

Kia

SINGER/
SOULWRITER

PROFILE

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EDUCATION

2018 - 2020
California State University Los Angeles
Commercial Music Vocal Performance
Master of Music

2014 - 2018
ArtEZ University of the Arts
Jazz & Pop Vocal Performance
Bachelor of Music (Cum Laude)

Aug 2017 - Dec 2017
Cornel School of Contemporary Music
Songwriting
Academic Semester

2012 - 2014
Rijn IJssel College
Pop & Sound Design
Vocal Performance Degree

ACHIEVEMENTS

Songwriting Competitions
John Lennon Songwriting Contest
Howard Rosen Promotion Talent Search
Honorable Mention Int. Songwriting Competition

Awards & Nominations
Grammy Nomination
The NAMM President's Innovation Award
Hollywood Independent Music Award

2017 - 2020
Holland Scholarship
Dan Howell Commercial Music Scholarship
Esther Williams Scholarship
Zack Memorial Scholarship
Michael Feinstein Endowed Scholarship
Mission Asset Fund LA Young Creative

EXPERIENCE

2024 - Present
AMDA College of the Performing Arts
Commercial Music Voice/Songwriting Instructor
(Hollywood, USA)

2025 - Present
Silverlake Conservatory of Music
Voice Instructor (Silverlake, USA)

2023 - Present
The Society of Composers & Lyricists
LA Administrator (Los Angeles, USA)

2016 - Present
KIA Music (Performer, Recording Artist, Songwriter)

2020 - 2024
California College of Music
Voice/Songwriting & Production Instructor (Pasadena, USA)

2023 - End Credits Track Hulu Film *"The Devil Conspiracy"*
Songwriter, Performer (Los Angeles, USA)

2022 - End Credits Track Netflix Film *"The Claus Family 3"*
Songwriter, Performer (Belgium)

2022 - Featured Track Netflix's Kevin Hart Film *"The Man from Toronto"*
Performer (Los Angeles, USA)

2021 - Featured Track Simulation L-ISA Technology Fortnite & L-Acoustics
Songwriter, Performer (Los Angeles, USA)

SKILLS

Languages: English/Dutch/German/Spanish

Lyric Writing	- Advanced
Composition	- Intermediate
Live Performance	- Advanced
Studio Recording	- Advanced
Logic/Sibelius	- Intermediate

REFERENCE

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