

Arland Gilliam, Jr.
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PERFORMANCE BACKGROUND:

1981 - Present

Freelance bassist, Orchestrator and Arranger

Musical Director, arranger and orchestrator for Kristy Lee Royal and Royal Talent Productions, 2007.

Musical Director for the show "Jukebox Live" featuring Adrian Zmed at the Tropicana Casino Hotel, 2007

Bassist/Vocalist for South Jersey wedding band "Central Park", 2005-2007

Musical Director, bassist and vocalist for Stephen Sorrentino at the Hilton Casino Hotel in Atlantic City, New Jersey, 2006.

Musical Director, staff bassist and vocalist for "Legends In Concert" production show at Bally's Casino and Claridge Casino in Atlantic City, New Jersey from 1993 to 2005.

As freelance sideman with: Johnny Porazzo, Kathy Wilson, Lori Dobson, Melissa Marshall, Gina Roché, Rita Stafford, Jay Stollman, Melanie Rice, Diana Wilson, Julie Grant, Artie Schroeck, Laura Taylor, M & M Band, Valerie Marini, Valerie Ford, Kristina Wheeler, Musical Director for Dee Dee Sharp, All casinos in Atlantic City New Jersey.

Staff bassist & vocalist for "Jubilation". production show at Trumps Taj Mahal Casino, 1992. Acts supported included: Greg Bonham, Paul Christopher, Jim Bailey, Mara Getz, Finis Henderson, Fielding West, John Joseph, Ron Pearson, Sergio Albertti, Arvis Smith, Rusty Davis.

Staff bassist for "That's Comedy", production show at Trumps Taj Mahal Casino, 1991. Acts supported include: Pudgy, Loretta Holloway, Finis Henderson, Johnny Dark, Denise Clemente, The Blues Brothers.

Freelance bassist for Atlantic City Casinos. As sideman with lounge band Taboo, 1990

Staff bassist with "Rip Roarin", production show at Resorts International Casino Hotel, featuring Rip Taylor. Acts supported include: Rip Taylor, Jerry Van Dyke, Phyllis Diller, The Bogis Bros., 1989.

Sideman with R&B Group True Colours. Freelance bassist for A.C. Casinos 1987-1988.

Staff bassist and vocalist with "Wild", production show at Resorts International Hotel Casino, 1985 - 1986.

Staff bassist and vocalist with "Heat Wave", production show at Resorts International, 1984 - 1985.

Sideman with show group Jamie Morad & The All star Revue, 1982 - 1983 - 1984.

Sideman with Fred Battle show group, 1982.

Sideman with Pat Mills show group, 1981 - 1982.

SPECIAL SKILLS:

Lead and Background vocals

Arrangement and coaching of background vocals

Orchestration and Arrangement of music for all instruments

Creating of sequenced tracks of music and vocals for various musical situations

EDUCATION:

1977 - 1980

Hampton Institute in Hampton, VA.

Major: Music Performance

Private lessons with Coralie Zaret

1973 - 1977

Atlantic City High School

College Prep.

Studied Music Theory with Mr. Joseph Brown

REFERENCES:

Loretta Holloway

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201 Jackson Blvd.

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