

### of the new age

#### festival of extraordinary women

we believe in the power of the artist to shift culture & impact global change. we center women of color and are committed to amplifying their creative voice by cultivating a collaborative community while building a platform and sustainable pipeline to knowledge, resources and opportunity. through year round educational programming and our interactive educational music arts festival, Queens of the New Age (est. 2015) is shifting the paradigm so all can join in celebration of extraordinary women.

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#### education

we are here to provide young creative minds with the tools necessary to go boldly in the direction of their wildest dreams.



### expression

before a child talks, they sing.
before they write, they draw.
before they can walk, they
dance. creative expression is
fundamental to human
existence.



#### enrichment

with an "it takes a village"
mentality, we're committed to
social, emotional and professional
development of the individual
from the inside out.



#### champion creativity.

queens interactive music arts festival coupled with year round mentorship & development programming provides young women with the skills needed to turn passion into profession.



#### feed the culture.

queens has built a strong creative & collaborative community sharing resources, ideas, and opportunities for sustainable growth & professional development.



#### empower individuals.

the queens platform is a trusted source for young artists to find their creative voice, connect with industry professionals and step into viable career paths.



syd | willow smith | alunageorge trakgirl | georgia anne muldrow we are king | anna wise | mereba miss jack davey | quinta b | novaway dj rashida | tiffany gouché | asmara arima ederra | kilo kish | eden hagos | liv.e hannah faith | joy postell | linafornia | sassyblack nia andrews | jamila woods | ill camille madame gandhi | novena carmel | kadhja bonet audra the rapper | mayanicol | kayla blackmon fatima | jimetta rose | soraya lapread | aprilfoolchild rayana jay | kona | nikko gray | suga shay | crissyjoyce wyldeflower | slowlikewhoa | peezie | amindi k. frost dana washington | lexx valdez | kayla reefer | khushboo amanda kaufman | brie ortega | drinking peaches sabrae danielle | haley parker | kennedy bob amani washington | emari traffie







Queens of the New Age: Festival of **Extraordinary** Women

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on Friday, August 2, 2019, **Queens of the New Age** presented **Queensfest 2019** their 2nd annual **festival of extraordinary women**, an all ages, interactive educational music arts celebration in partnership with Spotify Inc., Will & Jada Smith Family Foundation and the California African American Museum. The yearly festival, which consists of salon discussions, workshops, live performances, world class visual art exhibits, local vendors, keynote discussions and more engaged over 4000 guests.

- over 4,000 in attendance
- intergenerational exchange
- multi-ethnic backgrounds
- creative professionals

1-18\_\_\_\_29%
18-35\_\_\_51%
35-55\_\_\_13%
55+\_\_7%



Queensfest 2019 recap video





The overwhelming response to Queensfest 2018 created space for the launch of Queenscamp 2019.



A hands on production, songwriting, engineering and music business camp with established industry professionals (ie: Syd, Tiffany Gouché, Kristen Fraser and more).



Queenscamp was able to foster increased levels of curiosity and overall confidence by celebrating small wins in the studio.



Queenscamp achieves Queens mission of amplifying creative voice through live recording sessions.



Queenscamp 2019 has built the foundation for year round educational programming throughout los angeles and beyond.



## CAAM

Queensfest 2018 was presented in partnership with California African American Museum. CAAM is the first african-american museum of art, history, and culture fully supported by state funding. In addition to our Queens programming, CAAM offers a variety of culturally relevant and impactful programs year round.



# WJSFF WILL & JADA SMITH FAMILY FOUNDATION

the Will & Jada Smith Family Foundation (wjsff) careers in entertainment division is proud to support **Queens of the New Age** aligned with their efforts to expose talented youth to the wide range of professions available within the music and arts industries while presenting clear avenues to desired career outcomes. wjsff works to improve lives and better the world through education, employment, and the arts.



#### Los Angeles

A "Festival of Extraordinary Women" Is Taking Over the California African American Museum

Celebrate Black female excellence with a free day of music, art, and conversation

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This Sunday, the California African
American Museum is showcasing the
talents of a crew of amazing female artists.
At the first-ever Queens of the New Age:
Festival of Extraordinary Women,
attendees of all ages can spend an afternoon
enjoying DJ sets, educational workshops,
poetry, visual art, and live performances by
a mostly Los Angeles-based lineup of
musicians.





