Career History

Performer: Egyptian Belly dance (a.k.a. Naima) Various events June 2002 to present

Cabaret dancing and using props: cymbals, veils, cane, sword and candelabra. Performed at birthday parties, weddings, bridal showers, corporate events and special events. Member of Canadian Alliance of Dance Artist (CADA). Website: <a href="www.naima.netfirms.com">www.naima.netfirms.com</a>. Some events: Brown's shoes fashion show 2005, National Women's day 2004/05, York University multicultural week 2004/05, U of T Festival of Dance 2004/05, Evolution: theatrical production (www.evolution2006.ca), Street Eats: Morocco episode for 2007 (TV spot)

Performer: Brazilian Samba

Rio Samba Divas

October 2004 to present

Crazy, high energy performances with a touch of Las Vegas. We perform in groups of 2 to 12 girls. Regularly performing at Brazilian or Brazilian inspired restaurants, corporate events, weddings, etc. Latest public show: Multicultural showcase at CNE International Pavilion 2006.

Fitness Dance Instructor

Various locations

September 2002 to present

Teaching Belly dance (Level 1, 2 and 3) and Brazilian Samba classes as an alternative fitness workout to a group of ladies ranging from 10 to 65 years old. Designing 6 week sessions and workshops that provide you a sample of the excitement and fun ways to enjoy your workout. Students are given personal attention to their ability. Companies: Bally's Total Fitness, Adrenaline Fitness, Premiere Fitness, U of T Dance Club and Burnhamthorpe C. C.

**Promotions** 

Various companies

May 2003 to present

Represented companies on different promotional, event and experiential campaigns. Many different roles as Customer Service, Hostess, Brand Ambassador, Spokes person and Model. Handing out samples to create a buzz about a new product or to bring attention to an old product. Providing the public with more information on the product or service. Hostess for events to keep the energy positive and fun.

Skills in operating: Segways, Seadoo, pleasure craft operating card

Smart serve

Clients: Bell ExpressVu, Molson, Jagermeister, RemyRed, Imperial Tobacco, Woodbine Racetrack, Motorola, Reitmen's, Cover girl, General Mills, Dove, Petro Canada for the Auto show, etc.