

WDCHOF Nomination for: Eric Kitchenman

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Membership Type: regular

Nomination Category: Visual

Performance History:

Crossmen - 1977-1979 - Baritone

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Instructional History:

Westshoremens - 1982,1983 - Visual Instructor

Valley Fever - 1984 - Visual Instructor

Bridgemen - 1985 - Visual Instructor

Anaheim Kingsmen - 1986 - Visual Instructor

Crossmen - 1987-1991, 1996-1997 (co-designer in 97) - Visual Designer (Coordinator in 1998)

Conquest Alliance (UK) - 1986-1988 - Visual Designer

Velvet Knights - 1992-1993 - Visual Designer

Skyliners - 1994-1995 - Visual Designer

Spirit of Atlanta - 1999 - Visual Designer

Buccaneers - 2000-2004, 2006-2007 - Visual Designer

Bluecoats - 2001, 2002 - co-Designer 2001, Designer 2002

Crossmen - 2004 - Program Coordinator

Cadets - 2007-2008 - co-Program Coordinator; Visual Design

Cadets 2009 - Visual Instructor

Boston Crusaders - 2013 - Program Coordinator

Boston Crusaders - 2014 - Staff Coordinator

Administration History:

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Judging History:

WGI - 1992-2020 - Design Analysis Judge

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Special Achievements:

Conquest Alliance - 1986, 1987 DCUK Champions

2006 Crossmen Hall of Fame

2012 Keystone Indoor Drill Association (KIDA) Hall of Fame

2015 Buccaneer Hall of Fame

Sponsor Comments:

I have the opportunity to submit and support Eric Kitchenman's application for consideration as a

member of the World Drum Corps Hall of Fame. As a Past President for the Hall of Fame, I understand the values and qualities that applicants should possess to be considered for this award. These values have been illustrated time and time again to me through over 30 plus years of interaction as a friend, designer and adjudicator. In 2001 I had the opportunity to work with Eric as co-designers for the Canton Bluecoats and in 2002 I had the opportunity to recommend him for the lead role as their designer (if anyone knows me, I would not do this unless he had my total support).

Eric displays to values and utmost ethical commitment to our activity and one that is more than qualifies to be considered for membership to the World Drum Corps Hall of Fame - perhaps even long overdue).

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