

# Mutli-award winning artist Gian in the UAE

Australian musician Gian already has many accolades to his name, including Best Artist at the ABC Music Awards, Best male Vocalist (ABC Music awards), Broadcasters Choice (ABC Music Awards), APRA Songwriter of the Year, and Best Instrumental Artist In Australia at the MusicOz Awards. Now he is set to grace UAE soil with his unique brand of world pop and soul.

Gian's unique mixture of soul fuelled pop vocals streaked with virtuosic Spanish influenced guitar playing is what has made him stand out and given him the chance to share the stage with legendary artists Sheila E, Grammy nominated songwriter and producer Paul Pederson (Prince, The Corrs, George Benson), Ricky Pederson (John Mayer, George Benson), blues legend Eric Bibb, recently with Academy Award winner Russell Crowe and Australian music legend Marcia Hines in their latest music video Remedy.

Born in Australia to a German mother and an Italian father Gio grew up listening to an eclectic mix of music largely revolving around his parents' love for world music and gospel and soul, all whilst growing up in the MTV generation of Michael Jackson and Prince. Now this Australian has formed a sound all of his own, has 14 years of performance both in Australia and Europe under his belt, and is about to explode into the music scene in the UAE.

Gian's distinctive sound and style is now being introduced to the UAE music scene so keep on the look out for the new flavour of world music for all occasions.

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