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To Whom It May Concern:

I write with great enthusiasm in support of Kelley Nicole Purcell and Shaunelle Curry's Shattered Glass Show. I currently serve as the Cross Cultural Coordinator at California State University, Monterey Bay (CSUMB) and plan multiple events throughout the year where we invite performers, speakers, and trainers to enrich our campus community on issues around diversity and social justice. I had the pleasure of working with Kelley and Shaunelle when they visited CSUMB in Spring 2013 for a workshop and performance. I have had the opportunity to closely observe Shattered Glass from pre-show logistics, execution, and post-show evaluation. I have outlined the following to exemplify Kelley and Shaunelle's qualifications as educational partners and performers!

### **Professionalism**

I first became aware of Shattered Glass when one of my students found their website and was insistent on bringing this multimedia, womyn's empowerment duo to our campus. We had several introductory meetings where Kelley and Shaunelle spent time with us to share the concept of their workshop and performance. I was immediately impressed by their student-centeredness and conscious effort to work with my student as a valid partner in the process.

After inviting Shattered Glass to our campus for the Spring, I worked with Kelley and Shaunelle's agent House to finalize logistics and paperwork. This process went smoothly and effortlessly. House was timely in her communication and responded with all of the necessary documents without hassle.

At one point, Kelley and Shaunelle had to reschedule their visit because of an unexpected medical emergency. Kelley informed me immediately and worked flexibly with me in determining a new date and parameters. They even adapted the layout of their workshop and show to fit it into one day



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to accommodate CSU Monterey Bay's busy calendar. Overall, I was impressed by the entire Shattered Glass team's level of professionalism!

### **Passion**

Kelley and Shaunelle brought their full selves into their roles as educators and performers, and their passionate energy was undeniable. After the workshop and show, my students raved about Shattered Glass. They loved Kelley and Shaunelle's passion and shared about how inspired they were by the Shattered Glass show's message. Kelley and Shaunelle's relatability to students pre and post show also demonstrated how much they truly cared about connecting to students as people and not merely as paid performers.

### **Quality**

The Shattered Glass workshop was well thought out and presented. Kelley and Shaunelle took an interdisciplinary, multimedia approach to interacting with students that made the workshop refreshing and engaging. Additionally, Kelley and Shaunelle are both naturally talented as performers, which elevated the level of both the workshop and performance.

In conclusion, Kelley and Shaunelle is an outstanding team, and I can assuredly say that they will significantly contribute to your campus/organization with their show, energy, and message. I give Shattered Glass my highest recommendations and support. If you have further questions, please contact me at [rzhang@csumb.edu](mailto:rzhang@csumb.edu) or 831.582.4676.

Sincerely,

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