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Hey Professor Thomas!

I hope everything's well with you!

First things first, my degree came in the mail as of yesterday and **YOUR GIRL IS OFFICIALLY OFFICIAL! HA! :-)**

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projects department. We mainly work on live/recorded shows such as the Awards shows, Black Girls Rock, BET Honors, etc.

Right now, I'm working on Joyful Noise which is the new Bobby Jones Gospel essentially. I also helped with the 106&Park Pre-Show for the BET Awards. My supervisors are all in LA at the awards now ***rolls eyes*** lol but I'm holding down the office here.

I'm at the headquarters right off New York Ave and it's so crazy cause this office is **HUGE** but there's **NOOOO ONE** here! Like there are at least 100 cubicles on each floor and I'm one of six women who work in production. The news is that BET is trying to move headquarters to either their NYC or LA locations. Both of those are perfectly fine with me :)

So the possibility of me moving to either of those cities within the next two years is very very high ***woop woop***

But anyways, back to the job. So I had no idea that production did like everything pretty much. I call the vendors who provide the equipment and get quotes from them for their services. To make a long process short, I basically control who is providing what, when they're providing it, and how they're getting paid. I also just assist with whatever else needs to be done of course. This can range from filling out BALAs (Business and legal agreements between vendors and BET) and filling out start paperwork for freelance hires for the production.

This is all pre-production of course.

I'll be working the actual production of Joyful Noise as well, with all your favorite gospel singers in attendance. So I'm excited to see how different the job is from the office to the studio. That'll be fun and happens at the end of July/early August. In just two weeks, we're filming 18 shows (RIP to sleep lol).

But yeah, that's pretty much it. As you can see, I'm too official with the email signature, I was hype lol.

But I hope you're enjoying your time away from the classroom and I want to thank you for every single little thing that you instilled in me and every piece of knowledge that you directly or even indirectly planted in my memory forever.

You're a true gem to the School of C and I'll never let you (or anyone else) forget it!

THANKS FOR EVERYTHING JT! (P.S. can I call you that now? lol)

Sincerely,

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