

Davide Panno

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Inspired by **Eric Clapton** and **Jimi Hendrix** before he was even born, **Davide Panno** has since gone on to be described by critics as one of the most interesting artist's of contemporary blues guitar.

His style as been described as a blend between **Jeff Beck's** and **David Gilmour's**.

After studying Classical Guitar at the age of six, he later went on to graduate at **Conservatory of Santa Cecilia in Rome** and has since performed at a number of clubs and festivals in Italy (Pistoia Blues, Ameno Blues, Blues in Town, Accadia Blues, Liri Blues etc.) and abroad (**The Bitter End** in NYC, **Bass Player** in Los Angeles, **IBC** in Memphis, **Ronnie Scott's** in London, **Fete de la Musique** in Paris, **International Jazz Fest** in Bucharest, **Taubertal Festival** in Frankfurt etc.) and played alongside artists such as **George Benson**, **Phil Palmer**, **David Garfield**, **Mark Mondesir** to name but a few!

On top of this Davide Panno has also won the **Emergenza European Acoustic Festival** as Acoustic Solo Guitarist in 2009, followed by the **Groove Master Award** for **Best Italian Blues guitarist in 2010**, and most recently the **Highland Uproar** competition where he received hundreds of votes from listeners of the station in **Scotland!**

Famous are the collaborations with Maestro **Pippo Caruso** for the TV show "Domenica IN", with the Oscar-winning Maestro **Luis Bacalov** for the work Mediterranean Harbor produced by **Walt Disney**, and the masters Franco Piersanti and Nicola Piovani.

His last album, "**Born Electric**" has been released by **EmArcy/Universal Music**, and with very special guests as **Robben Ford**, **Carl Verheyen**, **David Garfield!**