

Vendor Directory



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DJS





DJ ALEX UPDIKE

Offerings

- Multiple speaker systems to cover ceremony, cocktail hour, and reception
- Wireless mic systems for the ceremony (lapel) and reception (handheld)
- Custom playlists catered to your wedding or event
- Custom songs for first dance, grand entrance, and more
- Dance floor lighting
- All MC duties
- Professional-grade DJ hardware and software

Experience

4.5 years and over 150 weddings/events

Advice

Never hire a DJ that tells YOU what THEY play

Accolades

- 3x nominee as a top DJ in the Coachella Valley
- #1 DJ on Yelp for Palm Springs and multiple surrounding cities
- Over 50 5-star reviews
- Former clients include Lou Ferrigno Jr (actor) and Amy Roiland (fashion designer)
- Worked with corporations such as Tag Heuer, Wal-Mart, and the US Navy





Dj Jeffrey

Offerings

- Multiple speaker systems to cover ceremony, cocktail hour, and reception
- Wireless mic systems for the ceremony and reception
- Custom playlists catered to your wedding or event
- Dance floor & up lighting
- Photo booth
- Projector & screen
- All MC duties
- Professional-grade DJ hardware and software

Experience

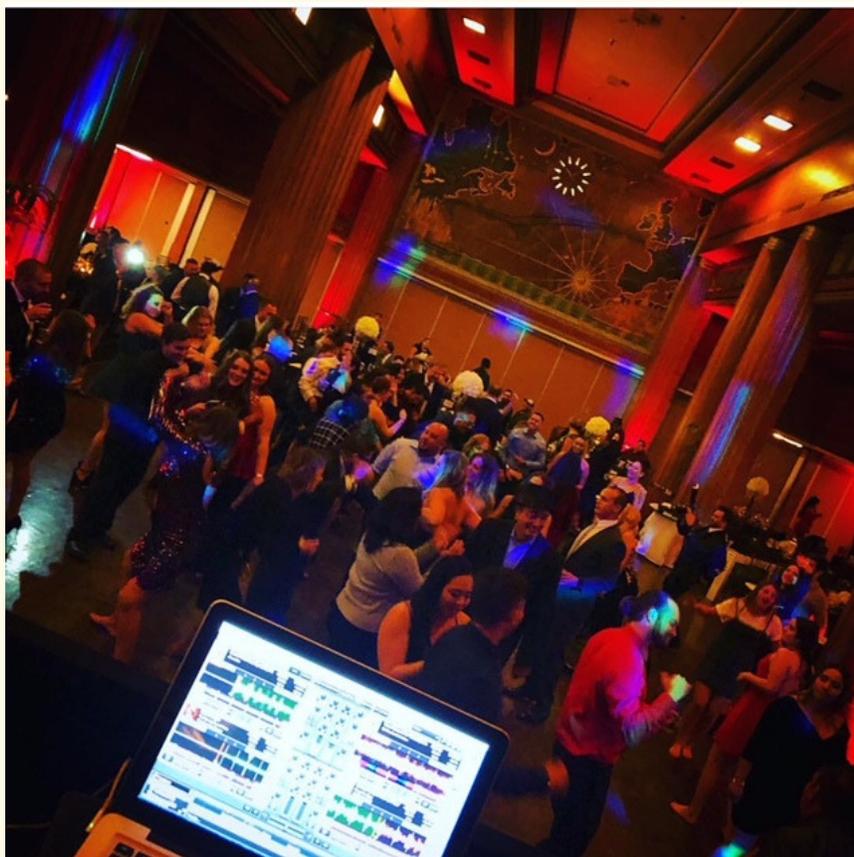
Professional DJ since 2014 with over 50 private venues played and over 125 repeat bookings at public venues

Advice

A great DJ has the ability to walk into any room and know exactly what to play at the exact right time

Accolades

- Winner of Chill Bar's "DJ Battle" competition
- Holds residencies at multiple hot spots in the Palm Springs area
- Has worked at over 50 private venues including the Merv Griffin Estate, O'Donnell House, & the Parker Palm Springs





DJ LAZ

Offerings

- Multiple Set up options with various lighting and sound packages
- Wireless and wired microphone systems
- Custom playlists catered to your wedding or event
- Uplighting, fog machine, and slide show capabilities
- Dance floor lighting
- All MC duties
- Professional-grade DJ hardware and software

Experience

2.5 years in the A/V field with nearly two of that in the DJ business & 40+ events worth of experience

Advice

Don't worry about the DJ having an ugly setup. All wires are tucked away and taped out of site

Client Review

"I found DJ Laz (Nathan) 2 weeks before my daughters birthday party and he was definitely an awesome choice. He did an amazing job & I absolutely recommend him for any party who needs a DJ. He is a polite and friendly young man!!! Thank you for doing an amazing job and making everyone happy!!!!"



Bands



A V E N I D A
M U S I C

Avenida

Offerings

- Organic live music free from tracks or other canned elements
- High quality covers from multiple decades and spanning multiple genres including Spanish, classic rock, and country
- Ability to book multiple bands including cover bands, jazz bands, and solo artists
- Will learn new songs for any wedding or event

Experience

Since 2014 have played 200+ events including weddings, corporate events, parties, & more

Advice

Think about what you want your guests to do at each stage of the event. This will help us provide music and sound that is appropriate for the experience you want to create.

Client Review

"Avenida Music played at our wedding reception this past February. They are responsive, professional, down to earth people. They have an amazing selection of songs from all different genres and eras. They are so talented and we love the way they perform covers. They were so accommodating and listened to our special requests. They even learned a few new songs for our entrance and dances. They are wonderful to work with! Wish we could do it all over again!"



Solo Instrumentalists





Bri Cherry

Offerings

- Ability to play with or without a track
- Ability to play solo or as part of a band
- Ability to play with a DJ
- Ability to plug in or play acoustically
- Proficient in multiple styles including classical, jazz, rock, hip-hop, country, bluegrass, and more!

Experience

19 years of violin experience while playing numerous weddings, private events, shows, and festivals

Advice

Always make sure the musician you hire is open minded to what YOU want!

Accolades

- Performed at Coachella Fest 2014
- CV Award Winner for Best Live Performance Band
- Performed with Michael Bolton
- Performed with Robby Krieger (The Doors)
- Performed with singer/songwriter Josh Kelley





SAM GONZALEZ

Offerings

- Proficient in both acoustic and electric guitar
- Trained vocalist
- Cover a wide variety of genres including Spanish, country, and classic rock
- Bilingual
- Provides high quality PA system for ceremony, cocktail hour, or reception
- Plays 5 instruments including guitar, drums, and piano

Experience

20+ years experience
playing with over 200
live performances

Client Review

I hired Avenida Music for an event at work. They were professional and provided us with exactly what we wanted for our clients. They are not only extremely talented, but kind-hearted, well-mannered, and easy going as well. They were an absolute pleasure to work with and our clients greatly enjoyed their music. If you're looking for an energetic, lively, and unique band, then I highly recommend Avenida Music!"

- Review for "Avenida" (Sam's band)



Photos





Bella Creative PS



Offerings

- Wedding, engagement, family, lifestyle, maternity, and boudoir shoots
- 4, 6, and 8 hour packages
- Custom wedding albums
- Access to digital gallery with hundreds of photos
- 2nd shooter available
- Knowledge of local area

Client Review

"Love love loved having Bella Creative take our family pictures. They are so perfect. Isabel was super patient and kind the whole session. My children, ages 4 & 7, adored her! You can just tell when someone puts in the hard work to go above and beyond for their clients and Isabel did just that. I would recommend Isabel to anyone. Thank you again, our pictures are perfect and will be cherished forever"

Experience

Approaching two years experience as a professional photographer with nearly 100 shoots under her belt

Advice

Find someone who's style you really love and invest in them!





Party Life Photo Booth

Offerings

- Both open air and Magic Mirror photo booth
- Props, photo strips, and backdrop customized to match your theme
- Attendant on site
- Badge of certification so you know the Magic Mirror photo booth is the real deal!
- 5 star service per Yelp and Google

Experience

5 years in the photo booth business and over 500 events

Client Review

"Danny was fantastic. I only gave him 48 hours and he delivered in five star fashion. He even customized the photo graphics. I cannot recommend them highly enough. We went with the Mirror Me photo booth and everyone went nuts for it. They set it up seamlessly and they were a pleasure to deal with. Don't hesitate to use them as they are FABULOUS!!!"



video





2am Media

Offerings

- Consultations with all clients before wedding or event
- Professional video equipment
- Industry standard video editing software
- Unique storytelling ability
- Ability to shoot in a wide range of settings at all times of day

Experience

3 years in the photography field and 2 years in videography

Advice

Communication! When it comes to filming your event, I want to make sure that I capture every important moment, and to make sure I do that, good communication is key.

Client Review

"I hired Thomas to shoot a promo video for my new company and I was extremely pleased with the result. He worked hard to get all the footage he needed and was great at communicating during the entire process, even making multiple small changes at the end per my requests. Thomas is very knowledgeable and I would definitely recommend him for any videography needs you may have!"



Design





The Petite Bee

Offerings

- Customized florals specific to clients vision
- Willingness to work within a budget to create a perfect arrangement
- Delivery includes placement and setup of florals
- Ability to create bridal bouquets, table centerpieces, ceremony florals, and even flower walls
- Knowledge of what flowers are "in season" and how that affects your choices as a client

Experience

Over two years of designing floral arrangements for events full-time

Advice

When hiring vendors, make sure you've connected with them

Accolades

Past clients have included:

- Condeleeza Rice
- Goldie Hawn
- Brett Young
- BIGHORN

Client Review

"Christina...did all of my florals. The bouquets, boutonnieres, centerpieces and my ceremony arch were made just the way I envisioned! Thank you Christina for a wonderful experience and your professionalism."





Beauty by Lidia

Offerings

- Works to enhance the natural beauty her clients already possess
- Use of high-quality, professional, photo-ready makeup w/ 4K technology
- Weather-proof makeup
- Licensed cosmetologist with the state of California
- Vast knowledge of hair & makeup products
- Makeup touch-up kits and lashes included
- Professional makeup lights and makeup chair

Client Review

"Best makeup artist in the valley! Natural and soft"

Accolades

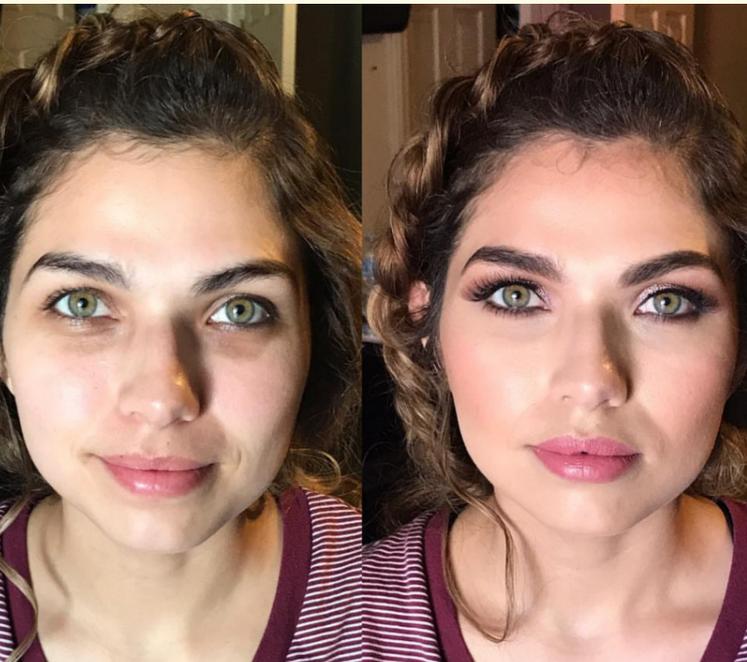
Hair and makeup artist for the TED Women's Conference

Experience

6 years in the hair and makeup business

Advice

Always request a makeup look that YOU are comfortable with



Catering



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R. Sweets

Offerings

- Fully stocked, custom dessert bar
- Cakes
- Cupcakes
- Cake pops
- Truffles
- French macarons
- Cookies
- Will learn new recipes if needed

Experience

Has baked her entire life, starting as a young girl with her mother before branching out on her own professionally

Advice

If you don't see what you want under my offerings just ask, we want to make all your desert dreams come true!

Client Review

"We bought Christmas cookies and not only are they beautiful but they are DELICIOUS! I planned on having them on Christmas eve but they are being goggled up! We will definitely need more before Christmas day!"

