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Grammy Nominated Jazz Guitarist Rod Harris Jr. has become a prevalent musical force and well known amongst jazz guitarists and musicians within the U.S and abroad. After spending much of the previous decade (2009 – 2019) recording, touring and performing with various legendary artists spanning multiple musical genres, RHJ has emerged as a notable recording artist and jazz guitarist. In 2016, RHJ released his debut jazz-funk album "The Counsel Of Elders", which pays homage to jazz guitar luminaries Wes Montgomery, Grant Green, George Benson, and Kenny Burrell. In March 2018, Rod released his well-anticipated hip- hop/jazz EP entitled "Exits & Options". The "X/O" Ep features renditions of classic songs as well as original material. In 2018, RHJ received a Grammy Nomination for his guitar work and musical contributions on Neo-Soul legend artist Musiq Soulchild's album "Feel The Real".



Rod can also be seen performing in the hit film biopics "Cadillac Records" (starring Beyoncé and Adrian Brody), "Bessie" - (starring Queen Latifah) and most recently season 2 of BET's "American Soul" (Feb 2020) and the National Geographic series "The American Genius: Aretha Franklin" (starring Cynthia Erivo) and "The Color Purple Musical Film" (Dec 2023)

Most recently, Rod released a duo album entitled "The Duo Sessions: Celebrating The Music Of Jazz Piano Legends" and also an EP collaboration with 2x Grammy Award winning vocalist and trombonist Saunders Sermons entitled "Midnight Sky".

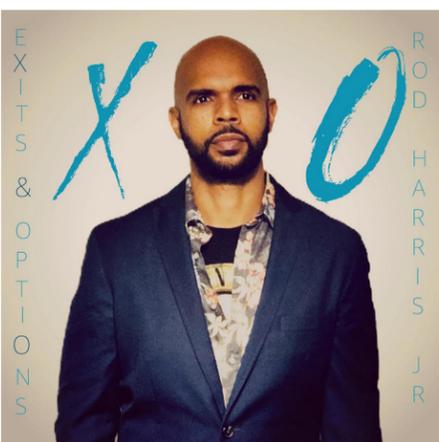
SOCIAL MEDIA & VIDEOS

RHJ Official Website : <https://www.rodharrisjr.com>

RHJ Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/rhjguitar>

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RHJ MUSIC

"The Counsel Of Elders" (Feb 2016)

"Exits & Options EP" (June 2018)

"The 2u0 Ses2i0ns: Celebrating Jazz Piano Legends" (Dec 2020)

"Midnight Sky EP" (June 2021)

"RHJ 3RIO Plays For Wayne Shorter" (May 2023)

