

Cory Seals

Artist & Organizer

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Skills

- Research design
- Program Design
- Schedule Management
- Verbal & Written Communication
- Venue Inquiry
- Talent Casting
- Budgeting
- Database Management
- Administrative Tasks
- Brand Consulting
- Proficient in Google Workspace
- Extensive nightclub and private event security experience
- Good expertise in VIP security
- Strong familiarity with celebrity security devices
- High multitasking skills
- Excellent ability to work independently with little to no direction
- Outstanding skills in recognizing and resolving issues

Certification

- RAMP - Server/Seller Training
JAN 2022

Education

Adept individual with 5 years in organizing programming & events geared towards black youth in subjects including cultural enrichment, peer mentorship, arts advocacy, financial literacy, entrepreneurship, community service, African American history, and activism. Detailed and experienced in building community spaces for art practice, providing solidarity and empowerment for queer bipoc people.

Work Experience

University of the Arts / MFA Teacher's Assistant

JUN 2023 - JUL 2023, MONTPPELLIER, FR

Assistant for Thomas F. DeFrantz, leadership for Dance MFA program and professor in Critical Dance Studies, during the Summer Residency term in Montpellier, FR. Duties included maintaining records on student assignments, managing academic and private schedules, main point of contact for students, and program design for a week-long symposium.

Strength To Love / Executive Producer & Director

MAR 2021 - OCT 2021, PHILADELPHIA, PA

Developed concepts and imaging for the campaign, hired and managed a team of 9 collaborators & 5 artists, and developed & maintained a budget of \$25k. Directed music video for single and mini-doc for campaign. IG: @strength2love | Site: strength2love.org

Session No.1 / Co-Founder & Event Coordinator

AUG 2019 - AUG 2020, PHILADELPHIA, PA

Organized 7 live events for upcoming artists & musicians in Philadelphia. Duties included venue inquiry, production management, brand consulting, and public relations. IG: @sessionno.1

University of the Arts / Bachelor of Fine Art

Vocal Performance / GPA: 3.7

AUG 2018 - MAY 2022, PHILADELPHIA, PA

Coursework in Art History including Jazz History, Experimental Music History, African American Art, Hip Hop Theory & Practice, Revolutions in Performance Design & Contemporary Art Practices, and graduate level Critical Dance Studies.

Coursework in Music Business including Music Business I, Intro to Business & Business for Creative Economy

Recipient of President's Award for Interdisciplinary Excellence, Vocal Crossover, Rising Star & Inclusive Excellence as a student leader

Elected President of the African Diaspora Collective '19-'22

Selected as Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Fellow for the School of Music '20-'22

