ROSS CARLINO GUITARIST / MUSICIAN

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PROFILE

An accomplished musician with over 8 years professional experience in performance and managerial-based roles.

As Band Master on one of the largest cruise lines in the world, I formed and organised bands to work professionally as self-employed musicians for intimate gigs or large crowds each night. Performing myself as reading guitarist in a variety of showbands on board.

More recently, my performances have been based on land. Notably, with a residency at the Shard in London and a variety of high-end venues as part of an acoustic duo. I also continue to mentor other musicians as Band Leader for a function band that performs across the South West. My responsibilities vary from guitarist to coaching new hires through rehearsals onto professional performances.

A studio near Exeter is my latest endeavour and I hope to continue to support artists by providing a space to record and rehearse in Devon, available myself for tutorage or guidance.

EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS

Bath Spa University BA (Hons) Music

Exeter Academy of Music and Sound FD Music Performance

South Devon College Level 3 National Diploma in Music Technology

Modules include: Music Production Techniques, Sequencing Systems and Techniques, Sound Creation and Manipulation, Acoustics for Musicians, The Music Freelance World, The Sound and Music Industry, Multi-Track Mixing Skills, Audio Effects Processors in Music Production

Additional modules: NCFE Level 2 Creative Craft Using Music Composition and OCR Level 2 National First Award in ICT Skills for Business

Grade 8 Guitar – Distinction (RGT)

Grade 5 Music Theory (ABRSM)

SKILLS & OTHER CERTIFICATIONS

Skilled at playing acoustic and electric guitars, with experience playing nylon string and electric bass guitar. Experienced using in-ear monitors and click-tracks whilst performing for large audiences, as well as often providing backing vocals and harmonies. Strong sight reader, skilled improviser and fast learner over a wide variety of musical styles. Creative song writer with understanding around composition, audio mixing and production. DBS Checked, PEME MEDICAL, Full Driving license + Car, U.K. Passport.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

| THE SHARD | GUITARIST | RESIDENT DUO | INDIGO ACOUSTIC DUO | 2023 - PRESENT |
|-----------------------|--|-----------------------------|--|----------------|
| GARY PARKS MUSIC LTD. | BAND LEADER/GUITARIST | FUNCTION BAND | VARIOUS | 2017 - PRESENT |
| CRUISE SHIP | BAND MASTER/ GUITARIST/BAND LEADER | SHOWBAND | NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE | 2023 - 2024 |
| CRUISE SHIP | GUITARIST | RESIDENT TRIO | SEABOURN | 2022/2023 |
| CRUISE SHIP | GUITARIST/BAND LEADER | RESIDENT TRIO | FRED OLSEN CRUISE LINE | 2022 |
| CRUISE SHIP | GUITARIST/BAND LEADER | RESIDENT BAND | NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE | 2022 |
| CRUISE SHIP | GUITARIST/BAND LEADER | SHOW BAND & RESIDENT DUO | TUI MARELLA CRUISES | 2021 - 2022 |
| CRUISE SHIP | GUITARIST | RESIDENT BAND | HOLLAND AMERICA CRUISE LINE | 2020 |
| CRUISE SHIP | GUITARIST | SHOW BAND & RESIDENT DUO | TUI MARELLA CRUISES | 2018 - 2019 |
| CRUISE SHIP | GUITARIST | RESIDENT BAND | FRED OLSON CRUISE LINE | 2017 - 18 |
| CRUISE SHIP | GUITARIST | RESIDENT BAND | P&O AUSTRALIA CRUISE LINE | 2016 - 2017 |
| CRUISE SHIP | GUITARIST | RESIDENT BAND | P&O FERRIES | 2016 - 2017 |
| THEATRE | GUITARIST | SHOW BAND | BATH SPA UNIVERSITY PERFORMING IN LONDON | 2015 |
| HOLIDAY CAMP | GUITARIST | SHOW BAND | BEVERLY PARK | 2012 |

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