



CHRISTIANA CASTILLO

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WORK HISTORY

SEP
2018

ALTERNATIVES FOR GIRLS

Youth Services Coordinator | Sep 2018 - Present

- Act as an adocate for girls on school, community, interpersonal, and family issues
- Develop, coordinate, and implement developmentally appropriate activities and workshops for young women
- Document and update information for grant use

NOV
2017

INSIDEOUT LITERARY ARTS PROJECT

Teaching Artist | Nov 2017 - Present

- Develop and teach engaging writing workshops that value student's voices in the writing process
- Respond to student writing and assist students in revising their work for publication
- Transcribe and format student work for a professionally printed school publication

MAY
2016

HAMTRAMCK ODYSSEY PROGRAM FOR EXCELLENCE

Activity Leader | May 2016 - Aug 2018

- Created various lesson plans to empower students academically, emotionally and physically
- Tutored students and served as a positive role model
- Engaged students through enrichment and recreational activities after school hours

JUN
2017

KEEP GROWING DETROIT

Urban Garden Associate | Jun 2017 - Sep 2017

- Provided participating early childhood center gardens with basic gardening support, including planning guidance and hands-on technical assistance
- Assisted early childhood garden sites with curriculum and activity support, including training parents and teachers on age-appropriate garden activities
- Coordinated outreach and engagement activities with early childhood centers connecting them to resources

JAN
2017

WAYNE STATE CENTER FOR PEACE AND CONFLICT STUDIES

Student Assistant | Jan 2017 - Aug 2017

- Curated peace and conflict oriented lesson plans for partners of CPCS
- Researched, created and posted content to the CPCS website
- Received the National Campus Compact Mini Grant to institute a fifteen-week peace education program "Peace Culture" to fifty diverse students at Dickinson East Elementary School

EDUCATION

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY

Detroit, MI

Bachelor of Liberal Arts | Dec 2017
Majors: English
Peace & Conflict Studies

MERCY HIGH SCHOOL

Farmington Hills, MI

High School Diploma | May 2013
College Preparatory School

CERTIFICATIONS

META PEACE TEAM

Completed an 8 hour training on violence deescalation & bystander intervention

URBAN ROOTS PROGRAM

Completed a 9 week community garden leadership training program via Keep Growing Detroit

FIRST AID AND CPR

Certified through the Emergency Care & Safety Institute

VOLUNTEER

KEEP GROWING DETROIT

Weekly Volunteer | 2016 Grow Season

MICHIGAN COALITION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS

Board Member | Jun 2017 - Present

PAX CHRISTI MICHIGAN

Young Peacemaker Award Honoree | 2018

SKILLS

SOCIAL MEDIA

MS OFFICE

WRITING

SPANISH

CONFLICT RESOLUTION