Original Work Proposal

Domestic violence and human trafficking are some of the most frequent and underreported occurrences in the world every day. In the United States, on average 20 people are physically abused by a partner every minute, equating to more than 10 million men and women every year in the country, according to the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence. Additionally, because of family gender roles and the lessened confidence that comes along with being a refugee or immigrant, the cases with immigrants are even more underreported and severe. Even with the vast number of annual cases against domestic violence and human trafficking, though, there is not a full comprehensive analysis of the most common occurrences of domestic violence from different cultures and an evaluation of possible reasons behind it. My proposal is to create a fully encompassing set of data that analyzes multiple domestic violence and human trafficking possibilities in altered legal situations and to compile statistics on how the different outcomes will affect the victim including the most effective ways to prevent the silence of domestic violence globally. With this information I would like to compile an extensive written up research paper, or a booklet or pamphlet that encompasses all of this information.

Through researching different countries and their statistics on human trafficking and domestic violence I will be able to develop a thorough data set. By synthesizing the information I have gotten from my mentor visit experiences and statistics that have already been collected and organized through various research studies, I will be able to create a pamphlet or infograph that compiles a variety of different data on domestic violence across the world. With this information, I will be able to create an extensive assessment of how domestic violence develops culturally in a society and additionally creates some possible solutions and steps on how to fix the widespread problem of domestic violence from the foundation up.

I will certainly need to be able to utilize higher-level thinking when analyzing this data, because in order to make sure all of the different factors that I will be taking into

account are properly recognized and considered, I will have to be able to thoroughly research and consider a multitude of different possibilities and reasons why domestic violence continues to occur in a variety of different ways for many reasons. I will really need to be able to use logic and thinking outside of the box to assess every solution to the fullest extent to create the most comprehensive original work.

Through this original work project, I hope to bring some light to the terrible occurrence of domestic violence. Topics of law that work with people directly are so unique because often times the crudeness of the actual law takes away the human nature in some cases, based on the previous research I've done. With this work, however, I really hope that I will be able to create a widely encompassing study on how a variety of factors that change public interest law cases alter outcomes in lives, and relate the matters of public interest law back to the foundational reason these problems are occurring, to brainstorm small steps to fix them altogether.