

**Kwabena Bediako, MA**  
**Tutor, English**  
**Learning Commons**



Kwabena Bediako was born in England and raised in Ghana. He is an avid reader and a self-published poet and novelist. Kwabena's passion is to share knowledge with other creatives and help publish their art and stories. Kwabena shares his stories of hope and transformation. He parades the message of a positive mental attitude towards and giving back to the community. Kwabena holds a Graduate degree in English Literature from Cleveland State University.

**Speech Topics and Presentation Summaries**

**Self-Improvement:** Kwabena believes in self-improvement and being self-driven to fulfil purpose and exploring our God given talents. He has a wealth of experience as an immigrant doing menial labor to pursuing his dream of becoming an English Professor.

**Creative Arts:** Kwabena is passionate about creative arts. He believes that purpose can be fulfilled through creative arts. Kwabena has designed African jewelry for Novica under the auspices of National Geographic. He has self-published numerous poetry books, a novel, a short-story and has helped other creatives publish their books. He brings out a decade of experience of turning your creative arts into income.

**Professional Development:** Kwabena believes in professional development and building your brand as an individual professionally. He shares his story of being born in England, raised in Ghana and transitioning to an American where he started with menial jobs to obtaining his Masters in English and working towards starting his Ph.D. in English. He has a wealth of experience of developing yourself professionally.

**Leadership:** Kwabena believes in servant leadership. Whereby Kwabena depicts leaders as a privilege to serve the community and others. For Kwabena leadership is lifting others up and bringing out the best out of people. A leader creates room for others to grow.

**Cuyahoga Community College:** Kwabena believes that Cuyahoga Community College is a beacon of knowledge and should be promoted. The world needs to know the great impartation of knowledge the College pours into the community through Academia. For Kwabena Cuyahoga Community College should be encouraged to continue its great work to the community.