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Summary of Qualifications:

- International Speaker
- English/Spanish Bilingual
- Bachelor's degree in Comparative Women's Studies from Spelman College
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Extensive experience using poetry and art as a means of outreach and education
- Strong advocacy skills, honed in law school
- Creative and unique ability to create and maintain safe space during dialogue
- Presenter at various conferences regarding sexual and domestic violence, including the 2004 3rd Annual CDC National Sexual Violence Prevention Conference, the NOW National Conference 2003, and the 2005 Enough Abuse Conference: "Taking Action to Prevent Child Sexual Abuse."
- Hard working and independently motivated

Accomplishments and Awards:

- Public Service Award, University of Virginia School of Law, Mortimer Caplin Public Service Center
- Assistant Director of the Rape Crisis Advocacy Project 2002-2003
- Virginia Law Weekly Associate Features Editor 2002-2003
- Phi Alpha Theta International Honor Society in History
- National Institute on Drug Abuse Program, Recognition for Research Excellence, Morris Brown College
- Dewitt-Wallace Scholar, Academic Achievement, Spelman College
- Hands on Atlanta Volunteer, Atlanta READS Program 1999-2000

Work Experience:

4-2005—present **Self-employed Artist, Activist, and Speaker**

11-2004—4-2005 **Bilingual Outreach Intern, Sexual Assault Resource Agency, Charlottesville, VA.** Responsible for recruiting and organizing bilingual volunteers, translating materials, as well as supporting Spanish-speaking survivors on the hotline, and at the center.

Work Experience Cont.:

- 8-2003 — 5-2004 **Bilingual Counselor & Phones Counselor, Feminist Women’s Health Center, Atlanta, GA.** Assisted women in crisis by providing information, support and guidance. Advocated and translated for Spanish-speaking patients.
- 4-2001 — 7-2001 **Multi-Cultural Outreach Coordinator, Grady Rape Crisis Center, Grady Health System, Atlanta, GA.** Created, organized and implemented a new Latino outreach program, to promote sexual assault awareness and prevention. Developed Spanish outreach materials, assisted survivors in the hospital and on the hotline.
- 6-2000 — 5-2001 **Marketing Assistant for Learning Services, Latino America International Business Machines (IBM), Marietta, GA.** Edited and reviewed documents, and completed English to Spanish translations.
- 6-1999 — 5-2000 **Research Assistant, Psychology Department Morris Brown College, Atlanta, GA.** Responsible for proposal writing, research presentations, gathering information relative to research being performed, and assisting with the testing of the subjects.
- 9-1996 — 5-1999 **Resident Assistant and Desk Aide, Office of Residential Life, Spelman College, Atlanta, GA.** Assisted with dorm management, peer counseling and community building. Helped freshmen adjust to the college environment. Desk Aide responsibilities included welcoming and assisting visitors, as well as keeping residents well informed.

Academic Information:

- Fall 2001— **University of Virginia School of Law, Charlottesville, VA.**
Spring 2005 Juris Doctor, May 2005.
- Fall 1996— **Spelman College, Atlanta GA.**
Spring 2000 Bachelor of Arts, May 2000, Comparative Women's Studies Major, Pre-Med Concentration, History Minor. Cumulative GPA: 3.3

References available upon request.