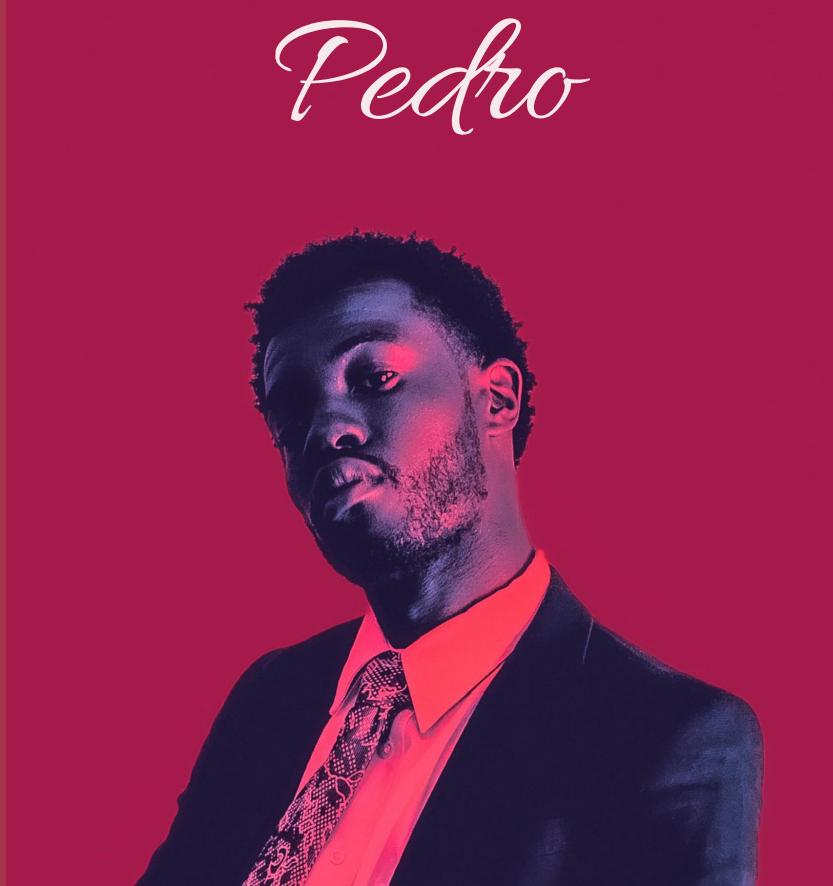




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ORIGINS

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GENRE

HIP-HOP/RAP, JAZZ FUSION, BRAZILIAN, WORLD FUSION, SOUL/FUNK

ALBUMS

CHILDREN OF IMMIGRANTS!, SURREALISM, POMEGRANATE?, TATOOINE

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NBA 2K20, 2K21 SOUNDTRACK, BRAND SPONSORSHIP WITH PENDLETON

BIO



AKINOLA JORDAN PEDRO (BORN JULY 2, 1994), ALSO FORMERLY KNOWN AS AKING KALD PEDRO IS AN AMERICAN MUSICIAN, SONGWRITER, RAPPER, AND RECORD PRODUCER. AKINOLA PEDRO WAS BORN IN WASHINGTON D.C. BEING OF WEST AFRICAN AND AFRO-BRAZILIAN DESCENT, HE WAS RAISED BY NIGERIAN PARENTS ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE NATION'S CAPITAL

IN 2019, HE RELEASED HIS DEMO ALBUM, SURREALISM, AND LATER THAT YEAR, FOUND HIMSELF AMONGST 10 OTHER EMERGING ARTISTS THAT WON THE INAUGURAL 2KBEATS CONTEST CREATED BY STEVE STOUTE'S UNITEDMASTERS. PEDRO'S BREAKOUT SINGLE, TRAFFIC.JAM {BARGAIN}, WAS HAND-PICKED BY KEVIN DURANT AND STOUTE HIMSELF FOR NBA 2K20 SOUNDTRACK.

IN 2020, PEDRO RELEASED THE FIRST SINGLE "INTERNACIONAL! (PLAN B)" OFF HIS 2021 DEBUT ALBUM, CHILDREN OF IMMIGRANTS! THE SINGLE EARNED HIM A PLACEMENT ON NBA 2K21 NEXT GEN SOUNDTRACK MARKING PEDRO WITH BACK-TO-BACK PLACEMENTS WITH 2KSPORTS. AFTER AN ARTIST NAME CHANGE, AKINOLA RELEASED HIS 3RD EP TITLED TATOOINE: THE WORLD THAT NEVER WAS IN 2022 AND IN THE SAME YEAR CREATED THE GENRE-FUSING MUSICAL BAND, "THE GENRE THAT NEVER WAS"



AKNG KALLD PEDRO HAS BEEN FEATURED ON NBA 2K'S SOUNDTRACK FOR TWO CONSECUTIVES YEAR'S NBA2K 2020 HOLDS THE TITLE OF THE BEST SELLING SPORTS GAMES IN 2020 ALSO LISTED AS ONE OF THE TOP 5 SELLING VIDEO GAMES VIDEO EXCEEDING MORE THAN \$1 BILLION IN COMBINED SALES AND MICROTRANSACTION REVENUES WORLDWIDE. ROUGHLY ABOUT 14 MILLION GAMERS PLAY THE 2K20.

PEDRO'S SECOND APPEARANCE CAME WITH HIS SINGLE "INTERNACIONAL!" EARNING A PLACEMENT ON NBA 2K21'S "NEXT GEN" EXPANDED SOUNDTRACK. MARKING PEDRO WITH BACK TO BACK PLACEMENTS WITH 2KSPORTS.

DISCOGRAPHY

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SURREALISM (2019)



ON HIS 2019 DEMO ALBUM, AKING KALD PEDRO DELIVERS A CHARISMATIC SOUNDTRACK TO LIFE THAT RELAYS ON HEAVILY ON JAZZ FUSION AND OTHER SUBGENRES OF JAZZ. EVERY TRACK IS FILLED WITH BRILLIANT SCHEMES, VIBRANT PRODUCTION, AND THOUGHT OUT SONG STRUCTURE. FROM “WHAT DREAMS MAY COME” TO “MEMENTO”, THE ONE WHO CALLS HIMSELF “THE 21ST CENTURY SALVADOR DALI” SURFACES THROUGH HIS OWN VERSION THE KÜBLER-ROSS MODEL (5 STAGES OF GRIEF) ATTEMPTING TO ACHIEVE AT ANY COST, A MISSING PIECE TO HIS PUZZLE.

HIS BREAKOUT SINGLE, “TRAFFIC.JAM {BARGAIN}”, WAS PICKED BY KEVIN DURANT AND STOUTE HIMSELF FOR NBA 2K20 SOUNDTRACK. MARKING PEDRO’S FIRST EVER MAJOR PLACEMENT AND HIS SINGLE WHAT DREAMS MAY COME ASLO LANDED A ESPN MUSIC PLACEMENT.

CHILDREN OF IMMIGRANTS! (2021)

IN 2020, PEDRO RELEASED THE FIRST SINGLE “INTERNACIONAL! (PLAN B)” OFF HIS DEBUT ALBUM “CHILDREN OF IMMIGRANTS!”. THE SINGLE EARNED HIM A PLACEMENT ON NBA 2K21 NEXT GEN SOUNDTRACK MARKING PEDRO WITH BACK-TO-BACK PLACEMENTS WITH 2KSPORTS. LEADING UP TO THE RELEASE OF THIS DEBUT, PEDRO MANAGE TO HIT HIS FIRST MILLION STREAMS OFF SPOTIFY, EARN HIMSELF A SEASON BRAND SPONSORSHIP WITH CLOTHING COMPANY “PENDLETON WOOLEN MILLS AND MORE



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TATOOINE (2022)



1 YEAR AFTER RELOCATING TO LOS ANGELES DURING THE COMMERCIAL FAILURE OF HIS DEBUT ALBUM,, PEDRO OUTGREW HIS FORMER STAGE NAME WHICH LEAD TO HIS DECISION TO OFFICIALLY GO BY HIS BIRTH NAME, AKINOLA PEDRO. HIS 3 SONG EP, TATOOINE WAS SOLELY PRODUCED BY LONGTIME FRIEND/PRODUCER, THE22FALL. AREIA {I KNOW}, THE BREAKOUT SINGLE EARNED PEDRO HIS FIRST EDITORIAL MUSIC PLACEMENT ON SPOTIFY IN 2023

POMEGRANATE? (2025)

IN THE SUMMER OF 2024 HE RELEASED CRAVE , THE LEAD SINGLE TO HIS 2025 SOPHOMORE ALBUM, POMEGRANATE?. THE ALBUM'S TRACKS WERE EACH RELEASED IN THE SPAN OF 10 DAYS AS A COUNTDOWN LEADING UP TO ITS RELEASE DATE ON FEBRUARY 10TH. THE ALBUM FEATURED THE LIKES OF R&B ACTS BALLAD, MELAN AND MANY MORE.



VIDEOS

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FANCY(2021)



TRAFFIC.JAM (2019)



ABRASIVE! (PLAN A)(2021)



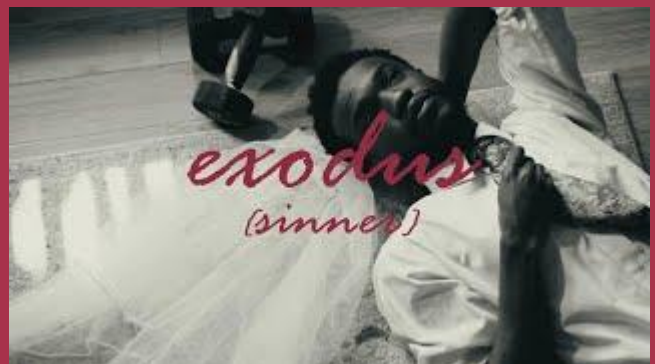
TOO SOBER? (2022)



EDEN (2024)



EXODUS (2025)



SHOW HISTORY

AKP & FRIENDS, INNO CIRCLE EVENT (77/100 TICKETS SOLD, 02/28/2019)

THE CROWN, BALTIMORE: OPENED UP FOR JOSH STOKES (01/20/2019)

DC FUNK PARADE (PERFORMED WITH NOISE ON RESISTANCE, 05/09/2019)

SO FAR SOUNDS AT HOTBOX VINTAGE, PASADENA, CALIFORNIA (03/12/2022)

MILKBOY ARTHOUSE (90+ TICKETS SOLD, 11/01/2017)

MILKBOY ARTHOUSE CO-HEADLINED WITH ALEX VAUGHN (60+ TICKETS SOLD, 12/01/2017)

THE PEPPERMINT CLUB, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: BREAKING SOUNDS (02/05/2022)

PLAY LOUNGE, NEW YORK CITY (07/15/2015)

RESIDENT, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: OPENED UP FOR SUGI DAKKS (12/02/2021)

SMITH PUBLIC TRUST, DCTOP20 EVENT (100+ RSVP'D, 02/01/2017)

SONGBYRD, WASHINGTON DC: OPENED UP FOR DUPONT BRASS (SOLD OUT, 08/04/2018)

TROPICALIA

GREAT DAY WASHINGTON (LIVE TELEVISED EVENT) (01/08/2020)

THE HOTEL CAFE - WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA - AUG 1ST, 2022 - 20 PULL (CO-COLLABORATION EVENT)

THE HOTEL CAFE - WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA - FEB 20TH, 2023 - 50 PULL (CO-COLLABORATION EVENT)

THE MINT - LOS ANGELES, CA - MARCH 11TH, 2023 - 20 PULL (OPENING ACT)

SUMMER CIRCLE FESTIVAL AT THE HALL - COLLEGE PARK, MD - JUNE 9TH, 2023 - 50 PULL

THE POCKET - WASHINGTON, DC - JANUARY 11TH, 2024 - 45 PULL

THE HOTEL CAFE - WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA - FEB 29TH, 2024 - 45 PULL

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INTERVIEWS

[AKINOLA PEDRO - UP CLOSE INTERVIEW](#)

[MEET AKINOLA PEDRO](#)

[AKINOLA PEDRO - \(LIVE ON GREAT DAY WASHINGTON\)](#)

REVIEWS

WHEN HE PICKED UP A CALL FROM STEVE STOUTE TELLING HIM THAT HE'D WON THE CONTEST, HIS INTUITION WAS PROVEN TO BE CORRECT. WITH HIS SONGS INCLUSION NOW OFFICIAL, PEDRO IS LOOKING AHEAD AT WHAT THIS MEANS FOR HIS CAREER. [READ MORE](#)
GRITTYVIBES

"AKING KALLD PEDRO IS COMING OFF HIS BIGGEST PLACEMENT TO DATE, SCORING A SPOT ON THE NBA 2K20 SOUNDTRACK WITH HIS SONG "TRAFFIC.JAM." AS HE LOOKS TO BUILD OFF THE RECOGNITION GAINED FROM THE POPULAR VIDEO GAME, THE UNITEDMASTERS ARTIST DEBUTS HIS ALEX VAUGHN-ASSISTED SINGLE "FANCY" ON HIPHOPDX." [READ MORE](#)
HIPHOPDX

"FOR SOME, SUCCESS CREATES THE IDENTITY, FOR OTHERS, THE PRESSURE CAN CATAPULT THE ARTIST INTO A METAMORPHOSIS. AKINOLA PEDRO, FORMERLY KNOWN AS AKING KALLD PEDRO, HAS RELEASED HIS LATEST SINGLE "NABOO" AHEAD OF HIS NEW EP, TATOOINE: THE WORLD THAT NEVER WAS" [READ MORE](#)
BEATSPERMINTUE

