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## Chronology

**2003-2005** Ran weekly jazz jams at Gil's Café, 71<sup>st</sup> and Collins, featuring local jazz musicians such as **Mel Dancy, Ben Collier, Ricky Williams, Michael Gerber, Larry Karp**, and many others, including a guest appearance by **Pee Wee Ellis**. Also arranged performances at numerous local restaurants (Elia, Lemon Twist, Ramada Marco Polo, Solo on the Bay, etc.)

**2005**: Arranged two local tours for **Pee Wee Ellis** (in January and December) at various clubs in the Miami area, including O'Hara's (Hollywood and Fort Lauderdale), the Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA), and the prestigious Van Dyke Café in South Beach.

**2005-2006**: Produced a Miami tour for Russian pianist **Dmitriy Klevenskiy**, for whom I also produced a recording in Kaliningrad, Russia. Klevenskiy performed at MOCA, the Van Dyke, and the Arturo Sandoval Jazz Club, among other venues.

**2006**: Held weekly jazz shows at The Beach House hotel, Surfside, including **Ben Collier, Kiki Sanchez, Rick Harris, Jean Caze, Mel Dancy, Andrew Atkinson, Nicole Yarling, Don Wilner, Dmitriy Klevenskiy, and Negroni's Trio**.

**2005-2006** : Produced many of MOCA's monthly free jazz shows, including **Pee Wee Ellis, Rose Max, Dmitriy Klevenskiy, Kiki Sanchez, Rick Harris, Judy D., Sammy Figueroa, Jean Caze, Joan Cartwright, LeNard Rutledge, Don Wilner, Michael Orta, and Negroni's Trio**.

Also produced shows by **Rose Max, Dmitriy Klevenskiy, Kiki Sanchez, and Sammy Figueroa** at the Arturo Sandoval Jazz Club at the Deauville Beach Resort.

**2007 and 2008**: Booked **Dmitriy Klevenskiy** at Klub Tygmont, Warsaw, Poland. Arranged for him to perform at Warsaw Percussion Festival 2007.

**2007-** : Arranged private parties for Barton G. Caterers, including **Cezar Santana, Don Coffman, Julian Saldarriaga**

**2008-09**: Produced **Sammy Figueroa** at the Full Moon Jazz Festival, and at Young Circle Arts Park, Hollywood, Florida, and at the University of New Orleans. *We have been given three nights a month at the Van Dyke Café for "KCC Productions presents"*. These include (so far) **Dmitriy Klevenskiy, Silvano Monasterios, Kiki Sanchez, Jean Caze, Federico Britos, Roberto Rodriguez, Alice Day, Mel Dancy, Michael Orta, David Fernandez, Tony Madruga, Gabriel Vivas, Fred Thomas, Ira Sullivan, Ismael Vergara, Felipe**

**Lamoglia, John Branzer, Felix Gomez, Ricky Sebastian, Mike Levine, DeDee Wilde, Dr. Michael White, Manuel Valera.** Arranged workshops for Klevenskiy and Sebastian at the University of Miami's Frost School of Music. Produced shows by **Silvano Monasterios, Sammy Figueroa, Ricky Sebastian, Dr. Michael White, Mike Levine, Mitch Frohman of the Bronx Horns, Nicole Henry, Hector Martignon, Mike Orta, and LeNard Rutledge** at MOCA. **Silvano Monasterios** was voted "Best Jazz Musician in Miami" for 2009 by the *New Times*.

**2009** also saw the expansion of KCC Productions to the Newport Beachside Resort in Sunny Isles Beach with **Sammy Figueroa's** new band, "Sally's Tomato", featuring the music of Cal Tjader. Also at the Newport, produced a wine-tasting with music featuring **Dmitriy Klevenskiy and Felipe Lamoglia** and "Havana Nights", with **Felipe Lamoglia**. Arranged tours for **Sammy's Latin Jazz Explosion** and for **Nicole Henry** at Jazz in Parco, Nocera, Italy (July 12) and a performance of **The Fred Thomas Band** at the Catskill Mountain Foundation (Hunter, NY) August 8. Provided musicians for March of Dimes "Signature Chefs and Wine Extravaganza" October 22.

**2010:** Arranged concerts at MOCA for **Negrone's Trio, Sammy Figueroa, and Felipe Lamoglia**. Featured **Roberto Rodriguez, Felipe Lamoglia, Nicole Henry, Silvano Monasterios, Big Poppa E and the E Band, Manuel Valera, Dafnis Prieto, Rolando Groscors, Tony Madruga, Dave Siegel, Andrew Atkinson, Deskarga Jam Band, Ernesto Simpson, Troy Roberts, Audio Lobo, Jowee Omicil, Carlos Averhoff, Six Son, and Juan-Carlos Formell** at the Van Dyke, Mike Orta at the Bass Museum of Art. KCC Productions was invited to revive "Jazz at Jazid" every Tuesday, and featured **Felipe Lamoglia, LeNard Rutledge, Diogo Oliveira, Brian Wolfe & Audio Lobo, Jowee Omicil, Andrew Atkinson, Troy Roberts, Silvano Monasterios, Felipe Lamoglia, Ernesto Simpson, Negrone's Trio, and Armando Gola** performed at the Deauville Jazz Club, and **Lamoglia and Gola** encored at D. Rodriguez Cuba Restaurant. Initiated "Noche Latina" at Mai Tardi restaurant, featuring **Deskarga Jam Band, Zarabanda Band, Krioyo Son, Luis Bofill, and Batuke Samba Funk**. Provided vocalist **Nikki Kidd** for miamiartzine.com's 5<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration. Arranged a Master Class for **Ernesto Simpson** at the University of Miami's Frost School of Music.

**2011:** Arranged performances at Sky Lounge for **Dee Dee Wilde and the Paul Shewchuk Quartet, and LeNard Rutledge**. Booked **Martin Bejerano, Doug Bickel, Big Poppa E, The Shuffle Demons, Silvano Monasterios, Project Natale, Deskarga Jam Band, Troy Roberts, Giacomo Gates, Tony Madruga, Andrew Atkinson, Monvelyno Alexis, Luis Bofill, Phoenix Rivera, Alfredo Chacón, Hilario Bell, Ludwig Afonso, Pablo Gil, Roberto Quintero, and Felipe Lamoglia** at the Van Dyke. Arranged concerts at MOCA for **Jowee Omicil and the Core, Nicole Henry, and Big Poppa E and the E Band**. Invited by the City of Miami Beach to provide music (**Carlos Averhoff**) for the opening of

the New World Symphony's new concert hall. Booked **Negrone's Trio** for a private party in the Van Dyke building, **Silvano Monasterios** in the "Hot Nights, Cool Jazz" summer series at the Bass Museum of Art, and **Batuke Samba Funk** at the Mandarin Oriental Hotel. Arranged the release of **Silvano Monasterios'** CD "Unconditional", at Zinc Bar, New York.

**The Will Calhoun Trio** performed and held clinics at the XX International Percussion Festival in Opole, Gliwice, and Nysa, Poland October 22-24.

**2011** also saw KCC Productions voted second among the *Sun Post's* "Top Ten" arts organizations.

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### **Jazz concerts produced before 2012:**

**October 22, 2006:** Jazz on the Beach, Surfside: **Kiki Sanchez, Rose Max, Dmitriy Klevenskiy, and Pee Wee Ellis**

**June 17, 2007:** Arts in the Park, Miami Beach: **Kiki Sanchez, Sammy Figueroa, and Allan Harris.**

**November 3, 2007:** Sleepless Night, Bass Museum, Miami Beach: **Tony Madruga, Hector Martignon, Sammy Figueroa, Rose Max, Andrew Atkinson, Leon "Foster" Thomas, Don Coffman, Lisanne Lyons, and LeNard Rutledge.**

**December 16, 2007:** Jazz in the Park, Miami Beach: **Nicole Henry and Ira Sullivan.**

**January 12, 2008:** All-day showcase at the Association of Performing-Arts Presenters, New York Hilton: **Kiki Sanchez, Dmitriy Klevenskiy, Sammy Figueroa, Juan-Carlos Formell, Rachel Faro, Hector Martignon, Silvano Monasterios, Marta Topferova, Patrick De Santos, Nicole Henry, Jim Payne, Laurence Elder, and Fred Thomas.**

**February 23, 2008:** Arts in the Park, Miami Beach: a blues/funk concert starring **LeNard Rutledge, and the Fred Thomas Band. The Fred Thomas Band** also performed a James Brown Tribute the next night at the Van Dyke Café.

**January 10, 2009:** All-day showcase at the Association of Performing-Arts Presenters, New York Hilton: **Peter Delano, Sammy Figueroa, Nicole Henry, Silvano Monasterios, The Fred Thomas Band, Rachel Faro, Juan-Carlos Formell, Felipe Lamoglia, Bill O'Connell and Dave Valentin, The Bronx Horns.**

**January 11, 2009:** Showcase at SOB's club in New York featuring **Silvano Monasterios, Sammy Figueroa, and Juan-Carlos Formell.**

**October 22, 2009:** Provided music for March of Dimes fundraiser, featuring **Mel Dancy, LeNard Rutledge, Felix Gomez,** and others.

**November 7, 2009:** Two concerts for the City of Miami Beach's "Sleepless Night" festival: **Dr. Michael White's** New Orleans Quartet on Lincoln Road, and **Silvano Monasterios' and Felipe Lamoglia's** bands at the Normandy Fountain.

**January 9, 2010:** All-day showcases at the Association of Performing-Arts Presenters conference, New York Hilton: **Andrew Atkinson, The Bronx Horns, Bill O'Connell's Triple Play** and **Different Direction, Silvano Monasterios,** and **The Fred Thomas Band.** Also, in conjunction with J. Chriss and Co. showcased **Emilio Solla & The Tango Jazz Conspiracy, Juan-Carlos Formell & Johnny's Dream Club, Felipe Lamoglia, Osmany Paredes,** and **The Elio Villafranca Quartet.**

**March 7, 2010:** Arranged performance by **Felipe Lamoglia** at "Carnaval on the Mile", Coral Gables.

**October 14, 2010:** Provided music for March of Dimes fundraiser "Signature Chefs and Wine Extravaganza" featuring **LeNard Rutledge.**

**November 8, 2010:** Provided music for Miamiartzine's Fifth Anniversary Celebration featuring **Nikki Kidd.**

**November 20, 2010:** Produced "Concert on the Fairway" for the city of Miami Lakes, featuring **Nicole Henry, Felipe Lamoglia, and Silvano Monasterios.**

**December 18, 2010:** Produced a toy drive for the Miami Childrens' Hospital Foundation, in cooperation with Miamiartzine and the Graspera Group, featuring **Tito Puente, Jr. and His Latin jazz Ensemble.**

**January 22, 2011:** Produced Arts in the Park for the City of Miami Beach with **Batuke Samba Funk,** featuring batucada dancers with **the Paulo Gualano Drum Ensemble.**

**March 5, 2011:** Arranged performances by **Silvano Monasterios** and **Felipe Lamoglia** at Carnival on the Mile, Coral Gables.

**May 25, 2011:** Produced Jazz @ New Theatre in Coral Gables featuring **Batuke Samba Funk**

**June 3, 2011:** Produced "Jazz Gals" for City of Sunrise, starring **Debbie Orta** and **Wendy Pedersen** singing the songs of Billie Holiday and Peggy Lee.

**July 4, 2011:** Booked **Big Poppa E and the E Band** for the City of Miami Beach's "Fire on the Fourth" festivities on Ocean Drive.

**October 6, 2011:** Arranged for **The Debbie Orta Quartet** to perform at the March of Dimes' annual Signature Chef's Auction, Coral Gables.

**October 22, 2011:** Arranged for **The Debbie Orta Quartet** and **The Felipe Lamoglia Ensemble** to perform at the Miami Beach Arts Gala, Miami Beach Convention Center.

**October 21-25, 2011:** Booked **The Will Calhoun Trio** at The International Percussion Festival in Opole, Poland.

**November 5, 2011:** Booked **Nicole Henry, Will Calhoun/David Gilmore/John Benitez, Batuke Samba Funk, Paulo Gualano, and The Shuffle Demons** at Miami Beach's "Sleepless Night".

**November 12, 2011:** Presented the **Sons of Legends** at Pinecrest Gardens, featuring **Phoenix Rivera, Tito Puente, Jr., and Miles Dalto**.

**December 1, 2011:** Arranged **Nicole Henry** performance and reception for The Stage Door Theater benefit at the Byron Carlyle Theater.

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## 2012

**2012:** **Batuke Samba Funk (Jan 4), Adrenaline Jazz (Jan 25), Felipe Lamoglia's Iresounds (Feb 15), Negroni's Trio (Feb 29)** were at PAX Miami. **Big Poppa E and the E Band (Jan 5 and Feb 2), Alfredo Chacon (Jan 13), Troy Roberts (Jan 19), Jamie Ousley (Jan 26), Hilario Bell (Feb 9), Pablo Gil (Feb 16), and Manuel Valera (Feb 23)** performed at the Van Dyke Café.

**Will Calhoun (with Donald Harrison)** was at Zinc Bar (NY) for Winter Jazz Fest Jan 7

**Bill O'Connell's Triple Play** performed at Zinc Bar, NY February 22.

**Bill O'Connell's Triple Play (with Dave Valentin and Richie Flores)** was at MOCA Feb 24 and at Valencia Shores Feb 25

**Felipe Lamoglia's Iresounds** performed at Zinc Bar March 8.

"The Big Gig" master-class workshop, led by **Tito Puente, Jr.**, was held at Pinecrest Gardens March 11.

**Tito Puente, Jr.'s, Latin Jazz Ensemble** performed at Pinecrest Gardens March 17.

**Nicole Henry** performed at MOCA March 30.

**The Dave Siegel Sextet, Troy Roberts' Nu-Jive, LeNard Rutledge, and the Alfredo Cahcon Groove** were at Collins Park for National Jazz Day.

**Debbie Orta** performed at Pinecrest Gardens April 28.

**Alfredo Chacon** performed at the Volvo Ocean Race, Bicentennial Park, May 18

**Tito Puente, Jr.'s Latin Jazz Ensemble** performed at Sunrise Civic Center June 16.

**The Fred Thomas Band** played at Fire on the Fourth, Ocean Drive, July 4.

**Marlow Rosdao y la Riqueña** were at Briza on the Bay, July 13.

**The Will Calhoun Trio** were at The Blue Note, New York, August 13.

**Wendy Pedersen and Lisanne Lyons** performed "Red, Hot, and Blue" at Sunrise Civic Center Sept 8.

**Troy Roberts' Nu-Jive** were at Zinc Bar, New York, September 12.

**Marlow Rosado y la Riqueña** performed at Young Circle, Hollywood, September 14 and at the Miami Beach Food Truck and Music Festival September 19.

**Maria Rivas** was at Zinc Bar, New York, September 27.

**Negroni's Trio (w Bob Franceschini)** were at Zinc Bar, New York, October 8.

**LeNard Rutledge** performed at Arts Garage, Delray Beach, October 13.

**The Marshall Brothers Band** performed at the Miami Beach Food Truck and Music Festival October 17.

**Debbie Orta** sang at the Miami Beach Arts Gala luncheon, Hyatt Regency, October 18.

**The South Florida Jazz Orchestra with Lisanne Lyons** performed at Pinecrest Gardens October 27

**Debbie Orta** and **Thania Sanz** performed at Masquerade in the Garden, Pinecrest Gardens, November 3.

**LeNard Rutledge** performed at Jazz on the Palm, West Palm Beach, November 16.

**Leesa Richards** and **LeNard Rutledge** performed at Concert on the Fairway, Miami Lakes, November 17.

**The Kiki Sanchez Trio, Thania Sanz, & Marlow Rosado y la Riqueña** performed at the MiamiARTzine fundraiser, Miami Beach, November 19.

**Andrea Brachfeld** will premier her new CD, "Lady of the Island", at Zinc Bar, New York, November 20.

**Jowee Omicil and the Core** performed at Zinc Bar, New York, December 10.

**Tito Puente, Jr., and His Latin Jazz Ensemble** performed at Pinecrest Gardens, December 28.

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## 2013

**The Wolff & Clark Expedition** and **The Will Calhoun Trio (w special guests)** performed at Zinc Bar, New York, as part of the Jazz Connect Music Conference January 10.

**The Marshall Brothers Band** performed at the Sunrise Amphitheater January 11.

**The Will Calhoun Trio** performed at the Sundance Film Festival, Park City, Utah, (TBA January 17-27)

**Franklin's Wheel** performed at Miami Beach's North Shore Bandshell

**Maria Rivas** performed at Pinecrest Gardens, January 26

**Jowee Omicil** performed at The Metropolitan Room, New York February 23

**Cezar Santana** performed at the North Beach Bandshell February 27

**LeNard Rutledge** performed at Moonchine Asian Bistro March 7

**Gaucha** performed at the Sunrise Amphitheater March 8

**Felipe Lamoglia** performed at Moonchine Asian Bistro March 14

**Tito Puente, Jr. and his Latin Jazz Ensemble** performed at Miami Lakes March 16



**Kiki Sanchez** performed at Equality Florida's gala, Bass Museum March 17

**Kiki Sanchez** performed at Moonchine Asian Bistro March 21

**Jowee Omicil** performed at Moonchine Asian Bistro March 28

**Debbie Orta** performed at Moonchine Asian Bistro April 11

**Batuke Samba Funk** performed at The Green Parrot, Key West April 12-13

**Grammy®-winner Marlow Rosado y la Riqueña** performed at Pinecrest Gardens April 13

**Jana Herzen and Charnett Moffett** performed at The Van Dyke Café April 16 and Luna Star Café April 17.

**Crazy Fingers** performed at Sunrise Civic Center April 20

**Conjunto Progreso** performed at the North Shore Bandshell April 24

**The Will Calhoun Trio, with special guests Donald Harrison and Nicholas Payton**, premiered Will's new CD, "Life in This World," at The Blue Note, New York City, May 17-19

**Jowee Omicil** performed at MOCA May 31

**Marlow Rosado y la Riqueña** performed at the Green Parrot, Key West, May 31-June 2

**The Will Calhoun Trio, with Donald Harrison**, performed at the Rio dos Ostras Jazz Festival, São Paulo, Brazil May 31-June 2

**The Will Calhoun Trio, with Marcus Strickland**, performed at the Essaouira Gnawa Festival, Essaouira, Morocco June 20-24

**Felipe Lamoglia** performed at The North Shore Bandshell June 26

**Troy Roberts' Nu-Jive** performed at Zinc Bar, NY June 26

**Manuel Valera & the New Cuban Express** performed at MOCA, North Miami, June 28

**Stop the Presses** performed at the North Beach Bandshell July 24

**Rolando Groscors** performed at MOCA, North Miami, July 26

**Tito Puente, Jr.** performed at Arts Garage Delray Beach, July 27

**The Will Calhoun Trio** performed at Voces del Jazz Festival, Cartagena, Colombia, August 3

**The Will Calhoun Trio** performed for the Hartford Jazz Society, Bushnell Park, Hartford, CT August 5

**The Will Calhoun Trio** performed at Grant's Tomb, NY August 7

**Bobby Martinez** performed at Zinc Bar, NY August 8

**Bobby Martinez** performed at WDNA Jazz Gallery, Coral Gables, August 10

**Lanzallamas Monofonicas** performed at the North Beach Bandshell August 28

**Marlow Rosado y la Riqueña** performed at the North Beach Bandshell September 25

**Pablo Gil** performed at MOCA, North Miami, September 27

**Will Calhoun Trio** performed at the Beantown Jazz Festival, Boston, September 28

**Jungle Funk** performed at The International Percussion Festival, Chorzow and Opole, Poland September 27-28

**Marlow Rosado y la Riqueña** performed at Sunrise Civic Center October 11

**Negrón's Trio with Bob Franceschini** performed at Zinc Bar, NY, October 23

**Kiki Sanchez Salsa Jazz Project** performed at the North Beach Bandshell October 23

**Lindsey Blair** performed at The Stage Miami October 24

**The South Florida Jazz Orchestra** performed at Pinecrest Gardens October 26

**Thania Sanz and Kiki Sanchez** performed at Pinecrest Gardens Masquerade Gala November 23

**Johnny Conga and the Tropical Jazz Project** performed at the North Shore Bandshell November 27

**The Will Calhoun Trio** performed at the Brooklyn Academy of Music December 13

**Will Calhoun** performed at the Harlem Arts Salon, NY December 15  
**Krioyo Son** performed at NBC/Telemundo's Holiday Party Miami Beach, December 15

**Antonio Madruga** performed at Zinc Bar, NY Dec 17

**Krioyo Son** performed at Machado Ford's Holiday Party December 22

**Will Calhoun and Marc Cary** performed at Robert Redford's birthday party, Sundance, UT December 22

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## 2014

January 9: **Bill O'Connell's Latin Jazz All-Stars** and **Mino Cinelu's World Jazz Ensemble** at Zinc Bar Jazz Connect Showcase, NY

January 13: **The Will Calhoun Trio** at Iridium APAP showcase, NY

January 19: **Jungle Funk** at Sundance Film Festival, Park City UT

January 31: **The South Florida Jazz Orchestra** at MOCA

February 1: **Will Calhoun** at Day of Percussion clinic, Scotch Plains, NJ

February 8: **Tito Puente, Jr and His Latin Jazz Ensemble** and **Marlow Rosado y la Riqueña** at Flamingo Park, Miami Beach

February 15: **Batuke Samba Funk** at Pinecrest Gardens

February 26: **Batuke Samba Funk** at North Shore Bandshell

March 8: **The Will Calhoun Trio, with Brian Lynch and Marcus Strickland**, at Miniaci Performance Center, Fort Lauderdale (Host: South Fla. Jazz Organizaton)

April 25: **Marlow Rosado y la Riqueña** at MOCA

April 30: **The Will Calhoun Trio** at International Jazz Day, Collins Park, Miami Beach

June 6-8: **The Will Calhoun Trio** and **Tito Puente, Jr's Latin Jazz Ensemble** at Muhtadi Drum Festival, Toronto

June 27: **Antonio Madruga** at MOCA

July 25: **Martin Bejerano** at MOCA

August 29: **Jean Chardavoine** at MOCA

October 31: **Kiki Sanchez' Salsa Jazz Project** at MOCA

## **Recording:**

**2006:** Executive producer and co-producer of two CD's ("Topsy Woman") with **Dmitriy Klevenskiy** performing original material, with **Sammy Figueroa** on percussion and special contributions by **Pee Wee Ellis** on tenor sax. (These were mixed and mastered under Klevenskiy's supervision in 2008 for subsequent release.)

**2007:** Co-executive producer of "The Magician", **Grammy®-nominated CD by Sammy Figueroa** on the Savant label.

**2013: Production Coordinator** of Will Calhoun's "Life in this World", featuring Marc Cary, Ron Carter, Charnett Moffett, Donald Harrison, Wallace Roney, Chieck Tidiane Seck, Brehima "Benego" Diakite, Doug Wimbish, Alioune Wade, and John Benitez.

## **Civic Participation**

**2011:** Invited to sit on the **March of Dimes'** organizing committee for the Signature Chefs Auction and to chair the Production Subcommittee.

Joined the Board of Directors of the **Miami Beach Arts Trust** and the organizing committee of the **Miami Beach Arts Gala**.