

USVI Carnivals Experience – Author & Project Fact Sheet

Name:

Wilfred de Gannes

Title:

Founder & Editor-in-Chief, USVI Carnivals Experience

Author of **USVI CARNIVALS: St. Thomas, St. John & St. Croix Issue** and **From J'ouvert to Las Lap: The A-Z of Carnival Lingo**

Based in:

St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands

Background:

- o Born in Trinidad and Tobago
- o Former Editor-in-Chief, Trinidad and Tobago Shipbuilding & Repair News
- o Contributor to global maritime publications
- o Lifelong cultural advocate shaped by extensive Caribbean travel and Carnival engagement

Legacy & Inspiration:

Inspired by his father, Anthony Trevor de Gannes (deceased) and by his mother, Hetty Mejias-de Gannes - a respected Trinidadian Carnival judge, artist, and steelpan arranger

Mission:

To preserve, document, and celebrate the rich Carnival traditions of the United States Virgin Islands and other global centers of Carnival celebrations through storytelling, photography, and publication

Publications:

1. USVI CARNIVALS: St. Thomas, St. John & St. Croix Issue (120 pages, Photo Journal, ISSN: 3067-2880)
2. From J'ouvert to Las Lap: The A-Z of Carnival Lingo (16-page cultural guidebook), ISBN: 0000-0000)

Availability:

- o Both titles available on MagCloud: www.magcloud.com/user/usvicarnivals
- o International and U.S. mainland shipping available

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