballroom Dance Company. Travis graduated with a degree in Spanish and Jaimee with a degree in Mathematics.

After their marriage in 2008, Travis and Jaimee began dancing together and immediately became the undefeated two time US Amateur American Smooth Champions. Since their debut as professionals in 2011, they continue to add to their list of accomplishments including multiple US and World Theatre Arts Titles. As well as making all major US and World finals in American Smooth.

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- 2017 Blackpool, World and US Open Professional Smooth Runner up
- 2016 Runner up Blackpool Professional Theatre Arts Champions
- 2016, 2015 & 2014 World and US Professional Smooth Finalists
- 2016 and 2015 World Professional Cabaret Champions
- 2016, 2015 & 2013 United States Professional Theatrical Arts Champions
- 2015 Blackpool Professional Smooth Invitationalist
- 2015 & 2013 Ohio Star Ball Professional American Smooth Showdance Champions
- 2013 World Professional American Smooth Finalists
- 2012 US Professional Rising Star Smooth Champions
- 2012 & 2014 Blackpool Professional Theatrical Arts Finalists
- 2011 Ohio Star Ball Professional Theatrical Arts Champions
- 2009 & 2010 US Amateur American Smooth Champions