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CALIFORNIA BALLET COMPANY TO PERFORM AT USD

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The California Ballet Company will present its Spring Repertoire Friday, April 14 at 8 PM in USD's Camino Theater. The performance is sponsored by the University of San Diego Cultural Arts Board. General admission: \$3.50; students: \$2.00. Tickets are available at the door and through Ticketron outlets.

Maxine Mahon has choreographed two of the three works to be presented. "L'Histoire de Ballet," is a complete history spanning 400 years from the minuet to contemporary jazz. Variations from famous ballets are included in this musical narrative. Mahon's second work is "Serenade Encounters," a contemporary ballet based on a study in linear geometrics. The dancing syncopates the challenging score of neoclassic composer Henry Shapiro.

Cesare Pagni's "Pas de Quatre" is the third Spring Repertoire work. This is a Romantic Era ballet originated to display the skills of the leading ballerinas of the day--Marie Taglioni, Fanny Cerrito, Carlotta Grisi, and Lucille Grahn.

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Tom Cosgrove
Sue Ebner

Gay Fall - L.J. Light
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Reader - pit
Vista - pit Sentinel
Sue Cross