The **Professional Training Workshop** of FORGE will be held on the beautiful Slippery Rock University Campus. This workshop is designed for students ages 17-27* who are looking for a fun and challenging summer program with incredible faculty. Classes offered will cover a breadth of disciplines including (but not limited to): modern, ballet, jazz, hip hop, musical theatre, partnering, improvisation, repertory, composition, yoga, body conditioning and wellness for dancers.

**TUITION AND FEES** are $900 for commuter students, which includes lunch and dinner as well as access to University amenities. Students in need of **HOUSING ACCOMMODATIONS** will be hosted in the Slippery Rock University dormitories. They will have access to breakfast, lunch and dinner at Boozel Dining Hall as well as full access to all university facilities; The cost of this option is $1,050. **COLLEGE CREDIT** is available through the Slippery Rock University Dance Department and will be available on a case by case basis and will include an additional fee.

The **DAILY SCHEDULE** of the Professional Training Workshop will be quite rigorous with 6.5 hours of classes offered each day. Students will have a block of classes in the morning, followed by an hour lunch break, and a second block of classes in the afternoon.

All students registered for this workshop will receive free admission to all formal and informal performances held throughout the intensive, as well as any guest artist events. All participants will have **PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES** for both repertory work and their own choreography during the performance series.

**WE HOPE YOU WILL JOIN US!**

*Dancers who are 16 years old at the time of the workshop will only be considered with a letter of recommendation from a current dance instructor stating why they would be an acceptable candidate for this program. This letter should also include their current dance schedule with regards to discipline and hours of study, supporting their ability to successfully participate in the rigorous **Professional Training Workshop**. A form is available online to be filled out by the teacher.*