

Preston Sullivan

Co-Managing Partner Global Eyes Entertainment

Preston Sullivan has amassed over 30 years of experience in the music industry. Soon after graduating from Vanderbilt University in 1974 he headed to Los Angeles to pursue an artist career. There he enjoyed a decade of successful musical performance fronting a popular nine-piece R&B group called the drivers; as well as solo performances.

Upon his return to Nashville in 1984, Sullivan sought another position in music, this time the business of the business. He launched the cutting edge college rock/dance alternative label Carlyle Records. The label won numerous industry awards and was critically acclaimed. Sullivan was the first chairman of the board of Nashville Association of Professional Recording Studios (NAPRS) and was instrumental in the grass roots movement of "non-country" music being produced and marketed in Music City.

Sullivan created two music publishing companies; Preston Sullivan Music (ASCAP) and Surespin Songs (BMI), which to date have had over 50 songs recorded by artists around the world enjoying Billboard chart success and gold and platinum album sales.

From 1989 until 1997, Mr. Sullivan was director of operations and in-house producer for Sixteenth Avenue Sound Studios in Nashville, TN. His marketing efforts attracted a client roster that included such hit artists as Steve Winwood, Bon Jovi, Stevie Wonder, Take 6, BeBe and CeCe Wynans, Mark Knopfler, Dolly Parton, George Strait, Alan Jackson, John Denver and Maria Carey. Over 80 of the artists that recorded at the studio in its eleven-year history achieved million-plus sales, as well as Grammy nominations and international music industry awards.

During this time, Mr. Sullivan produced over 100 albums for multi-genre artists for various labels including his own highly acclaimed college rock/dance alternative label Carlyle Records.

Preston co-founded Tappedinto.com / TN2 Entertainment, a frontrunner of the streaming media web cast businesses. The company was sold to Canadian telecom giant Sasktel.

Preston currently is the co-managing partner with Ramona E. Simmons in Global Eyes Entertainment, a full service international media and marketing organization representing labels, publishers, and artists across many genres for the global market place.