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UJAA'S MARCH 2023 FEATURE ON WOMEN IN THE UJAA FAMILY WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH 2023

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Alumni Member Association Affiliation/Reference:

Please provide the following information of Interest

Job or Interest or Hobby: Travel

Why this choice: I am fascinated with learning about different cultures.

How long have you been doing this: All my life!

How did this interest come about: My parents loved taking my sister and I to different places to experience the culture, good food and music.

What is great about it: Seeing that while each place and culture is different, they are also very similar in their love of art, dance, music, and food.

What is not so great about it: Due to politics traveling is becoming more difficult, but it adds another layer of complexity to what you can learn about a country.

Additional remarks or information: My favorite countries to visit are Columbia and Jamaica.

The Marketing & Public Relations and Membership Committees thank you for taking the time to respond to- UJAA'S March 2023 Women's Feature.

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