

KAI VIEWEG

DRUMMER SINGER PERCUSSIONIST

BATERISTA CANTOR PERCUSSIONISTA SCHLAGZEUGER SÄNGER PERCUSSIONIST

Anyway you want it as long as it grooves

I was born in 1969 in Frankfurt Germany at the age of 0. I've been banging on things and creating sounds since 1977. In 1985 I started to get reimbursed for my trouble. To put method to the madness I suffered through endless hours of instruction and practice.

In 1994 and 1995 I advanced to banging on things under the watchful eyes of Kim Plainfield, Brian Kirk, Ricky Sebastian and all the other nice guys who lecture at the fabeled „Drummer's Collective“ in New York City. In 1997 the world-famous cymbal maker **Paiste** began to support my endeavors. Between 1999 and 2003 they were joined by several other funtastic manufacturers: The world's number one stick-producer **Vic Firth**, the unbeatable batter-maker **Remo**, as well as **Yamaha**.

In the recent past I have had the honour to bang along with the following artists:

Floy / The White Queen Of Soul - Angie's Nightclub - Hamburg

Cynthia Utterbach / Buddy Holly Musical - Hamburg

Jango Edwards / Musical Comedy

Allan Woerner / German Pop

Joan Faulkner / Soul

N' Doumbé Djengue (Salif Keita) / Afro Funk

Rolf Stahlhofen (Xavier Naidoo-Söhne Mannheims) / R&B Soul

Jean Lyons / Gospel

Waymond Harding's Blues Cruisers / Blues

Hands on the Wheel / Folk Rock

Ronnie Dee Williams and the Slam Orchestra / Funk

Mathias Baumgart - All Colours /Crossover

Renato Pantera / Brasil Pop

Sonny Donat / Afro Pop

Miron Ahmet / Bangladesh Pop

Gerome Hindemon / Blues

Swinging Family / Swing

Barbara Terstegen - Band / all styles

Achim Klau - Band of Angels / Rock

Lilly And The Soulboys / Soul

Wil Wilson / Soul R&B / Park Café - Wiesbaden

Richard Saratoga / Rock

Leticia Vasconcellos / Bossanova

Caroline K. / Folk Grunge

Peter Wiegand / Tom Waits Performance

Magica / Worldmusic & Show

Orquestra Salpicante / Salsa - Salsa Latina - Lisbon

Orquestra Cuba Libre / Salsa - Casino Estoril - Lisbon

April King / Blues

Barrelhouse Jazzband / Classic Jazz

In addition I provided solo drum backdrop in various mega-happenings

Furthermore I perform with the **Jackson Singers** whose exciting Gospel show can be seen during extensive tours throughout Europe's historic cathedrals and operas, and as a highlight at star studded international Jazz festivals beside artists such as Ray Charles, Herbie Hancock or Pat Metheny. **Contact:** Wendy Fachner VOICE PRODUCTIONS AG Switzerland phone +41 (0)41 769 35 95 www.jackson-singers.com

I also have the pleasure of beeing the lead singing drummer in the **Sunshine Steelband's** enchanting Soca-Samba-Reggae show, giving the numerous fans cause to name me „**CalypsoKing**“.

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(Band pausing for private reasons)

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