

Vanae I. Pate

Creative



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Skills

Event coordinator, Dance instructor, Vocalist, Dancer, Creative, Choreographer, Host

Experience

Baldwin Cafe/Host,Entertainer,Event coordinator

January 2018 - PRESENT, Dayton, OH

A bookstore focused on Black literature & a safe space that holds community engagements with different dialogues between the community, meditation, writing workshops and book exchanges. We also have had the opportunity to take our event "Lit Exchange"into High school. Lit Exchange is not only a book exchange but it includes conscious performances and conversations

Dayton African American Cultural Festival /Volunteer

August 2016 - Present Dayton, Oh

Member of the DAACF directors. Meeting every week to discuss the visions and ideas of the upcoming event, which holds entertainment and a cultural space. Participated with the Youth stage and the African Village

Host and creator of "For The Sake of Love" / Job Title

May 2017 -May 2020, Dayton, Oh

An annual event supporting Love to the community through uplifting performances and a hands on creating space. Those in attendance leave with their own creation as a reminder "For The Sake of Love" Love.

Yellowsprings Kids Playhouse/ Dance Instructor

June 2013- May 2014

Dance instructor for the youth of Yellowsprings between the grades 1st - 7th grade. Introducing them to free and controlled movement.

Education

Stivers School for the Arts / High School Diploma

August 2003 - June 2007, Dayton, Oh

Arts magnets were dance and theatre all through high school.

Antioch College

September 2020 - Present, Yellow Springs, Oh

Studying to create my degree in African American Studies and Performing Arts. To use my degree to broaden knowledge on said group of peoples history and uplift them in many ways including speaking engagements, festivals and other creative, fun, educational and uplifting way.

Other Experiences

Dare To Defy

October 2019 - Dayton, Oh

“A New Brain” the musical I had the opportunity to play “Lisa” the conscious homeless lady This was a very engaging comical and touching play through Dayton, Ohio's own community based theatre company.

Scripted In Black; Women Of Color reading series

Summer of 2017

“Scripted in Black” is a series of events that were held for and geared toward women and women writers. I had the opportunity to help bring to life the community's very own women authors.

Dayton Contemporary Dance Second Company

Sept. 2011 - Sept. 2016

Dayton Contemporary Dance Second Company is run by Shonna Hickman Matlock which the performers host concerts, classes and lecture demonstrations for all over the surrounding area of Dayton Ohio. My time at DCDC2 I have had the opportunity to journey through the civil rights era to present day time through our Black history demonstrations along with explaining diversity and inclusion for schools of all ages and diversity to companies like Lexus Nexus.