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***Major Achievements and Strengths:***

* *January 2013 – July 2013:* Volunteering with Future Possibilities for Kids as a Kid Coach
* *March 2012-September 2012*: Completed CTI’s 5 core courses in Toronto, Ontario, and preparing to move into certification

* *May – July 2012:* Levels 1 and 2 Life Skills Certification Course at Fanshawe College
* *May 2012:* **Facilitated** 2 workshops (and **co-facilitated** one) for a workshop conference entitled SPARK, aimed at empowering youth
* *March 2012:* Participant in intensive workshop of personal and professional growth, entitled “The Bigger Game” [www.biggergame.com](http://www.biggergame.com)
* *October 2011:* Graduated with a 4yr B.A. from Western University – Major in Social Justice & Peace Studies and Minor in Political Science
* *May-June 2011:* **Community development** in New Orleans, LA working with numerous local community initiatives to rebuild after Hurricanes Katrina and Rita
* *May 2011:* Assisted in the **organization** of SPARK!, a social justice oriented workshop conference of 600 local high school students and 60 workshop facilitators, London Ont.
* *May 2011:* **Co-facilitated** a youth workshop for SPARK!, geared to empower youth to live truthfully, courageously, and confidently, titled, *Believing in YOU!*
* *November 2010, 2011:* **Leadership role** on the **organizing team** that facilitated a Canadian Delegation of 60-100 students in an activist experiential learning opportunity at the SOAWatch demonstration in Fort Benning, Georgia
* *January-March 2006*: 3-month tour in the UK with *The Young Americans,* **teaching** life skills through music (singing, acting, dancing) to students aged 4-20
* *September-November 2005*: 3-month tour through the East Coast States with *The Young Americans*, a performing arts organization affiliated with the California Pacific College of Performing Arts; **teaching** life skills through music
* *January-April 2005:* Worked weekly with “At Risk” youth from diverse cultural backgrounds in Southern California, in a homeless shelter, an underprivileged school, and in a prison, where we would **facilitate youth empowerment** and positive change through music and performance and mutual support
* *May 2004:* **Created, directed, and performed** in the benefit concert, *Art & Soul,* a youth initiative that raised over $6000 for those suffering with AIDS both locally and internationally

***Education:***

**King’s University College, UWO**

Bachelor of Arts (October 2011)

Major in Social Justice and Peace Studies

Minor in Political Science

Dean’s Honour List

**California Pacific College of Performing Arts**

Corona, California

Certificate (2006)

Focus on Teaching and Performance

**H.B. Beal Secondary School**

London, ON

Diploma (2004)

Graduated with Honours and as a recognized Ontario Scholar

***Current/Recent Work: (London, ON)***

* February 2008-Present - Enthusiastic Server at Under the Volcano (Mexican cuisine)
* August 2012-Present - Server at Auberge du Petite Prince (French cuisine)
* November 2011-May 2012 - Research Assistant for Susan Morel, under The Coaching Room (consultant arm)
* December 2011-May 2012 - Administrative Organizer at Link Advertising Inc.
* September 2011-July 2012– Property Manager/Landlord for Mohamed Abdelkader

***“Drop a pebble in the water: in a minute you forget,***

***But there's little waves a-flowing and there's ripples circling yet,***

***And those little waves a-flowing to a great big wave have grown.***

***You've disturbed a mighty river just by dropping in a stone.”***

***~ James W. Foley ~***