

Kelly Green

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OBJECTIVE: My goal is to help others gain a greater understanding and appreciation of jazz and culture and to inspire others with my music.

EDUCATION

2014 Masters in Music Performance- Jazz Studies, William Paterson University
2012 Bachelors in Music Performance–Jazz Studies, University of North Florida
2008 Lake Brantley High School

PRIVATE STUDIES

2019 Kenny Barron, Private Piano Lessons, NYC
2017 Shelton Becton, Private Vocal Lessons, NYC
2013-2014 James Weidman, William Paterson University (Jazz Piano)
2012-2013 Harold Mabern William Paterson University (Jazz Piano)
2008-2012 Lynne Arriale, University of North Florida (Jazz Piano)
2008-2012 Michelle Amato, University of North Florida (Voice)
2004-2006 Jim Roberts (Jazz Piano)
1997-2003 Private classical piano lessons with various teachers in Orlando, Florida.

PERFORMING/TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2006-2008 Assistant director, Lake Brantley High School Chorus
2008 Released album of 12 original compositions, “*Aspire*”
2008-2012 Jazz Combos and Big Band, University of North Florida
2011-2012 Pianist/vocalist Rhett's Piano Bar, St. Augustine, FL
2010-2012 Leader of Jazz Trio at Ponte Vedra Lodge and Club
2009-2012 Fusion Concert Series, Jacksonville Symphony Orchestra
2010-2012 Professor at the University of North Florida Music Camps
2009-2010 UNF Presidential Trio
2004-2015 Private Piano Studio—classical and jazz
2012-2015 Private Voice and Piano Lessons- Morris Music Academy - Rutherford Music
2013 Professor at the Start the Music Camp
2013-2018 Faculty at the William Paterson Summer Jazz Workshop and Jazz House Kids Summer Jazz Workshop
2013 Opening act on the Jazz Room Series at William Paterson for the Count Basie Orchestra, Joe Lovano, and Joanne Brackeen & Greg Osby
2013-2014 Pianist in the William Paterson Big Band- Performed with guest artists Jimmy Heath and Steve Nelson
2014 Tour of Colombia, South America with the William Paterson University Jazz Quartet featuring Tim Newman teaching at two jazz workshops and performances in Medellín, Pereira, and Manizales
2014-2017 Accompanist for the Jazz House Kids Vocal Ensemble
2015-2017 Performed at Blue Note, Dizzy's Club Coca Cola, Jazz Standard the Apollo

Theater, Smalls, Mezzrow, Minton's, Fat Cat and many other venues including weekly performances at Rue B and Jam session host/weekly performances at Cleopatra's Needle in New York City

2015-2017 Teaching Artist Jazz House Kids Outreach Program - Essex High School, Park Ave School and Rosa Parks School

2016-2022 Teaching Artist at Jazz House Kids

2018 Toured San Francisco, Colombia, Florida, and the New York tri-state area with the Kelly Green Trio

2019 Continued weekly performances at The Flatiron Room and Fine & Rare.

Performed at the Kennedy Center for the DC Jazz Festival with the Kelly Green Trio.

Toured Greece, Spain, Copenhagen, and Paris

York College Performance and Masterclass with Kelly Green Trio

2020 Semi-finalist in the DC Jazz Prix with the Kelly Green Trio

2021 Tour with Kelly Green Trio plus Vernau Mier in the Catalonia region of Spain

2020-2022 Opened Green Soul Studios in Queens, NY where Green Soul Duo (Luca Soul and Kelly Green) host an underground performance series, recording and video sessions, and photoshoots. Teaching in private studio.

RECORDINGS

2017 "Life Rearranged" (self release)

2018 Kelly Green Trio "Volume One" (self release)

2019 "The Rhythms Continue" - TK Blue

2020 "Nature's Suite" (self release)

2022 "Endings That Are Beginnings" (Green Soul Studios)

HONORS

2011 Generation Next Youth Talent Competition Winner, Jacksonville Jazz Festival

2010-2012 Outstanding musician award winner – University of North Florida

2012 Graduated Summa Cum Laude – University of North Florida

2014 Graduated Summa Cum Laude – William Paterson University

2014 Graduate Music Scholar Award Recipient

2018 Top 50 Albums of 2018 for "Life Rearranged" - Scott Yanow - LA Jazz Scene

COMPUTER SKILLS

Powerpoint, Excel, Word,

Sibelius, Finale, ProTools, Notion, Logic Pro

REFERENCES

Steve Wilson wilsonian61@gmail.com

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