PANELISTS

• KENIA, Jazz Vocalist
  Learn more at kenialive.com and at Jazz Corner

• Anita Levels, Jazz Vocal Artist
  Visit her at anitabrownlevels.com and at creativelearningpgh.org

• Dr. Jacqueline L. Young, Executive Director, Jazz Workshop, Inc.
  Follow her on Facebook and learn more at jazzworkshopinc.org

Read our panelist’s bios here.

SUMMARY OF DISCUSSION & RESOURCES

Our speakers spotlighted the following women and organizations as influences, mentors, and/or supporters of music and women in jazz. Learn more:

• Gospel Legend Mahalia Jackson
  www.npr.org/2019/09/26/759600078/gospel-queen-on-the-kings-highway

• Saxaphonist Tia Fuller
  www.tiafuller.com/

• Bossa Nova Musical Movement
  www.abc.net.au/rn/features/bossanova/about.htm

• Guide to Brazilian Samba
  https://www.masterclass.com/articles/guide-to-samba-music#quiz-0

• Read about Anita Baker’s work to control her own music
  www.essence.com/entertainment/anita-baker-masters/
• **Jazz Queen Ella Fitzgerald**  
  www.npr.org/2019/09/05/749021799/the-joy-of-ella-fitgeralds-accessible-elegance

• **Civil Rights Activist and musician Nina Simone**  
  www.ninasimone.com/

• **Brazilian vocalist Leny Andrade**  
  www.laphil.com/musicdb/artists/314/leny-andrade

• **Elis Regina’s Musical legacy**  
  www.npr.org/2010/03/08/124357584/elis-regina-the-feeling-between-the-notes

• **Documentary about Dinah Shore**  
  https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tNdL_KGr5dU

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**Explore Pittsburgh’s local jazz organizations and history:**

https://www.carnegielibrary.org/music-special-collections/pittsburgh-jazz-musicians/

https://www.mcgyouthandarts.org/programsMCG

https://pittsburghjazzfest.org/

https://www.pghbluesrootsfest.com/

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