

**IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI**

**A RESOLUTION** authorizing the County Executive to execute a Cooperative Agreement with Jennifer Osborne of Kansas City, MO, for the Prosecuting Attorney's Office's Sentenced to the Arts program, at a cost to the County not to exceed \$15,600.00

**RESOLUTION #17440**, December 6, 2010

**INTRODUCED BY** Dan Tarwater, County Legislator

WHEREAS, by Ordinance 4258, dated October 12, 2010 the Legislature did appropriate funds in acceptance of a grant from the Missouri Department of Public Safety, for the Prosecuting Attorney's Sentenced to the Arts program; and,

WHEREAS, the Prosecuting Attorney's Office now recommends a Cooperative Agreement with Jennifer Osborne of Kansas City (Jackson County), MO in the amount of \$15,600.00, to provide assistance transitioning offenders from the Sentenced to the Arts Program into the MyArts Apprenticeship Program; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the County Executive be, and is hereby, authorized to execute for the County a Cooperative Agreement with Jennifer Osborne of Kansas City, MO, at a cost to the County not to exceed \$15,600.00, in a form to be approved by the County Counselor.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

[Signature]  
Chief Deputy County Counselor

[Signature]  
Acting County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution #17440 of December 6, 2010, was duly passed on December 13, 2010 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas 6

Nays 0

Abstaining 0

Absent 3

12.13.10  
Date

[Signature]  
Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature

There is a balance otherwise unencumbered to the credit of the appropriation to which the expenditure is chargeable and there is a cash balance otherwise unencumbered in the treasury to the credit of the fund from which payment is to be made each sufficient to provide for the obligation herein authorized.

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 008 4134 56080  
ACCOUNT TITLE: Anti-Drug Sales Tax Fund  
Sentenced to the Arts  
Other Professional Services  
NOT TO EXCEED: \$15,600.00

December 3, 2010  
Date

[Signature]  
Director of Finance and Purchasing



# REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Completed by County Counselor's Office:  
 Res/~~Ord~~ No.: 17440  
 Sponsor(s): Dan Tarwater  
 Date: December 6, 2010

SUBJECT	<p>Action Requested  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resolution  <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance</p> <p>Project/Title: <u>Requesting an Agreement with Jen Osborne in the amount of \$15,600.00</u></p>												
<p>BUDGET INFORMATION  <i>To be completed By Requesting Department and Finance</i></p>	<table border="1" data-bbox="331 537 1208 909"> <tr> <td>Amount authorized by this legislation this fiscal year:</td> <td>\$15,600</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Amount previously authorized this fiscal year:</td> <td>\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total amount authorized after this legislative action:</td> <td>\$15,600</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Amount budgeted for this item * (including transfers):</td> <td>\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Source of funding (name of fund) and account code number:</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sentenced to the Arts Grant, 008-4134, Other Professional Services, 56080</td> <td>\$15,600</td> </tr> </table> <p>* If account includes additional funds for other expenses, total budgeted in the account is: \$</p> <p>OTHER FINANCIAL INFORMATION:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No budget impact (no fiscal note required)  <input type="checkbox"/> Term and Supply Contract (funds approved in the annual budget); estimated value and use of contract:    Department: Estimated Use: \$</p> <p>Prior Year Budget (if applicable):    Prior Year Actual Amount Spent (if applicable):</p>	Amount authorized by this legislation this fiscal year:	\$15,600	Amount previously authorized this fiscal year:	\$	Total amount authorized after this legislative action:	\$15,600	Amount budgeted for this item * (including transfers):	\$	Source of funding (name of fund) and account code number:		Sentenced to the Arts Grant, 008-4134, Other Professional Services, 56080	\$15,600
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PRIOR LEGISLATION	<p>Prior ordinances and (date):</p> <p>Prior resolutions and (date):</p>												
CONTACT INFORMATION	<p>RLA drafted by (name, title, &amp; phone): Jim Kanatzar 11/23/10</p>												
REQUEST SUMMARY	<p>Jackson County has been awarded the Sentenced to the Arts Grant by the Department of Public Safety to address serious juvenile offenders in the Jackson County area. The STTA Program will provide expressive therapy programs and services to adjudicated youth. This grant provides funding in the amount of \$15,600 for a STTAP Re-entry Coordinator.</p> <p><i>3/11/12</i> <i>12/3/10</i></p> <p>Requesting a Resolution authorizing the County Executive to enter into an Agreement in the amount of <del>\$15,000.00</del> <sup>\$15,600</sup> with Jen Osborne, 603, Valentine Road, Kansas City, Missouri 64111. She will assist in transitioning offenders from the STTA Program into the MyArts Apprenticeship Program.</p> <p>Term of this grant is 12/1/10 through 9/30/11. Monthly payments.</p>												

CLEARANCE	<input type="checkbox"/> Tax Clearance Completed (Purchasing & Department) <input type="checkbox"/> Business License Verified (Purchasing & Department) <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 6 Compliance - Affirmative Action/Prevailing Wage (County Auditor's Office)	
ATTACHMENTS		
REVIEW	Department Director: <i>James F. Krueger</i>	Date: <i>12-2-2010</i>
	Finance (Budget Approval): <i>If applicable</i> <i>[Signature]</i>	Date: <i>12/3/10</i>
	Division Manager: <i>[Signature]</i>	Date: <i>12/3/10</i>
	County Counselor's Office:	Date:

Fiscal Information (to be verified by Budget Office in Finance Department)

- This expenditure was included in the annual budget.
- Funds for this were encumbered from the \_\_\_\_\_ Fund in \_\_\_\_.
- There is a balance otherwise unencumbered to the credit of the appropriation to which the expenditure is chargeable and there is a cash balance otherwise unencumbered in the treasury to the credit of the fund from which payment is to be made each sufficient to provide for the obligation herein authorized.
- Funds sufficient for this expenditure ~~will be~~ were appropriated by Ordinance # *4258*

Funds sufficient for this appropriation are available from the source indicated below.

Account Number:	Account Title:	Amount Not to Exceed:
008-4134-56080	Sentenced to the Arts Grant – Other Professional Services	\$15,600

- This award is made on a need basis and does not obligate Jackson County to pay any specific amount. The availability of funds for specific purchases will, of necessity, be determined as each using agency places its order.
- This legislative action does not impact the County financially and does not require Finance/Budget approval.



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR  
AWARD OF CONTRACT

P.O. Box 749  
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102  
Phone: 573/751-4905

Contractor Name

**Jackson County**

Project Title

**"Sentenced to the Arts" Program (STTAP)**

Contract Period

FROM: **10/1/2010** TO: **9/30/2011**

State Funds Awarded

**\$242,559.00**

Contract Number

**2009-JABG-LG-03**

Award is hereby made in the amount and for the period shown above to the above mentioned Contractor. This award is subject to compliance with the general conditions governing grants and contracts, as well as, the attached Special Conditions. This award is also subject to compliance with all current applicable federal and state laws, regulations and guidelines.

This award is subject to Special Conditions (attached).

The undersigned hereby certify acceptance of the above described contract on the terms and conditions specified or incorporated by reference above and herein, including those stated in the contract application.

*[Signature]* 8-30-2010  
Authorized Official Date

*[Signature]* 8-30-2010  
Project Director Date

This contract shall be in effect for the duration of the contract period stated herein, and funds shall become available on the award date with the signed return of this form to the Missouri Department of Public Safety and the signature of the director of the Department of Public Safety.

*[Signature]*  
Director, Department of Public Safety

10-1-10  
Award Date

# SPECIAL CONDITIONS AWARD

Contractor Name: **Jackson County**

Project Title: **"Sentenced to the Arts" Program (STTAP)**


Contract Period: **10/1/2010 to 9/30/2011**


Funds Awarded: **\$242,559.00**

Contract Number: **2009-JABG-LG-03**

1. The applicant agrees to comply with the terms and conditions of this award as mandated by U.S. Department of Justice and the Missouri Department of Public Safety.
2. The applicant agrees to comply with the financial and administrative requirements set forth in the effective edition of the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) Financial Guide and the Missouri Department of Public Safety Financial and Administrative Guidelines.
3. The applicant assures compliance with the certified assurances and financial guidelines as set forth in the JABG Application.
4. In accordance with section 210.025, RSMo, the applicant assures that current criminal history and child abuse and neglect background checks will be conducted on all program personnel who provide direct services to youth under this contract. If the results of such background checks indicate a conviction for a crime against a person or a finding of child abuse or neglect by probable cause, the individual is ineligible for employment or volunteer work under this contract. Background checks shall be completed and on file within 15 days of an individual beginning any work described in the contract. Failure to comply with these guidelines could result in the immediate suspension or termination of this contract.
5. The applicant assures that only actual costs for budget line items will be submitted on the Monthly Expenditure Reports.
6. The applicant agrees to submit the **Monthly Operational Performance Report, Monthly Report of Expenditures, Monthly Detail of Expenditures, and supporting documentation** by no later than the **10<sup>th</sup> day of each month**, unless the 10<sup>th</sup> falls on a weekend or holiday. Then the reports must be received by the first working day after the weekend or holiday. **NO FAXES WILL BE ACCEPTED!!** The Monthly Report of Expenditures is due each month whether or not your agency has expended any grant or local match funds. Failure to submit these reports by the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month could result in the termination of your contract with the Department of Public Safety. *Failure to submit these reports by the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month could result in the termination of your contract with the Department of Public Safety.*
  - a. You **must** use the Monthly Report of Expenditures, Monthly Detail of Expenditures sheet, and monthly progress (performance) report designed by the Department of Public Safety for reporting purposes. The Monthly Report of Expenditures is mailed to you each month. The Monthly Detail of Expenditures sheet and monthly progress (performance) report for each grant program may be found on our website at [www.dps.mo.gov](http://www.dps.mo.gov). These forms must be completed and returned with original signatures **even if there are no expenditures or activities to report.**

## ACCEPTANCE OF SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

  
Authorized Official \_\_\_\_\_ Date 8-30-2010

  
Project Director \_\_\_\_\_ Date 8-30-2010



**SECTION 1 - INSTRUCTIONS**

This application must be typewritten. Please refer to the enclosed instructions to complete this form.

**SECTION 2 - GRANT PROGRAMS**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> VOCA - Victims of Crime Act                       | <input type="checkbox"/> SSVF - State Services to Victims Fund         | <input type="checkbox"/> STOP - Stop Violence Against Women Grant Program                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Byrne - Byrne Formula Grant (NCAP)                | <input type="checkbox"/> MCLUP - Mo. Crime Lab Upgrade Program         | <input type="checkbox"/> RSAT - Residential Substance Abuse & Treatment Program          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CLAP - Crime Lab Assistance Program               | <input type="checkbox"/> LLEBG - Local Law Enforcement Block Grant     | <input type="checkbox"/> LGSD - Local Government School District Program                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Title V - Delinquency & Youth Violence Prevention | <input type="checkbox"/> Title II - Juvenile Justice Formula Grants    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> JABG - Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Challenge - Statewide Policies and Programs       | <input type="checkbox"/> EUDL - Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws Grant |  |

**SECTION 3 - APPLICANT AGENCY**

AGENCY  
Jackson County, Missouri.  
PHONE 816-881-3113  
FAX 816-881-3810

ADDRESS  
415 E. 12<sup>th</sup> Street

CITY Kansas City STATE MO ZIP 64106

**SECTION 8 - PROJECT TITLE**

"Sentenced to the Arts" Program (STTAP)

**SECTION 4 - APPLICANT AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL**

NAME  
Mike Sanders  
PHONE 816-881-3333  
FAX 816-881-3810

TITLE  
County Executive

**SECTION 9 - TYPE OF APPLICATION**

New  Revised  Renewal  Continuation

**SECTION 5 - PROJECT DIRECTOR**

NAME  
Angela C. Gravino (Castle)  
PHONE 816-881-3113  
FAX 816-881-3810

TITLE  
Anti-Drug Program Administrator  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: agravino@jacksongov.org

AGENCY  
Jackson County Prosecutor's Office - Anti-Drug Unit

ADDRESS  
415 E. 12<sup>th</sup> Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

CITY Kansas City STATE MO ZIP 64106

**SECTION 10 - CURRENT CONTRACT NUMBER(S)**

2008-JABG-LG-05

**SECTION 11 - APPLICANT'S FEDERAL TAX I.D. #**

44000524

**SECTION 6 - APPLICANT FISCAL OFFICER**

NAME  
Troy Thomas  
PHONE 816-881-3333  
FAX 816-881-3810

TITLE  
Manager of Finance

AGENCY  
Jackson County, Missouri

ADDRESS  
415 E. 12<sup>th</sup> Street, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

CITY Kansas City STATE MO ZIP 64106

**SECTION 12 - PROGRAM CATEGORY**

Purpose Area 15 and Purpose Area 17

**SECTION 7 - CONTACT PERSON**

NAME  
Deana Bellamaganya  
PHONE 816-881-3832  
FAX 816-881-3810

TITLE  
JABG Program Manager  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: dbellamaganya@jacksongov.org

AGENCY  
Jackson County Prosecutor's Office - Anti-Drug Unit

ADDRESS  
415 E. 12<sup>th</sup> Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor

CITY Kansas City STATE MO ZIP 64106

**SECTION 13 - CONTRACT PERIOD**

BEGINNING DATE 10/1/2010 ENDING DATE 9/30/2011

**SECTION 14 - TYPE OF PROJECT**

Statewide  Regional  Local

**SECTION 15 - PROGRAM INCOME**

Will Program Income be generated?  Yes  No

**SECTION 16 - BUDGET**

	Total Cost
PERSONNEL	
TRAVEL	
SUPPLIES/OPERATIONS	
EQUIPMENT	
CONTRACTUAL	269,510.00
RENOVATION/CONSTRUCTON	
TOTAL PROJECT COSTS	\$269,510.00
FEDERAL SHARE	90% 242,559.00
CASH MATCH SHARE	10% 26,951.00

**SECTION 17 - AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL'S SIGNATURE**

Signature: *[Signature]* Date: 9/29/2010



<b>CONTRACTUAL</b>	<b>PROJECT TITLE:</b> "Sentenced to the Arts" Program (STTAP)
	<b>APPLICANT AGENCY:</b> Jackson County, Missouri

<b>INSTRUCTIONS</b>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Under the Nature of Service column, describe the types of consultant services or contracts desired.</li> <li>2. Under the Basis for Cost Estimate, enter the total amount of time to be used and the rate of compensation per unit of time. <i>In the narrative under budget justification, include statements justifying the rate of compensation per unit of time and the necessity for including the costs in the project budget.</i></li> <li>3. In the Total Cost column, record the costs to be calculated as follows: (amount of time) x (rate of compensation).</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. A copy of any contractual agreement made as a result of an award through this grant program must be forwarded to the Department of Public Safety. Any service that does not have a contractual agreement cannot be listed on this page.</li> <li>5. Any contractual agreement entered into as a result of an award of contract by DPS must be for a time period within the contract period designated by DPS.</li> </ol>

NATURE OF SERVICE	BASIS FOR COST ESTIMATE	TOTAL COST
ArtsTech	It is estimated that an average of 15 hours per week x \$38.746 per hour x 52 weeks = \$30,222.00. Duties will include contracting, scheduling, data gathering, reporting, and administrating the financial aspect of the "Sentenced to the Arts" Program (STTAP).	\$30,222.00
Contract for Education and Therapeutic Services	ArtsTech will receive the funds to administer to schools, community agencies, re-entry program, and residential units including Hilltop, McCune, and group homes under the direction of the JABG Program Manager. The funds will also go towards performances, trainings, etc. Cost per child average: \$426.62 x 400 youth = \$170,648.	\$170,648.00
JABG Program Manager	This contractual position reports directly to the Director of STTAP under the guidance of the Jackson County Prosecutor in collaboration with Jackson County Family Court. Duties include administering the coordinated enforcement team, completing all paperwork including budgets, reports, and grant renewal, overseeing all agreements/contracts and performing site visits. The Program Manager also plans, organizes, and supervises all events surrounding STTAP, assists the Director in all media correspondence and community relations. Direct communication with family court DJO's on treatment plans, acting as a liaison to the forms of government involved. The Program Manager will work with the STTAP Re-Entry Coordinator on transition program. \$34 hr x 30 hrs wk = \$53,040	\$53,040.00
STTAP Re-entry Coordinator	Coordinate the re-entry portion of STTAP, working closely with Jackson County Family Court identifying eligible program youth to transition back into the community through MyARTS Program. The Coordinator will report directly to the Program Manager. This is a contractual position. \$20 hr x 15 hrs wk = \$15,600	\$15,600.00
State/Federal Share	\$ 242,559.00	
Local Match Share	\$ 26,951.00	
<b>TOTAL CONTRACTUAL COST</b>		<b>\$ 269,510.00</b>

**“Sentenced to the Arts” Program (STTAP) – STTAP Re-Entry Coordinator**  
(Person will be hired October 1, 2010)

**Start Date:**

**October 1, 2010 – September 30, 2011**

**Contractual Position:**

**Expected Outcome:**

- Identified eligible youth participating in the re-entry portion of STTAP resulting in a successful transition into the community. Reporting directly to JABG Program Manager.

**Position Description/Duties:**

Coordinate the re-entry portion of STTAP, working closely with Jackson County Family Court identifying eligible program youth to transition back into the community through MyARTS Program. The Coordinator will report directly to the Program Manager. This is a contractual position.

- ◆ Assess Family Court determining eligible program youth for re-entry program.
- ◆ Work closely with DJO’s to ensure transition back into the community is successful.
- ◆ Thorough documentation of interaction and activities involving STTAP program youth.
- ◆ Report to Program Manager weekly.
- ◆ Attend STTAP programs at various sites in order to develop relationships with eligible program youth.
- ◆ Other duties as needed.

**Jennifer (Jade) Osborne**

**“Sentenced to the Arts” Program (STTAP) – STTAP Re-Entry Coordinator**

**Start Date:**

**October 1, 2010 – September 30, 2011**

**Contractual Position:**

**\$20/hr at 15 hrs/wk = \$15,600**

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- ◆ Other duties as needed.

Position involves traveling within the city to the program sites, which may fall during the day, in the evenings, or on weekends.

Meet with JABG Project Manager, Deana Bellamaganya, weekly to discuss programs, events, etc. Deana Bellamaganya is the immediate supervisor for the STTAP Re-Entry Coordinator, Jennifer (Jade) Osborne.

# JENNIFER (JADE) OSBORNE

603 Valentine Road

Kansas City, Missouri 64111

(816) 509-7078 or [jademuse@gmail.com](mailto:jademuse@gmail.com)

## PERSONAL STATEMENT

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Jade Osborne is a motivated and goal-oriented creative person who thrives in a diversely collaborative environment. She is passionate about the arts and the community and has had a long-term commitment to social work with community and educational arts emphases. Jade has had extensive experience in non-profit organizations as a program developer, facilitator and organizational manager, as well as long-term community relationships with metropolitan area public and alternative schools, community center and detention center programs. Ms. Osborne is a dedicated artist who gives great attention to detail, and who takes personal pride in her professionally completed projects.

## EMPLOYMENT

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2006-current      Metropolitan Youth Arts & Technology Studios, MyARTS      Kansas City, MO  
*Visual Arts Studio Mentor and Team Lead Artist (In-Studio Manager)*

Planning and facilitating projects within the Visual Arts studios, including layout, design, and final execution of commissioned and personal pieces. Teaching young artists and apprentices skills and tools needed to perfect their art throughout projects. Collaborating on creative projects with other studio mentors, incorporating multimedia approaches to projects and pieces. Aiding the curator of MyARTS art shows and fundraisers. Acting as a positive role model and resource for participants/apprentices and other staff members. Supporting participants' academic, cultural and art interests. Recruitment of new apprentices and responsible for new apprentice acclimation to the MyARTS program. Responsible for planning and coordinating community activities and visiting community artists.

1999-2006      Kansas City Mentoring Initiative, KCMi      Kansas City, KS  
*Non-Profit Project Director and Program Developer/Facilitator/Poet in Residence/Community Literacy Specialist*

Project Developer and Head Instructor for literacy through poetry programs in Wyandotte County Public Schools. Poet In Residence for Wyandotte County School District, 2000-2002. Co-developer of literacy/poetry program for Wyandotte County students. Facilitated in the creation of annual Metropolitan area poetry and art magazine, *Urban Transcendence*, including layout and design. Dedicated to inspiring young people to use their creative voice. Fine-tuned student's writing capabilities and motivated students to become effective and strong performance poets. Co-Director of Urban Transcendence Poetry Performance, *Bringing the Heat*, 2005.

Project Developer/Head Instructor for Video Technology Programming. Responsible for implementing programming in Wyandotte County schools teaching young people fundamentals in development, acting techniques and editing short films and commercials 2003-2005. Instructor for media class held at Kansas City, Kansas Community College providing instruction and planning for student based cable television show, *Reality Check*, 2004-2006. Film director and editor of *Urban Transcendence Poetry Performances*, 2003-2005.

Facilitator of Visual Art Projects for Kansas University Medical Center, Health Careers Pathways Programs, providing summer internships to high-school students who wish to concentrate on careers in the sciences.

- Visual Artist responsible for organizational needs for computer design, display boards, photography, certificates, flyers, postcards and brochures.
- Artistic designer and web developer for youth poetry and video technology website as well as well developer for partnering organization, Storytellers Inc. (2002-2003)
- Multi-tasking and teamwork efforts with collaborative partners including facilitation of sensitivity training for youth workers and cultural and literacy training for district employees and volunteers.
- Grant writing and fundraising to help support ongoing programming within the organization.
- Project manager and coordinator, providing mentorship and positive role-modeling to high-school students working in after-school programs in the visual and literary arts.

## CONTRACTED ARTIST PROGRAMS

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2004-current                      Kansas City Friends of Alvin Ailey    Kansas City, MO  
*Creative Communications, Poetry Instructor/Art Instructor*

Poetry and Art instructor for annual Alvin Ailey youth camp in Kansas. Curriculum development and facilitation of poetry and art workshops for middle school students and acting poetry performance coach for closing presentation.

2002-2006                      Capoeira Beribazu Outreach Program    Kansas City, MO  
*Assistant Instructor/ Program Coordinator*

Assistant instructor and professional performer of the Afro-Brazilian cultural art of Capoeira in metropolitan area public schools, community centers, community colleges, youth group homes and detention centers. Responsible for all project coordination such as program contract negotiation, scheduling, presentations, grant writing, collaborative efforts with local non-profit groups and all administrative tasks including: marketing, advertising, art design and website design for the group. Coordinator for the Outreach program which helps to provide Capoeira internship programs for at-risk youth and connects local artists with domestic and international satellite groups. International performances, workshops and travel experience to Brazil, Canada, Jamaica, Hong Kong, and the United Kingdom.

2000-2006                      Storytellers Inc.    Kansas City, MO  
*Contracted Artist/ Facilitator*

Facilitator of visual arts programs in metropolitan area detention centers and alternative schools. Member of the Art Model team funded by the National Education Association for the development of creative arts implementation for public education, 2004-2006.

## CREATIVE DESIGN EXPERIENCE

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Proficient in Microsoft Office, Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, In Design, Premiere, Dreamweaver, Flash, Quicken Books, I-Movie and Final Cut Pro.

## EDUCATION

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University of Missouri, Kansas City	<i>English – Creative Writing</i>	Kansas City, Missouri
Federal University of Espirito Santo	<i>Capoeira Extension Program</i>	Vitoria, E.S., Brasil
Tulane University	<i>Liberal Arts</i>	New Orleans, Louisiana
Pembroke Hill School	<i>Liberal Arts</i>	Kansas City, Missouri

## REFERENCES

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Deana Bellamaganya	Manager, MyARTS Studios, (816) 985-0119
Marcia Pomeroy	Director, Kansas City Mentoring Initiative, KCMI, (816) 627-4351
Michael Toombs	Director, CEO, Storytellers Inc., (816) 678-8694