

CAREER CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

2017 to 2019, Spalding University, Louisville, Kentucky.

- Master of Fine Arts in Writing (MFA). Naslund-Mann Graduate School of Writing, Spalding University, Louisville, Kentucky. Awarded: 23 Nov 2019.
- Academic Highlights: Poetry area of concentration.

2015 to 2017, Park University, Parkville, Missouri.

- Bachelors of Science in Human Resource Management/Organizational Management
Awarded: May 2017.
- Cum Laude.

2012 to 2014, Community College of the Air Force, Montgomery, Alabama.

- Associates of Science in Human Resource Management.
Awarded: Dec 2014.
- Professional Manager Certification, 2015.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- MS Office Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access, Outlook) Advanced Training. 2015
- MS Power Business Intelligence, 2023
- Tableau, Level 2, 2019, 2021
- Project Management Course, May 2016
- Green Belt Certification Course, Oct 2015

- Senior Leadership Seminar, Sep 2012

LITERARY LEADERSHIP

Post-Graduate Resident Assistant, Naslund-Mann Graduate School of Writing, Master of Fine Arts Summer Residency, Paris, France, 18-26 July 2022

Associate Member, Malika's Kitchen Alumni Writing Collective, London, England, July 2021-Present.

Associate Member, Ohio Poetry Association (OPA), 2018-Present.

Associate Member, Association of Writers and Writer's Programs (AWP), November 2017-Present.

Associate Editor, *The Louisville Review*, Spalding University, 2017-2019.

Planning Committee Member, Ohio Poetry Association, *Sun and Moon Poetry Festival*, Yellow Springs, Ohio, 2019.

Panelist, Rust City Book Convention, Troy, Michigan, 4-6 August 2017.

PROFESSIONAL INSTRUCTION

Instructor, Guest Lecturer, "Variations in Repetition and Sound: Historic and Modern Variations of Sonnets and Villanelles," University of Maryland Global Campus, Europe, Ramstein Air Base, Germany, 8 Apr 2023

Instructor, Guest Lecturer, "Layers a Patience Path: A Two-Part Series of Publishing Preparation & Submission Navigation, Part 2," University of Maryland Global Campus, Europe, Ramstein Air Base, Germany, 23 Apr 2022

Instructor, Guest Lecturer, "The Craft Checklist with a Touch of Villanelle," Richland Park Library Writers' Group Nashville, Tennessee, 19 Mar 2022

Instructor, Guest Lecturer, "Layers a Patience Path: A Two-Part Series of Publishing Preparation & Submission Navigation, Part 1," University of Maryland Global Campus, Europe, Ramstein Air Base, Germany, 19 Mar 2022

Guest Interview, Fall 2021 Poetry Writers Roundtable, Jefferson Community and Technical College, Louisville, Kentucky, 19 Nov 2021

Instructor, Guest Lecturer, “Variables Between Spoken Word Poetry and Print Poetry to the Point of Converge,” Webster University, Saint Louis, Missouri, 16 Apr 2021

Instructor, Guest Lecturer, “How to Bake the Cake: Filtering Ingredients from Multiple Sources for Your Writing,” Broward College, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, 14 Oct 2020

Instructor, Professional Government Writing, Resume, Bullet, and Appraisal Writing to over 640 students, 36 classes, Wright Patterson Air Force Base Education Office, Professional Development Center, Dayton/Springfield/Columbus, Ohio, Jun 2015 – Aug 2019

AWARDS, HONORS, NOMINATIONS, PUBLICATIONS

Awards:

Third Place, *Black in White Poetry Competition 2022*, “A Boy Created a Noose at Eight,” Honorable Mention, “Afterbirth,” *Black in White Community Collection*, Volume 2, October 2022: Pages 50-51; 59

Finalist, *CutBank Literary Journal Annual Genre Contest*, University of Montana: Apr 2021

Honorable Mention, *31st Reuben Rose Annual Poetry competition*, “Walks Along Oirase Gorge,” *The Voices Israel Anthology*, Issue 31, Summer 2021: Page 150

2021 Pushcart Nomination for “Dangling,” *Santa Fe Literary Review*, Print, Volume 15, *The Spaces Between*, 2020 (01 Oct 2020)

Semi-Finalist, *Ember Chasm Review Fiction and Poetry Contest*: Oct 2020

Second Runner-Up, *The Lucy Terry Prince Prize*, Judged by Major Jackson, “Can You Taste the Ivory Coast Chocolate?,” *Mount Island*, Issue 5, Summer 2020: Pages 11-12

Longlisted, *The Lascaux Review*, *Lascaux Prize in Poetry*: Jul 2020

Semi-Finalist, *Midwest Review's Poetry Contest*, The Great Midwest Poetry Contest, Poem “From Athens to Tellico, Tennessee”: Apr 2020

Publications:

Books

(Pending) *Stick, Hook, and a Pile of Yarn*. September 2023. Wales, United Kingdom: Broken Sleep Books.

Journals / Reviews

"We Never Wore Tee-Shirts" and "The Path in the River," *TAB: The Journal of Poetry & Poetics*, California, Print/Online, Volume 11, Issue XX: XXX, Summer (August 2023):

"Closure," *Pembroke Magazine*, North Carolina, Print/Online, Issue 55: XXX, Autumn Equinox (July 2023):

"She Was Called Plansee," "By the North Sea," *The Bloom Review*, Missouri, Print/Online, Issue 01: XXX, (June 2023):

"Ghosting my Childhood Coast," "Grasping Light," *The Writer's Block Magazine*, Amsterdam, Netherlands, Print/Online, Issue 50: XXX, (June 2023):

"She Showers in the Clouds," *Good River Review*, Kentucky, Online, Issue 05: Spring 2023 (April 2023):

"The Front Room" and "Our Glass Home," *The Hellebore Press, Our Pasts, Our Futures*, Online, Issue 11: XXX, Winter (Aug 2023):

"Residue," *Pangyrus Lit Review*, Cambridge, MA, Online, Spring (April 2023):

"In the Neues Museum," *The Lumiere Review*, Online, JUSTICE initiative (Jan 2023):

"Constant Mornings in Güttingen," "Crossing the Border," "Fear Mountain," "No Headstone Grave," *Sixfold Poetry Literature Journal*, Print/Online, Winter 2022 (Apr 2023): Pages 153-158

"Balacing Bottles" and "I Almost Hit a Deer This Morning," *Saranac Review Literary Magazine*, New York, Online, Issue 17, Season (Dec 2022):

"Duality in Mountain Memory," *Transom Journal*, Kentucky, Print/Online, Issue 15: Paradox, Autumn Equinox (Sep 2022): Pages 66-71

"Filming at Forty-One Degrees," *Constellations Literary Journal*, Massachusetts, Print, Volume 12, Season (Dec 2022): Page 101

"Seasons Have Changed," *Seaside Gothic Magazine, Waste Land*, England, Print, Issue 4, Autumn (Oct 2022): Pages 28-29

"Afghan Bombs Are Not Meant for Children," *The Nonconformist Magazine*, Online, Spring (May 2022)

"Manifest Predestinate Man," *Poetry Online*, Minnesota, America, Online, Spring (May 2022)

"A rose and a hotel key card" and "Submitted for the Page," *Willow Wept Review*, America, Print, Winter 2022 (Mar 2022): Pages 33-35

"Back Roads of a Country," *Briefly Zine*, Briefly Write, England, Online, Issue 8, Winter (Mar 2022):

- “Each Time I Was Pulled Over” and “First Time in Jamaica,” *Arlington Literary Journal*, America, Print, Issue 159, Winter 2022 (Mar 2022):
- “I See Signs of Autumn,” *Salamander Literary Magazine*, Suffolk University, Boston, MA, Online/Print, Issue 53, Fall/Winter 2021-2202 (Mar 2022): Pages 40-41
- “Memorial Day for Those of Darker Skin,” *River Heron Review*, Pennsylvania, Online, Issue 5.1, Winter (Feb 2022):
- “I Remember When We Danced,” *Westward Quarterly*, America, Print, Winter 2022 (Jan 2022): Page 14
- “The World is Not a Kind Place,” *The Bread and Roses Poetry 2021 Anthology*, Culture Matters Ltd, London, United Kingdom, Online, Issue 2021, Winter (Dec 2021): Pages 56-57
- “The Way Pierre Brunet Sculptured,” *Line Breaks Literary Journal*, Coverstory Books, Online, Issue 1, Fall/Winter (Nov 2021):
- “I Cannot Keep Black Skin from My Child,” *Allium, A Journal of Poetry & Prose (Columbia Poetry Review)*, The Columbia College Chicago, Online, Issue 01, Fall (Sep 2021):
- “Iceland, Her Touch of America,” “Elegy of Waterloo,” *Round Table Literary Journal*, Hopkinsville, Kentucky, Print, Issue 55, Fall 2021 (May 2021): Pages 120-121
- “Stick, Hook, and a Pile of Yarn,” *filling Station Magazine*, Calgary, Canada, Online/Print, Issue 76, Spring/Summer (Jun 2021): Page 26
- “Coming Home from the Cold,” “Raggedy Rusted Fifteen-Year Old Red Car,” *SMEOP, Urban, Black Sunflower Poetry Press*, England, Print, Fall (01 Nov 2021): Pages 35 & 39
- “This Morning I Walked Under a Wide Oak,” *I-70 Review Literary Magazine*, Print, Volume 14, Summer/Fall (30 Sep 2021): Page 258
- “I Believe These Magpies Followed Me,” *Ligeia Magazine*, Maryland, Online, Issue 8, Summer 2021 (Jul 2021).
- “The Distance Away, Crumble,” *Military Experience & the Arts' (M.E.A.) literary journal "As You Were."* Online, Volume 14, Spring/Summer (May 2021):
- "A Winter Moth's Projections" and "Gentrification Has Stolen Homes," *Cosmonauts Avenue Literary Journal*, Canada, Online, Volume XX, Summer (XX Jul 2023):
- "There are instants when photos are clicked," *Auroras & Blossoms Creative Writing Journal*, eBook, Issue 2, Fall (08 Apr 2021): Page 25-26
- “Lessons to Unprivileged,” *African American Review*, Print/Online, Volume 54.3, Fall (01 Oct 2021): Pages 03
- “The Voice of Her Work,” *Cry of the Poor 2021 Anthology*, Culture Matters Ltd, London, United Kingdom, Online, Issue 2021, Summer (Aug 2021): Pages 75-76

“Three Winters,” *Cape Cod Poetry Review*, Print, Volume 8, Summer (01 Jun 2021): Pages 71-76

“Nine Months in Midwest Wheat Country,” *The Fourth River*, Online, Issue .10, Spring (Apr 2021): Poetry, #28

“Play ya card or pass,” *Flying Ketchup Press*, Print/Online, Issue Night Forest, Spring (3 Dec 2022): Page 12

“Moments for a Legacy,” *The Black Experience Anthology, A Compilation Book of Poetry & Other Writings*, Print, Issue 2021, Spring (01 Feb 2021): Pages 42-43

“The Weight He Carried,” *The American Journal of Poetry*, Online (Jan 2021), Volume 10.

“Winter’s Whispering,” and, “Walks Along Oirase Gorge” *Flora Fiction Literary Journal*, Print/Online, Volume 1, Issue 04, Winter (21 Dec 2020): Pages 26; 88

“My Peace in Scheveningen,” *Common Threads Poetry Journal*, Print, 2020 Edition, Fall (01 Nov 2020): Page 39

“An Elegy on Verdun,” *INNSÆI Journal, International Journal of Creative Literature for Peace and Humanity (IJCLPH)*, India, Volume 01, Issue 01, October Issue, Online/Print (12 Oct 2020): Pages 51-53

“A Man’s Demons,” *Burningword Literature Journal*, Summer Quarterly Issue, Online/Print (5 Oct 2020): Pages 6-7

“Can You Taste the Ivory Coast Chocolate?,” *Mount Island Literature Journal*, Online/Print (Sep 2020), Issue 5, Summer 2020: Pages 5-6

“First Highway Drive in America,” *Griffel Norweigen-English Literature Journal*, Oslo, Norway, Online, Issue 05, Fall (Sep 2020)

“An Unforgotten Path,” “From Athens to Tellico, Tennessee,” and “An Assault Rifle Ode”, *The Write Launch*, August Issue, Online (31 Jul 2020)

“Dangling,” *Santa Fe Literary Review*, Print, Volume 15, *The Spaces Between*, 2020 (01 Oct 2020): Page 19

“Manhood’s Gambit,” and “ Chess Piece Patterns,” *AGNI Literary Magazine*, Print/Online, Issue 91, Spring (30 Apr 2020): Pages 230-232

“Time Between Lost and Never,” and “Today, I Walked Through Cave Hill Cemetery,” *The Stirling Spoon, A Literary Journal*, Online (1 Mar 2020)

“Stains of His Memory”, *iō Literary Journal*, Print, Volume Two, Fall (23 Dec 2019): Page 49

“A Sunday Drive in Mutsu Mountains,” *Toho Journal*, Online (09 Dec 2019): (<https://www.tohopub.com/a-sunday-drive>)

“Nine Nights,” *Z Publishing House*, Print, Kentucky’s Best Emerging Poets 2019: An Anthology, 2019 (28 Nov 2019): Page 41

“Ignorance Still Inherits Attention,” *Prometheus Dreaming Cultural Magazine*, Online (27 Sep 2019)

“The Mushroom Cloud,” *Montana Mouthful Literary Magazine*, Print, Volume Two, Issue Two, Autumn (27 Sep 2019): Page 17

“Foreign Objects,” *The Trinity Review*, Toronto, Canada, Print, Volume 131, Spring (April 2019): Page 31

“Touching Selma,” “Seven Men,” “Jamaican Country Market,” “Ice Pusher Cream Man,” “Between Maroon Mountains,” *Rigorous Magazine*, Online, Volume 3, Issue 1, (January 2019)

“Simple Play,” “Laura’s Wind,” *Flights Literary Journal*, Print, (2016): Pages 56-58

“Flash,” *The Scribe Literary Journal*, Print, (2015): Pages 32-33

“4-5-0-5,” Jet 48 Newspaper, RAF Lakenheath, United Kingdom, Print/Online (January 2008).

“Born Black, Die Black,” “Black Woman,” *Black Student Association Liberator Newspaper*, University of Tennessee-Chattanooga, Print (1990)

Recordings:

“I Was Lost Now I’m Found” The Daily Process, Adelaide Mackenzie. Gospel Artist. Malinnga Mandinka Tejan-Sie, Producer. Independent, 2005. Released in CD by EMI Records.

“Chess Piece Patterns,” used in Massachusetts “My Care Initiative” (501(c)(3) nonprofit organization) *Healing on the G.O.E (Growth, Overcome, Empower): An Introduction* presentation Sep 2020. Produced My Care Initiative. Released on [www.YouTube.com](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SOP9NJ1IUN4&feature=youtu.be&fbclid=IwAR1q5ELcYk8RveyIZ3yerDryNMkR5a4Oerx7zDNRNENTsxLGi4_GkLKinwU). (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SOP9NJ1IUN4&feature=youtu.be&fbclid=IwAR1q5ELcYk8RveyIZ3yerDryNMkR5a4Oerx7zDNRNENTsxLGi4_GkLKinwU)

Radio/Newspaper:

Internet Article on *CLMP Members Celebrate National Poetry Month 2022* by Community of Literary Magazines and Presses (CLMP) via Gival Press. April 2022

Internet Article on *A National Poetry Month Collection* by John Hopkins University Press. March 2022

Podcast Interview on Story Wagen, “Poetry & Spiritual Care.” Ramstien, Germany. February 2021.

Article by Wright Patterson Wing Public Affairs Newspaper called "African American Air Force veteran is Haiku master." Dayton Ohio. February 2017.

Article in *RAF Lakenheath Jet 48* Newspaper for Dr Martin Luther King Jr Remember Luncheon. January 2008.

Radio Interview for the Lyrical Healer show on www.Playvybz.com. London, England. January 2008.

Interview Article in New Nation Newspaper for Book Launch, London, England. November 2006.

Interview Article in the US Military *Stars and Stripes* National Newspaper for Book Launch, November 2006.

Radio interview by Star Radio Cambridge for RAF Mildenhall 9-11 ceremony. September 2006

Article in *RAF Mildenhall Maurader* Newspaper for RAF Mildenhall 9-11 ceremony. February 2006.

Radio reading and interview on 104.4 www.Resonancefm.com London England. June 2006.

Article in *RAF Mildenhall Maurader* Newspaper for the Annual Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon, RAF Mildenhall, England. April 2006.

Interview Article in the US Military *Stars and Stripes* National Newspaper. March 2006.

Online Magazine interview for www.SunpiperPress.com - Check it out. April 2005.

Article in *RAF Lakenheath Jet 48* Newspaper on Guest Appearance at Apollo Show, RAF Lakenheath, England. February 2005.

Article in *RAF Lakenheath Jet 48 Newspaper* on Martin Luther King Jr Memorial Lunch Poem, RAF Lakenheath, England. January 2005.

Article in *RAF Mildenhall Maurader* Newspaper for their Reading, RAF Mildenhall, England. Jan 2005.

Radio Interview at 1-3 AM on www.invincibleradio.com out of Hackney, London England. December 2004.

Radio Interview on *Ebony Eye* at BBC Suffolk in Ipswich, England on Black History Month. October 2004.

Radio Interview at the Wolsey Theatre, Ipswich UK for BBC Suffolk, England. September 2004.

Online Article. *Comrade Wodka*. Reading of Bud rose Discussion of Jamal Tuschiek in the Frankfurt round rundschau article in German Online site reading at Frankfurt's Oval Office displayed poetry projects in Eifel Region & excerpt from poem "Remember Me". August 2003.

Article Feature in the *Eifel Times* Newspaper, Spangdahlem Air Base, Germany. March 2003.

Radio Interview on 95.7 FM Radio Interview, Norfolk, Virginia. January 2003.

Radio Interview on 105.7 FM AFN Europe Eifel, Bitburg, Germany. June 2000.

LITERARY CITIZENSHIP

Public/Private School Workshops:

Panel. Virtual Career Panel. Mastery Charter School, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. December 2020

Workshop/Reading. Children Summer Poetry Program. Tipp City Arts Council, Tipp City, Ohio. July 2018.

Workshop/Reading. The Antioch School, Yellow Springs, Ohio. March - April 2018.

Workshop/Reading. Wright Patterson Youth Center Poetry Slam Preparation Workshop, Wright Patterson AFB, Dayton, Ohio. Feb 2017.

Reading. Shaw Elementary School, Beavercreek, Ohio, April 2015.

Workshop/Reading. Fairborn Library, Fairborn, Ohio. "On Panel for Self-Publishing." 2013

Reading. Miasawa Air Base, Misawa Japan, 2010.

Workshop/Reading. Royal Air Force Lakenheath Intermediate School, Lakenheath, England. May 2007.

Workshop/Reading. Royal Air Force Lakenheath Middle School, Feltwell, England. October 2006 - March 2007.

Workshop/Reading. Peterborough Museum and Arts Cnter, Peterborough, England. June 2004.

Workshop/Reading. Bitburg Teen Center, Bitburg, Germany. May 2003 – November 2003.

Readings:

Poetry Reading. *Juneteenth: Carrying Its Meaning Around the World* sponsored by University of Maryland Global Campus, Ramstein, Germany. Jun 2022.

Poetry Reading/Panel. *Stamford Pint of Poetry: Social Justice Edition* sponsored by Amnesty Stamford & Rutland and Amnesty International hosted out of Stamford, England. May 2021.

Poetry Reading/Panel. *Black is the New Black* sponsored by Say It Louder Arts and Stroud Against Racism hosted out of Peterborough, England. February 2021.

Poetry Reading/Panel. *Outrage Against Racism* sponsored by Stroud Against Racism hosted out of Stroud, England. January 2021.

Poetry Reading. *Santa Fe Literary Review*, Print, Volume 15, *The Spaces Between* Journal Launch, Zoom Virtual Event hosted in Santa Fe, New Mexico. October 2020.

Poetry Reading. *Tales of Lantern Carrier and Friends* Event sponsored by *Say It Louder* hosted out of Peterborough, England. October 2020.

Poetry Reading. *Columbus Poetry Forum*. Bossy Grrls Pin-Up Joint, Columbus, Ohio. December 2019.

Poetry Reading. MFA Graduation Reading. The Brown Hotel, Spalding University, Louisville Kentucky. November 2019.

Poetry Reading. Wright Patterson Air Force Base Black History Month Memorial Lunch, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio. February 2017.

Poetry Reading. Opened for Tommy Davison, Comedian, Oman. February 2013.

Poetry Reading. High Society Entertaunment, Poetic Delights, The Grid. Misawa, Japan. April 2011.

Poetry Reading. *Poetry N Motion*, Motions Bar, London, England. January 2008.

Poetry Reading. Martin Luther King Dr Rememberance Luncheon, RAF Lakenheath, England. January 2008.

Poetry Reading. *Outspoken*, Sublounge, Birmingham, England. November 2007.

Poetry Reading. *Brixtongue*, Diverse Gallery, Brixton, London, England. October 2007..

Poetry Reading. *Organic* at Funky Munky, Camberwell, London, England. October 2007.

Poetry Reading. *The Holy Hush*, sponsored by WOMAASH, “Breaking the chain of abuse in church communitie”, All Souls Clubhouse, London, England. September 2007.

Poetry Reading. Comissioned Poem for Ipswich Museum Exhibition for the “200 Year Anniversary of the Abolition of the Slave Trade”, Ipswich, England. September 2007.

Poetry Reading. *Lilly in the Valley* HIV Charity Event, Zakudia River Level, South Bank London, England. September 2007.

Poetry Reading. RAF Mildenhall 9-11 Ceremony at RAF Mildenhall, England. September 2006.

Poetry Reading. Positively Jamaica, Fund raiser for HIV in Jamaica sponsored by Christian Aid,, St John Church, Stratford, England. August 2007.

Poetry Reading. Grand Lido Resort, Negril Jamaica, July 2007.

Poetry Reading. *Voices and Vybey*, The Landmark Sports Bar and Grill , Ft Lauderdale, Florida, July 2007.

Poetry Reading. Letser Poetry Slam, Sustanz, Munich, Germany. June 2007.

Poetry Reading. Ansberger Poetry Slam, Lansberg, Germany. June 2007.

Poetry Reading. *Paris Soirees* by Chez Patricia in Paris France. June 2007.

Poetry Reading. *Exhale* at Clerkenwell London England. May 2007.

Poetry Reading. RAF Lakenheath Sexual Assault Awareness Luncheon, RAF Lakenheath, England. April 2007.

Poetry Reading. RAF Mildenhall Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon, RAF Mildenhall, England. April 2007.

Poetry Reading. Birthday Party Bash. Luton, England. April 2007.

Poetry Reading. *Celebrating Life* sponsored by Rockhill Music at the Woburn, Hotel Russell, London, England. March 2007.

Poetry Reading. Ramstein Base Exchange feature and book signing, Ramstein Air Base, Germany. February 2007.

Poetry Reading. Ramstein Def Poetry Event, Ramstein Air Base, Germany. February 2007.

Poetry Reading. Da Poetry Fun House hosted by Phenzwaan and Kojo, West End, London, England. February 2007.

Poetry Reading. *Acoustic Gospel* Lanch Party, Motion Bar, London, England. December 2006.

Poetry Reading. *LiVE*, Hackney Cental, London England. December 2006.

Poetry Reading. *As Her Eyez Kiss* Book Launch Party with Mr Gee, U'Mau, Charlene Hector, Adelaide Mackenzie, Sifundo, Baby Sol, Lyrical Healer, and Floetic Lara. Departure Bar, London, England. December 2006.

Poetry Reading. *V.O.I.C.Express* 3rd birthday Party, Bar 628, Brixton, London, England. November 2006.

Poetry Reading. *Word 4 Word*, at Stratford Theatre Royal hosted by Kat Francois, London, England. November 2006.

Poetry Reading. *CB1 Poetry*, CB1 Cafe, Cambridge England. October 2006.

Poetry Reading. *Poetry N Motion*, featured book launch, Motions Bar, London England. October 2006.

Poetry Reading. *Lilly in the Valley* HIV Charity Event, Zakudia River Level, South Bank London, England. September 2006.

Poetry Reading. - RAF Mildenhall 9-11 Ceremony at RAF Mildenhall, England. September 2006.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Big & Serious*, Hackney Central, London England, Showcase of London's best Bashment, Hip Hop, Comedy, Soul and Poetry. June 2006.

Poetry Reading. Feature Guest for Charlene Hector Birthday at Troy Bar Shoreditch, London England. May 2006.

Poetry Reading. Feature with *Hammer & Tongue* Fluid Group at Noughtie Message Festival, South Park, Oxford, England. Remembrance of 60th Anniversary of Hiroshima & Nagasaki Bombings. April 2006.

Poetry Reading. Feature for RAF Mildenhall Annual Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon, Galaxy Club, RAF Mildenhall, England. April 2006.

Poetry Reading. Feature for Sexual Assault Appreciation Month, RAF Mildenhall Library, England. April 2006.

Poetry Reading. Feature for *Promises Are Forever*, Dinner Dance Social, Chippenham Lodge Estate, England. March 2006.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Disporic Sounds*, A fest of Spoken Words, Music & Film. At the R.A.D.A. Bar London, England. March 2006.

Poetry Reading. Featured Head Liner at Soulful Expression Poetry and Fashion Show, Galaxy Club, RAF Mildenhall, England. February 2006.

Poetry Reading. Featured at RAF Alconbury Martin Luther King Appreciation Luncheon, RAF Alconbury, England. January 2006.

Poetry Reading. Featured at *Brixtongue* at Red Gate Gallery, Brixton, London, England. December 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature for New Orleans Hurricane Katrina Fund Raiser, Nottinghill. London, England. November 2005.

Poetry Reading. Featured on Adelaide Mackenzie's Gospel CD and Album Launch at The Jazz Cafe, Camden, London, England with guests the Best Kept Secret, Bev Tawiah, Four Kornerz, The Witness, & Phenzwaan. October 2005.

Poetry Reading. *Organic Soul*, Saratoga Lounge, Baltimore, Maryland. September 2005.

Poetry Reading. *The Playground*, Ortlieb's Jazzhaus, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. September 2005.

Poetry Reading. Queen Sheba's CD Launch, Y.W.C.A. Norfolk, Virginia. September 2005.

Poetry Reading. Showtime Cafe, Atlanta, Georgia. September 2005.

Poetry Reading. Dave and Busters (Show Room), Atlanta, Georgia. September 2005.

Poetry Reading. *Spitt Fi' Ya*, Audy's Place, Ft Lauderdale, Florida. September 2005.

Poetry Reading. *Black on Black Rhyme*, Mt Zion's Calyso Cafe, Tallahassee, Florida. September 2005.

Poetry Reading. G's and Z's Cafe, Houston, Texas. August 2005.

Poetry Reading. Barnes & Nobles, Tulsa, Oklahoma. August 2005.

Poetry Reading. Spoken Word Cafe, Chicago, Illinois. August 2005.

Poetry Reading. Legacy Books, St Louis, Missouri. August 2005.

Poetry Reading. Knowing Books & Cafe/Jamestown Mall, St Louis, Missouri. August 2005.

Poetry Reading. Kafe Kerouac, Columbus, Ohio. August 2005.

Poetry Reading. Black Pearl Poetry, The Brownstone On Main, Columbus, Ohio. August 2005.

Poetry Reading. *Slamicide*, X and O, Baltimore Maryland. August 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Afterglow Blu*, Lush Bar, North London England. July 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at Ip Arts, *Music in the Park* w/John Rowe in the Poetry Gert, Christ Church Park, Ipswich, England. July 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature with Anjan, Zena Edwards, Imani at the IP Arts Poetry Cafe, St Nicholas Center, A Nia Project, Ipswich, England. July 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Mic Club* - The Telegraph, Brixton Hill - South London, England. July 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at Aspirations in the Olympia Convention Center, West London, England. July 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Pan African Night* at the Corn Exchange, London, England. July 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at 198 Gallery Exhibition Opening of *Urban Vision Reloaded*, Brixton, South London, England. June 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at Jamaican Alumni Association *Sal'fish Dumplin III* Fun Raiser, City Tavern, Cental London, England. June 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Brixtongue*, Brixton Arts Gallery, Brixton, South London, England. June 2005.

Poetry Reading. *Xpressions* Talent Showcase, Opium, Soho, West End London, England. May 2005.

Poetry Reading. IP Art Kick Off at Ipswich Crown Court, Ipswich England. May 2005.

Poetry Reading. Book Promotion at Poetry N Motion at the Loop Bar - West End London, England. May 2005.

Poetry Reading. *Gospel Unplugged* featured with Gospel artists Adelaide Mckenzie and GK Real at RAF Mildenhall, England. May 2005.

Poetry Reading. Featured at *Kindred Spirit* - Rhythm Factory, Whitechapel London, England. May 2005.

Poetry Reading. Opened at *Da Comedy Fun House* with Kojo at Corks Wine Bar, West End, London, England. May 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Generations* - Hackney Empire, Hackney East London, England. April 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Just For Fun* in Croydon, HQ Bar, West Croydon, London, England. April 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at Brixton Community Event Against Gun Violence, The Fridge, Brixton, South London, England. April 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at RAF Mildenhall Volunteer Appreciation Day, RAF Mildenhall, Bury St Edmunds, England. April 2005.

Poetry Reading. Guest Performer at Phenzwaan's *Like A Pheonix* CD signing the Poetry Café, London, England. March 2005.

Poetry Reading. Featured at Kat Francois's (2004 BBC Slam Champion) *Word 4 Word*, Stratford Theatre Royal, Stratford, London, England. March 2005.

Poetry Reading. Fund Raiser at Sankofa School, charity event, Yamas Restaurant, Catford, London, England. March 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Sweet & Sour* at the 291 Gallery, Hackney, London, England. March 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at Just For Fun, HQ Bar, West Croyden London, England. February 2005.

Poetry Reading. Guest Performer at RAF Lakenheath's *Show Time at the Apollo* for Black History Month, England. February 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Speakeasy* hosted by Baden Prince at 291 Gallery, Shoreditch, London, England. January 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at *Just For Fun*, HQ Bar, West Croyden, London, England. January 2005.

Poetry Reading. Feature at the Martin Luther King Memorial Luncheon, Galaxy Club, RAF Mildenhall, England. January 2005.

Poetry Reading. *Gospel Unplugged*, Volume 2 featured w/Adelade McKenzie and GK Real, Galaxy Club, RAF Mildenhall - Bury St Edmunds, England. January 2005.

Poetry Reading. Featured at *Spicy Winter Warmer* at Cargo, Shoreditch, London, England. Decemeber 2004.

Poetry Reading. Baden Prince's book launch at Speakeasy, 291 Gallery, London, England. Decemeber 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at Brixtongue at the Brixton Arts Gallery, Brixton, London, England. Decemeber 2004.

Poetry Reading. Ipswich African Book Fair, Book Signing, Jamaican Hurricane Relief Fundraiser, Ipswich, England. November 2004.

Poetry Reading. *Ancestral Energies*, Dexter Adventure Playground, Brixton, London, England. October 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at *Niyanbingi Nights* at Murjano, North London, England. October 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at *VOCOOL* Showcase at the Arc, Angel, London, England. October 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at the 198 Gallery in Brixton, London, England for *Historicism - A* presentation of work by contemporary Black Artists in Britain. October 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at *Verbalized Minds, RE-ENLISTED* feature with Phenzwaan (England Busiest Spoken Word Poet), Daniel Beatty (Nuyrican 2004 Poetry Slam Champion), Talaam Acey (World Renowan Spoken Word Artist). October 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at The Nia Memorial Lecture - The Memorial lecture is a time for us to reflect on the heritage, contributions and achievements of Africans and descendants of the African Diaspora, The Wolsey Theatre, Ipswich, England. September 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at *Mic Club* in Brixton's B-Plan Club London, England. September 2004.

Poetry Reading. Opening Act at Kojo's Comedy Club, West End, London, England. September 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured Act at Nii Parkes Aroma Poetry in the Charterhouse Bar, London, England. September 2004.

Poetry Reading. *Stage Fright* at Brockwells, South London, England. September 2004.

Poetry Reading. Opened at *Soul Food*, 5th Anniversary Show at Bloombury Theatre, London England. September 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at *Gods and Goddess*, Cambridge, England. September 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at *Something To Die For* at The Eye, Stoke Newington, London England. August 2004.

Poetry Reading. *V.O.I.C.E.* at the Lounge Bar, Brixton, London, August 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured at the Peterborough Festival, the John Clare Theatre, Peterborough Library, Peterborough, England. July 2004.

Poetry Reading. Featured the Poetry Tent, Ipswich Arts Festival, Christ Church Park, Ipswich, Suffolk. July 2004.

Poetry Reading. Opened for *Peppermint Sundays* Variety Showcase, 291 Gallery, Hackney, London, England. July 2004.

Poetry Reading. Peterborough John Clare Appreciation Reading at the Peterborough Museum and Arts Center, Peterborough, England. June 2004.

Poetry Reading. *Gods and Goddesses*, Portman Arms Pub, Cambridge, England. June 2004.

Poetry Reading. Emmanuel College End of Year Bash Celebration, Cambridge University, Cambridge, England. June 2004.

Poetry Reading. *Verbalized Minds*, The Lion Pub - Stoke Newington, London England. June 2004.

Poetry Reading. Dichterdran Spoken Word, Blue Shell Café, Koln, Germany. November 2003.

Poetry Reading. Spangdahlem POW/MIA Recognition Day Presentation, Spangdahlem Flugplatz, Germany. September 2003.

Poetry Reading. Master of Ceremonies and feature for the Eifel Sport Hotel's De Art Haus & Urban Unplugged Jazz, Dinner Evening, Gondorf, Germany. September 2003.

Poetry Reading. Feature with the Poetry Circle at the Parkhuis Café, Hormel, Netherlands. Aug 2003.

Poetry Reading. K & B Literair in Eindhoven, Netherlands. August 2003

Poetry Reading. Paris Connections Dinner Party in Paris, France. August 2003.

Poetry Reading. Performed at Bojangles Jazz Restaurant, Paris, France. October 2002.

Poetry Reading. Paris Connections Dinner Party, Paris France. October 2002

Poetry Reading. Opened for Def Jam Comedy Show, Kaiserslautern, Germany. September 2002.

Poetry Reading. Performed for Desert Jam Talent Show, Prince Sultan Air Base, Saudi Arabia. April 2001.

Poetry Reading. Kicked Off Juneteeth Celebration, Bitburg, Germany. June 2000.

Poetry Reading. Opened for English pioneer evolved in the desegregation in the English media in the 1960s, Ipswich, England. October 1999.

Poetry Reading. Retirement Dinner Party, Hurlburt Field, Florida. June 1999.

Poetry Reading. Bruce Bruce Def Jam Style Comedy Show, Eglin, Florida. February 1999.

Poetry Reading. Masonic Black & White Ball, Niceville, Florida. February 1999.

Poetry Reading. Black History Month Luncheon, Hurlburt Field, Florida. February 1999.

Poetry Reading. Martin Luther King Prayer Breakfast, Hurlburt Field, Florida. January 1999.

Poetry Reading. Prayer Breakfast, Hurlburt Field, Florida. September 1998.

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