

*How the Commonwealth mentorship Improve me as a Writer.*

My mentor would give me useful articles and assignments as a way to enhance my knowledge.

One of my issues was that I did not normally edit my work and so my mentor, Kathy Sinclair began editing my work, showed me my errors and how I could improve. Also, I realized from the articles that I was not expressing myself enough with imageries and concrete words. This is to say that I would write beauty but that is abstract, because what is beauty? If I however I wrote that, like the uncut diamond, raw and glistening. You might get a sense of natural aura.

So with the knowledge and practice I saw my work improved and I became empowered to do more research. She also advised me that I was better suited for the spoken word Performance/dub poetry. Somewhat I agree but I believe with time and practice I will deliver well. For now I just keep writing, practice performing and editing.

Being a writer is not just writing as it is a holistic being that is to be spiritually aligned. From my interactions with the other mentees as I observe there youth services and passion I am empowered by them. You can learn so much from observation as my interaction with Kathy Sinclair to see her now as a City Councilor I can say it is a pleasure and honour to connect with her. What I have garner is a worthwhile experience that will impact my life and others forever.

So from opportunities, interaction, writing, editing, friendship, character observation led to me being improved as a writer and Human being. This is a great program and I hope that it will continue and that it will improve so that it can help young women to achieve their dreams and become a foundation for sustainable development. I wish to take the opportunity to say I am grateful and honoured to be a part and I wish to say thank you to the organizers, mentors, sponsors, organizations, mentees and the Commonwealth committee.