

## My Expression of Gratitude for Dr. La Francis Rodgers-Rose

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I cannot express enough gratitude to you, Dr. La Frances Rodgers-Rose, for how much you have taught me in the classroom, during the two trips to Africa you led, and even today. Thank you for initiating at Drew University study abroad in Africa—allowing me to travel across Senegal, as well as to Egypt with you. You were truly a great professor who used personal experiences to encourage students to learn and be their best. You were also truly an inspiration to me.

Upon completion of my BA degree in economics at Drew University, I obtained my Master's in African American Studies from Yale University. Thereafter, I attended Seton Hall University School of Law.

***Most recently I founded a non-profit, Junior Wallstreeters, Inc. Similar to your organization, International Black Women's Congress (IBWC), Junior Wallstreeters, Inc is dedicated to uplifting and advancing the African American Community. Your dedication to helping the African American community through teaching and mentoring continues to have a profound impact on me.***

Even today, I still enjoy our conversations when we occasionally get a chance to speak about different issues affecting the African American community and how we can make a difference.

***I cannot overstate how humbled I am to have been a student of yours. Thank you, Dr. La Francis Rodgers-Rose, most of all, for furthering my drive to make a positive impact on the world, which is eloquently exhibited by the life you live every day.***



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