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'mama said a story.teller is a gate.keeper. I am the keeper of
gates and herstories'

hair: black / **eyes:** brown **equity** **trilingual:**
jamaica nation language
height: 5'6" / **weight:** 125 lbs **actra** english
/ spanish

theatre:

blood.claat one.womban show theatre passé
muraille
'da kink in my hair stacey-anne/claurette san diego rep
theatre
'da kink in my hair stacey-anne/claurette princess of
wales theatre
organ-eye-zed crime mudgu/sankofa/hybrid buddies...bad times
theatre
anowa badua artword theatre
stuck womban black theatre workshop
mtl
yagayah mary black theatre workshop
3 parts harmony body tarragon theatre
girls in their sunday dresses mime artword theatre

film and television:

blood.dub.and the matriarch documentary leda serene films
blood documentary jusiblood
productions
playwrights & screenwriters playwright/actor bravo television
lord have mercy series regular/crystal leda serene films
spin off dub poet cbc
artspots dub poet cbc
zed tv dub poet cbc
cuerda viva dub poet cuba vision television
chocolate city lead/sonia independent film

live performances:

3rd international dub poetry festival '05 toronto
vancouver folk fest '05 jericho beach park /
vancouver
25th calgary folk music fest '04 prince's island
park / calgary
2nd international dub poetry festival '04 gladstone hotel /
rivoli
10th annual international hip hop festival '04 havana cuba
suoni per il del popolo jazz festival '04 & '05 la sala rosa
/ montreal
dub poetry series '04 kingston jamaica.
womben's comedy festival '04 bluma appel theatre
1st 2nd and 3rd international reggae festival '02, '03, 04 havana cuba
hbo def poetry jam lll '03 broadway / new york
city

special skills:

performance poetry / dancing / dialects and accents

awards:

soulpepper academy '06 / harold theatre award '05 / summerworks best
actor award '04 (blood.claat) / dora best actor nomination '04 ('da kink

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in my hair) / best storytelling actor & dub poet '04 (now magazine) /
canada council spoken word grant '01 & '03 / ontario arts council artist-
educator grant '04 / ontario arts council writers' reserve grant '03 &
'04.