

# Skye Pugh

## *Teaching Artist-Instructor*

Skye Pugh is a multidisciplinary artist from Long Beach, California, currently based out of Atlanta, Georgia. A graduate from the Illustrious Clark Atlanta University. She interweaves her love for Teaching, Film, Theatre, Poetry, Music, and Black Politics, to be a voice and create a platform for Black Artists and Black Entrepreneurs.

From stage, to screen, to the classroom, Skye can be found on multiple platforms showcasing her acting abilities. Some of her theatrical and film credits include: Because I Love You (written by Joshua Cliat), Yellowman (directed by Johnathan Kitt), The Bluest Eye (directed by Eric J. Little), and A Night in Harlem (directed by Tati Gabrielle).

Skye Pugh is also a trained dancer and spoken word artist. Skye was trained at (PISE) Positive Images of Self Expression (under the direction of Imani Harris). She has worked with numerous spoken word artists including Sabreen Speaks, Marcus Tabb, Derrick Robertson and more. In addition, She received Clark Atlanta University's Best Actress of the Year Award in (2017).

Skye Pugh was inducted into the Theater Honors Society, Alpha Psi Omega, in (2017).

Skye Pugh was also a 6th grade teacher for 3 years and she has now moved on up to teaching high school. Skye Pugh hosted her first community event this past Juneteenth at Creative Spaces on Edgewood Ave, in which she had a day party that celebrated Black Artists, Black Entrepreneurship and Black Fathers. The event consisted of 5 Black-owned vendors selling their own products, a live band, and more than 20 Black artists performed.

The event was also free to the public.

Skye's the limit is her motto. Skye is Bridging the gap between black artistry and mainstream media one step at a time; While also being a teacher and role model to the next generation of creatives.