

Cara Jones

EXPERIENCE

GPS CAR NAVIGATION SYSTEMS (International, Denso Inc.) 1997 – present

- English voice for the car navigation systems and voice recognition systems in the Jaguar, models of the Mercedes Benz, Lincoln, Ford, Cadillac, Land Rover, and more

OTHER MEDIA 2006-present

- iPhone app voice – Bob Books (by Learning Touch)
- Portland Airport Announcement in English and Japanese (GlobalMe)
- Unitec Car Wash – automated pay station voice in English and Spanish

COMMERCIALS AND INDUSTRIALS (USA, Japan) 1991-2012

Dow, PNC, GreatSchools.com, Staples, TJX, Agnes B., Shick, Toyota, Phillip Morris, JAL (Japan Air Lines), Harry Winston, Volvo, Canon, Deutsche Telecom, Sony, Xerox, Mazda, Mitsubishi, Ansett Australia Airlines, Kirin Beer, Toshiba EMI, Edwin Jeans, Turn It In Safely, Classy Closets, Seacoast Mazda, Wilbur Theatre (Boston), Bleachbright, US Publishers Inc., Web Courseworks and more

TV SHOW: “DBL’S EXCEPTIONAL HOMES AND ESTATES” (Los Angeles, CA) 2003

- Voice-overs for 30 minute weekly program

J-WAVE 81.3 FM (Tokyo, Japan) 1991-1999 *(FULL RADIO RESUME ON NEXT PAGE)*

- Co-hosted “Optune Midnight Faces” with BARRY WHITE (M-F 12am)
- Hosted and programmed the weekly “Essential Love Collection” (Sun 8:30pm)
- Hosted the nightly “Tokio Cold Cuts”, with a listenership of over 2 million (M-F 8pm)

TIME WARNER COMMUNICATIONS (Gardena, CA) 2000 – 2003

- Various spots including television commercials for Hustler Casino; BBQs Galore; Gardena Chamber of Commerce; Planet Fitness; and more

SONY PLAYSTATION, SEGA 1996-1999

- Einhandler – the voice of “Mission Control”
- Tekken 3 – “Michelle Chang”
- Arc The Lad II – “Shante’s singing voice”
- Shenmue – “Hisaka”, “Mayumi”
- Fighting Vipers – “Jane”

WINTER OLYMPICS (International Olympic Committee) 1998

- Announcer of the winners of all outdoor events at the nightly awards ceremonies of the Winter Olympics at Nagano, broadcast live around the world

DOCUMENTARIES AND NARRATIONS 1991-2000

Coca Cola, Tokyo Electric Power Co, Land Rover, Komatsu, Shiseido, Suntory, NHK, Panasonic, Nagano Olympics, Paralympics, ANA Airlines In-flight announcements, Korean Embassy of Japan

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- Hosted “Behind the Hits” segment on the “Boomtown” show – Japanese (F 9:30am, 1998-1999)

BAY FM (Chiba, Japan) 1993-1996

- Hosted “Sunrise Cruise” – English (M-F 5-6am)
- Hosted “Sawaki No Borders” – Japanese (F 7:30-8:30pm)
- Co-hosted “Prime Groove” – Japanese and English (Live Sat 10pm-12am)

FM YOKOHAMA (Yokohama, Japan) 1993

- Hosted “PM Drive” – English and Japanese (Live M-F 4-7pm)

ZIP FM (Nagoya, Japan) 1993-1994

- Hosted “Sweet Soul Time” – English (Sun 12-12:45am)

CBC RADIO (Nagoya, Japan) 1992-1993

- Co-hosted “Aqua Jam” – Japanese, English, Spanish, and occasional French (Live Sun 1-2pm)

KTYO Radio Sky-1 (Satellite, Japan) 1992-1993

- Hosted “The Cara Jones Show” – English (Sat, Sun 6-8am)

WHRB 95.3FM (Cambridge, Massachusetts) 1988-1990

- Hosted “Folkways” (F 12-2pm)
- Ran the Folk Department 1989-1990
- Hosted and produced WHRB’s “Live Folk Orgy” 1989 and 1990 (outdoor festival featured Livingston Taylor, Chris Smither, David Massengill, Johnny Cunningham, Cormac McCarthy...)

INTERVIEWS include:

- Shaggy, Shawn Colvin, Mary Chapin Carpenter, Harry Connick Jr., The Manhattan Transfer, Charlie Watts, Incognito, David Sanborn, Karla Bonoff, Jellyfish, Suzanne Vega, Tony Toni Toné, Richard Thompson...

EDUCATION

HARVARD UNIVERSITY (Cambridge, MA)

- B.A. - East Asian Languages and Civilizations (magna cum laude)
- M.A. - Regional Studies: East Asia

SPECIAL SKILLS

- Fluent in Japanese and conversational in Spanish; studied French, Hebrew, Greek, and Indonesian
- Extensive computer skills, including HTML and web design, graphic design, and Pro Tools

DEMO REEL

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