



DAVID '5-1' NORMAN

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ABOUT ME

With over 25 years of global touring experience, I've worked on a multitude of tours throughout North America, Europe, Australia, Asia, South America and South Africa. My roles have included Tour Director, Tour Manager and Production Manager, with specific skills in areas of tour accounting, budgets, show settlements, staffing, vendor allocation, routing assistance, travel coordination, charter jet bookings and work visas.

I've worked as a promoter rep and have the ability to see touring from both sides of the table – as a touring artist as well as from the promoter side which lends a unique slant to understanding all aspects of touring. I'm extremely well-organized, efficient and a focused multi-tasker with the ability to anticipate and troubleshoot issues well in advance.

I was born in the UK, but have lived in the United States for most of my life. I currently reside in Atlanta, GA. I possess a valid passport and have no issues touring Canada or internationally.

Related skills: Mas OSX, MS Office, Filemaker Pro, Adobe Acrobat Pro and Master Tour software.

I've also spoken on panels at the Tour Link Conference and the IMFCON Conference, as well as having written many professional articles about my time in the industry.

BRIEF WORK HISTORY

Earth, Wind & Fire - Tour Manager

Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, as well as daily hotel settlements.

7-time Grammy 6-time American Music Awards Winner / Inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 2000

Prince – Tour Director / Production Manager / Tour Budgeting

Supervised all aspects of the tour from a production and budgeting aspect. Budget building, general accounting, assisted with the logistics of all travel, immigration, lodging, catering, hiring staff and interfacing with the various support departments that handle equipment, audio, lights, video, trucking, buses, etc.

7-time Grammy Award Winner / Academy Award Winner / Golden Globe Winner

John Legend - Tour Manager / Tour Accountant

Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, box office, hiring staff as well as daily show and hotel settlements.

10-time Grammy Award Winner / Academy Award Winner / Golden Globe Winner

Alicia Keys – Tour Manager / Tour Accountant

Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, box office, hiring staff as well as daily show and hotel settlements.

15-time Grammy Award Winner

Avicii - Tour Accountant

Supervised daily show and hotel settlements

Fall Out Boy - Tour Director / Production Manager / Tour Accountant

Supervised all aspects of the tour. Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, catering, box office, hiring staff and interfacing with the various support departments that handle equipment, audio, lights, video, trucking, buses, etc. Daily show and hotel settlements.

Produced by Live Nation

Robert Plant & Alison Krauss - Tour Manager / Tour Accountant

Supervised all aspects of the tour. Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, box office, hiring staff as well as daily show and hotel settlements.

Alison - 27-time Grammy Award Winner

Robert – Lead Singer of Led Zeppelin – 5-time Grammy Award winners

Toni Braxton - Tour Manager / Tour Accountant

International Tours

Supervised all aspects of the tour. Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, catering, box office, hiring staff and interfacing with the various support departments that handle equipment, audio, lights, video, trucking, buses, etc. Daily show and hotel settlements.

Charlie Wilson - Tour Director / Production Manager / Tour Accountant

Supervised all aspects of the tour. Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, catering, box office, hiring staff and interfacing with the various support departments that handle equipment, audio, lights, video, trucking, buses, etc. Daily show and hotel settlements.

Tour produced by AEG

Toto - Tour Manager / Tour Accountant

Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, box office, hiring staff as well as daily show and hotel settlements.

Brit Floyd - Tour Director / Production Manager / Tour Accountant

Supervised all aspects of the tour from a production and budgeting aspect. Budget building, general accounting, dealing with the box office as well as daily show and hotel settlements. Assisted with the logistics of all travel, immigration, lodging, catering, hiring staff and interfacing with the various support departments that handle equipment, audio, lights, video, trucking, buses, etc.

John Fogerty - Production Manager

Supervised all aspects of the tour from a production and budgeting aspect. Budget building, general accounting, assisted with the logistics of all travel, immigration, lodging, catering, hiring staff and interfacing with the various support departments that handle equipment, audio, lights, video, trucking, buses, etc.

Joss Stone - Tour Manager / Tour Accountant

Supervised all aspects of the tour. Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, box office, hiring staff as well as daily show and hotel settlements.

Star Trek: The Ultimate Voyage - Production Manager / Tour Accountant

32-piece orchestra from the Czech Republic touring the US and Canada. Supervised all aspects of the tour. Assisted with budget building, accounting, the logistics of all things production - travel, lodging, catering, box office, hiring staff and interfacing with the various support departments that handle equipment, audio, lights, video, trucking, buses, etc. Daily show settlements.

Panic! at the Disco - Tour Director / Production Manager / Tour Accountant

Supervised all aspects of the tour. Budget building, accounting, the logistics of all travel, lodging, box office, hiring staff as well as daily show and hotel settlements.

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