

Lisa Davidson's VOLUNTEER OVERVIEW - SUPPLEMENTAL

A firm believer in community improvement, I have comprehensive volunteer experience in addition to my professional history. I have offered writing workshops to young adults with challenges (C.A.R.E. Centre, St. Lucia) as well as criminally insane adults (Napa, CA), and unemployed young people seeking resume advice (Seattle, WA; St. Lucia, West Indies; Heber City, UT).

I mentored young people with abused mothers at Seattle's Broadview Emergency Shelter, comforted cocaine-addicted infants, and later served as a volunteer Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) to make legal recommendations in the best interest of the children in domestic disputes.

I have provided free advertising and services to groups ranging from Seattle's El Centro de la Rasa and Seattle's MS Society to St. Lucia's Cocoa Cooperative (working toward agricultural diversification). In San Diego, I participated in the training for the READ Program, a program promoting adult literacy.

At the University of Hawaii, I was a Colloquium Committee Representative, instrumental in obtaining gift packages and welcomes for the visiting writers. More recently I taught several ESL classes for adults and then a month-long poetry workshop at IHS in Honolulu.