

Tony Balaskas (ASCAP)

Audio Engineer / Composer / Director

tony@ofaceproductions.net
https://www.ofaceproductions.net/
248-303-5241
Tampa, FL

Looking to add to my strengths in audio production with fresh ideas and a strong background in audio engineering. I am currently seeking opportunities in the Tampa Bay area. My experience includes working with various clients and projects, ensuring high-quality audio production and delivery.

Background

Audio Engineer - Licensing Coordinator

O Face Productions

Tampa, FL - August 2012 to Present

Trained in audio restoration, Sync Licensing, editing, recording and mixing. Complete Cue Sheets for Performing Right's Organizations for royalty collection. Research right's owners, publishers and Master right's owners for licensing.

- Composing compositions for major television networks and film
- Coordinates with music supervisors and publishers to meet project deadlines
- Professionally Sync audio and music to moving picture/video
- Creates custom content for multi-media broadcast use. Editing arranging and mixing artist produced soundtracks for retail release.

Recently the Post Audio Engineer on an Independent Feature film in partnership with Inspiration Films. Mix, master, edit, arrange and process audio to motion picture. Handling all dialogue editing and processing, music composition, backgrounds, sound effects, ADR recording and mixing.

Audio Engineer

Post Audio Production

St Petersburg, FL - Tampa Bay Area - 2017 to Present

Post Audio production team member for advertisements, testimonials, brand endorsement for the commercial market. Complete all post audio vocal, music and sound design mix for on air commercials, spotlights, influencers and all broadcast media forms of programming. Compiling music searches and selections to edit and arrange for show spots and on air use. Working with show producers and content directors to create desired results. Teaming up with visual editors and show runners to maintain brand continuity and provide an appealing experience for the customer.

- Pro Tools and ISDN
- Direct Voice Over Talent
- Master mixes
- Create deliverables to spec
- Complete Cue Sheets

Vocal Talent-Production Engineer

Kids Bop products

Miami, FL - June 2010 to August 2010

- Hired to re-record 10 hit cover songs in the Hip Hop genre for public consumption
- Mixed and mastered
- Made revisions after feedback to clients specifications
- Audio production credit for a full length Mentos commercial demo

Production Engineer

O Face Productions

Warren, MI - October 2006 to December 2009

Lead audio engineer for recording artists. Booking studio time for artists and coordinating with artist management for rehearsals and studio sessions. Demo recording and full length albums with featured artists were under the umbrella of this title.

Recording in Pro Tools, Logic, Digital Performer while editing, arranging, comping and restoration were some of the tasks at hand. Using correct microphone placement techniques, compression, limiting, vocal processing and equalization were necessary skills for this position.

Booking mixing sessions with artists and management to see the project meet deadlines and quality standards.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in Music Production

Berklee College Online - Boston, MA

SKILLS

Audio (10+ years), Pro Tools (10+ years), Mixing (10+ years), Licensing (10+ years), Publishing (8 years), Composition (10+ years), Research (10+ years), Database Management (8 years), Contracts (7 years), Production Management (8 years), Copywriting (10+ years)

CERTIFICATIONS

Pro Tools Certified User

April 2015 to Present

Avid certified Pro Tools User. A certification acknowledging the proficiency with the recording, editing, mixing and mastering software.

GROUPS

ASCAP

August 2006 to Present

Performing Right's Organization

Production Credits

Keeping Up With The Kardashians - Cold Case - Wedded to Perfection - Paul Mitchell Progression Session
Dropping In Sports NET - Monster Jam - USSA Alpine Championships - Frankenhoo - NBC Sports Special VISA US
Half Pipe Grand Prix - Daily Politics - Pets.TV - USSA VISA Freestyle International - Entertainers with Byron Allen -
Gars Le Soir - Automotive Vision.TV - Kickin' It with Byron Allen - Making The Band - Paul Mitchell Supergirl Pro Surf -
Extreme Fishing Adventures - Lonely Planet - BAD DOG! - Formula Drift - Small Blacks - Happyish - Pranked -
Real World - Basketball Wives - Tough Love - When Vacations Attack - Blue Mountain State - Hawaii Five-0 - Oh
My God! - CBS Sports Spectacular - World Series of Poker - Finding My
Father - Gunslingers - Extreme Parking - Insider - The Janky Promoters - Gangsters: America's Most Evil - We Have
A Dream - Lost Cat Corona - Feel The Beat

