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I am a storyteller, editor, and creative with a deep passion for education through arts and cultural programming. I am driven to help people succeed because others helped me to succeed.

TEACHING AND WORK EXPERIENCE

Graduate Research Assistant | University of Kansas June 2025 – Aug 2025

- Associate Producer/Dramaturg for production of *A Raisin in the Sun* under the mentorship of Darren Canady
- Researched life of Lorraine Hansberry and culturally significant events to provide socio-historical context to cast and crew
- Wrote documents based on research including a glossary, lobby displays, and children's coloring book
- Curated lobby displays to encourage audience interaction

Graduate Teaching Assistant | University of Kansas Aug 2024 – Present

- Designed and taught multimodal first-year writing and critical reading courses
- Integrated LMS platform (Canvas) and e-Learning strategies aligned with Universal Design for Learning (UDL)
- Prepared daily presentations to disseminate information; led classroom discussions; provided feedback on student writing tailored to different genres; and coordinated peer review activities to promote digital literacy and critical thinking
- Taught two sections of ENGL 101 and ENGL 102 per semester

Co-Chair | KU Reads Committee | University of Kansas Sept 2024 – Dec 2024

- Helped narrow down selections for the 2025 Common Book for the University of Kansas
- Co-led meetings to discuss selections

Administrative Coordinator | Bloodletter Literary Magazine Jan 2024 – Aug 2024

- Performed a variety of administrative duties to support the magazine including proofreading, editing, and layout management of webpage
- Co-hosted a reading of various pieces from earlier issues

Peer Mentor | Virginia Commonwealth University June 2022 – May 2023

- Mentored Virginia Community College students in the Mellon Pathways Program interested in transferring to a four-year college in Virginia
- Co-hosted over 15 cultural and professional development events and workshops each semester

Poetry Lead and Managing Editor | *plain china* Aug 2022 – Dec 2022

- Housed at Virginia Commonwealth University, *plain china: Best Undergraduate Writing*
- Chose and compiled poetry selections for Volume 10 of *plain china*
- Hosted and led weekly meetings with poetry group to discuss selections

EDUCATION

Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing | University of Kansas | Expected: May 2027

Bachelor of Arts in English, Cum Laude | Virginia Commonwealth University | May 2023

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND FELLOWSHIPS

Digital Humanities Fellow, 2025 – 2026 | Institute for Digital Research in the Humanities | University of Kansas | Project Title: The Black Feminist Phone Tree

Red Hot Graduate Research | University of Kansas
Presentation Title: Remixing Pedagogy | April 2025

Distinguished English Major Program | Virginia Commonwealth University
Advisors: Dr. Shermaine M. Jones and Professor Gretchen Comba
Presentation Title: “‘MAKE THEM KNOW:’ Rage, Rejection, and Reckoning in the Black Woman’s Bildungsroman” | August 2022 – May 2023

AWARDS, HONORS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- Honorable Mention | 2025 Snyder Book Collecting Contest | University of Kansas
- Jean Roy Riely Fund Scholarship Recipient | 2022 – 2023
- Philip B. Meggs Memorial Scholarship Recipient | 2022 – 2023
- Sigma Tau Delta English Honor Society | Alpha Rho Alpha Chapter | Spring 2023
- Omicron Delta Kappa National Leadership Honor Society | Fall 2022
- 2023 Black History in the Making Award Recipient | English Department | Virginia Commonwealth University

SKILLS		
Creative Writing	Editing and Proofreading	Research and Synthesis
Technical Writing	Intercultural Competence	Public Speaking
Public Speaking	Problem Solving	Collaboration
Technological Curiosity	Detail-Oriented	Interpersonal Skills
Google Suite	Zoom/Google Meets	Organization
Time Management	Multitasking	Communication Skills
Microsoft Office Suite <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Word- Excel- Microsoft Teams- Notes- Outlook- Planner	Content Management System <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Canvas/Blackboard- MailChimp- Wix- Instagram- Facebook- X (Twitter)- Canva	Database Experience <ul style="list-style-type: none">- JSTOR- Literature Online- ArtStor- Google Scholar