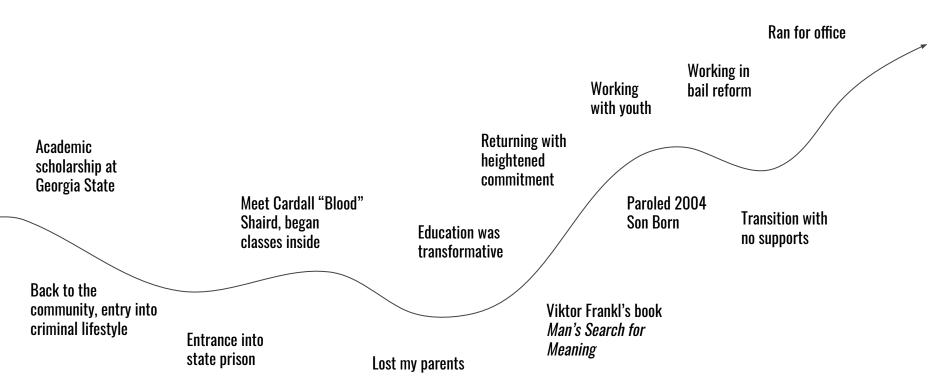
# **Nkosi Cain**

Detour-Exit 20



# **Personal story**

Legacy work



# Transitional growth period inside

- Finished college degrees/Starting to reflect
- Teaching college cultural studies classes and creating programs/you are worked on
- Confronting toxic masculinity/materialism as Identity/seeking popular Demand
- Deeper Understanding of self-Unpacking and Awakening
- A new purpose for life/To Whom Much is Given
- Told a friend to come to a class I was teaching his reaction was "you've changed"
- Deciding to be more, deserve more, and give myself the opportunity to be successful
- Understanding who I was as a man, obligations to family and community

## **Work since**

- Work on bail reform
- Training on criminal and social justice, restorative justice
- Advocacy, policy engagement
- Coalition building
- Organizational development, strategic mapping
- Running for office, judicial delegate
- Arts, Broadway Advocacy Coalition
- Teach-ins around the country



## **Enfranchised-55th District-2013**



Statement and Return Report for Certification

Primary Election 2013 - 09/10/2013 Kings County - Democratic Party

Democratic Alternate Delegate to the Judicial Convention 55th Assembly District Vote for 7

- Ran For Public Office after Being Disenfranchised
- Politics of Prison

## Nkosi-Salih 2 weeks Home. BPI-The Need



## **NYU Incarceration America**



# Finding where my body and story could best be used for systems change



# Layleen Polanco. Transgender Woman Died on Rikers as a result of bail (interview with ESSENCE)



#### **USD** - Restorative Justice Panel



# **Sharing a poem**

**Water For Chocolate** 

Darfur

**Underground railroroad**