



DRUMS | ELECTRONICS | BRASS

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SOUNDS LIKE: BasementJaxx meets Hackney Colliery Band - at a Brazilian Carnival!



! KATUMBA DRUM'N'BRASS with BRING THE FIRE PROJECT LIVERPOOL – SOUNDCITY 2017 – PHOTO CREDIT: KERRY SPICER !

KATUMBA is Liverpool's renowned drumming group. Recently returned from performing at Brazil's world famous Carnival celebrations, KATUMBA's hypnotic blend of sound and dance is original, empowering, and truly unforgettable.

Whatever your event, KATUMBA's tribal energy will raise it to a whole new level of invigorating beats, captivating moves, and irresistible groove...



BIO

With over 80 trained drummers and dancers from all over the world, KATUMBA comes in a variety of shapes and sizes. Whether **stage** or **parade**, live performances range from a smaller energetic 8-piece to an 80-strong roaming carnival guaranteed to blow any crowd away!

Whilst a hefty collection of Brazilian drums are always at the core of every KATUMBA show - renowned throughout the North West for their thundering parades - KATUMBA also collaborate with local dancers, fire artists, acrobats and everything in between to make your event an unforgettable one!

KATUMBA's vibrant mix of samba-reggae, maracalypso and Afro-Brazilian-inspired original compositions pushes the boundaries of genre, all topped off with stunning high impact choreography.

Their unique new live outfit, KATUMBA DRUM 'N' BRASS blends the raw power of brass, deep sub bass and tribal beats, resulting in a carnivalesque cacophony of styles such as hip hop, drum and bass, and heaps of funk.



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AVAILABLE LINE-UP

KATUMBA CARNIVAL BLOCK: “BLOCO”

! LISTEN !
BIG BEAT

For non-electronic parades or stage shows requiring 8 to 80 drummers.

DRUMS !

DRUMS ! DANCERS*

KATUMBA DRUM ‘N’ BRASS

! LISTEN !
BOLIVARS MERENGE

Eclectic stage band requiring several direct and overhead microphones, and monitor setup for brass section and keyboard. Detailed stage plan available.

DRUMS ! ELECTRONICS ! BRASS

DRUMS ! ELECTRONICS ! BRASS ! FIRE AND/OR DANCERS*

* We usually work with traditional Samba, and/or Afro-Brazilian dancers. They differ in costume and style. For more details contact us directly.



PRESS AND CLIENTS

“The KATUMBA sound
will rearrange your
molecules”
LIVERPOOL ECHO 2016



“What followed was
drums and fire. Lots of
drums and even more fire. KATUMBA gave the festival a carnival
feeling with an awe-inspiring display of collective
choreographed drumming [...] The performance combined the
transfixing energy of hypnotically tribal drumming with
infusions of modern dance. It was a mass of noise, energy and
movement that was upliftingly positive in its abandon and
exuberance [...]”
GETINTOTHIS, THRESHOLD FESTIVAL 2017

“Your performance was an epic way to end the festival”
LIVERPOOL SOUND CITY 2017



PREVIOUS CLIENTS

Festivals

Amsterdam Carnival,
Amsterdam

Recife Carnival, Brazil

LIMF, Liverpool

Manchester Carribean Carnival,
Manchester

Africa Oye, Liverpool

Brazilica Festival, Liverpool

Sound City, Liverpool

Threshold Festival, Liverpool

Merchant City Festival,
Glasgow

Liverpool Pride,

Arabic Arts Festival, Liverpool

Llangefini Carnival, Wales

Riverside Festival, Liverpool

Independent Festival,
Liverpool

Liverpool Loves, Liverpool

Clubs/ClubNights

Revolucion de Cuba, Aberdeen,
Leeds, Nottingham,
Manchester, Liverpool, Derby,
Milton Keynes

Voodoo Ball, Liverpool

Dave Graham & Lee Butler Days
of Glory, Liverpool

Fiesta Bombarda, Liverpool

Cultural/Public Events

RHS Flower Show, Tatton Park

Slavery Remembrance Day,
Liverpool

Light Night, Liverpool

GIT Awards, Liverpool

Tom Jones Support Act,
Aintree Race Course

University of Liverpool degree
shows and welcome events

Liverpool Cruise Terminal

Very Big Catwalk, Liverpool

Sports Events

Rugby Sevens, Twickenham
Stadium

F.A Cup Semi Final, Everton F.C

Aintree and Haydock Race
course

Rock'n'Roll Marathon, Liverpool

Hell Runner, Dellamere

Corporate Events

Corporate Games, Liverpool

Hilton Hotels, Manchester

Echo Retail Awards, Liverpool

Aldi

Charity Events

Claire's House

Antony Walker Foundation

Santa Dash

O.L.L.Y

War Child

Present Endorsements

LTL Drums



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! PHOTO CREDIT: MARK LYCETT !

OTHER SERVICES:

Founded by Musical Director Ritchie Tunstall, and Brazilian Movement Director Juliana Landim, KATUMBA artfully fuses traditional Brazilian rhythms with modern beats, and high impact choreography.

As part of the BrazUka International family, KATUMBA also brings communities together, with an aim to increase health and wellbeing by bridging local, national and international connections.

In addition to eclectic and energetic performances, KATUMBA has delivered **drum workshops** for guests, schools and corporate environments across the UK and worldwide.

For more information, email us at bookings@katumba.co.uk



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