

**JEFFERY BROUSSARD**  
*Creole Zydeco Musician*  
*Echoing the Creole Past, Charting Zydeco's Future*

**AWARDS**

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2007 Zydeco Music & Creole Heritage Awards – Accordionist of the Year  
2007 Louisiana Division of the Arts – Artist Entrepreneur Grant  
Awarded a Key to the City of Opelousas, LA, "Zydeco Capital of the World"

**EXPERIENCE**

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2004 – present Bandleader, *Jeffery Broussard & The Creole Cowboys*  
Opelousas-based Creole Zydeco Band  
Lead Vocals, Accordions, Creole Fiddle

2004 – present Staff Instructor, *Louisiana Folk Roots*, Dewey Balfa Cajun & Creole Heritage Week  
Creole Accordion, Creole Fiddle, Band Lab, Scrubboard instruction

2004 – present Workshop Instructor, *Louisiana Folk Roots*, Creole Accordion, Juré demonstrations, jam host

2007 Staff Instructor, Centrum Festival of American Fiddle Tunes, Port Townsend, WA  
Creole fiddle, Band Lab instruction

2005 Staff Instructor, *Augusta Heritage Center*, Cajun/Creole Week, West Virginia  
Creole Accordion instruction

1987 – 2005 Lead Accordion/Vocals, *Zydeco Force*  
Opelousas-based Creole Zydeco Band, Innovators of the "Nouveau Zydeco" sound  
Drummer, *Terrance Simien and the Zydeco Experience*  
Drummer, *Clinton Broussard & The Zydeco Machines*  
Drummer, *Delton Broussard & The Lawtell Playboys*

Private Lessons, Instructor of Creole Accordion – has taught such musicians as: Step Rideau; Leon Chavis; J. Paul, Jr.; Lil' Pookie; great-nephew Lil' Guyland Leday; as well as countless relatives and hobbyists.

Played with the following performers: Geno Delafosse & French Rockin Boogie; Keith Frank; Boozoo Chavis; C.J. Chenier and his Red Hot Louisiana Band; J. Paul, Jr. and the Zydeco NuBreedz; Beau Jocque; Nathan & the Zydeco Cha-Chas; Brian Jack & the Zydeco Gamblers; Step Rideau & The Zydeco Outlaws; Leon Chavis & The Zydeco Flames; Terry & The Zydeco Badboys; Nooney & The Zydeco Floaters; Dexter Ardoin; Nolton Simien; Lil' Nathan & The Zydeco Bigtimers; Roy Carrier; Marcia Ball; The Buddhahood; Corey Young; Robert Leonard; and many more.

Performed at the following locations/venues/events: Zydeco Trailrides across Southwest Louisiana; New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival; The World's Fair; Holland; France; Waterfront Blues Festival, Portland, OR; Gator by the Bay Zydeco & Blues Festival, San Diego, CA; Eagles Hall, Alameda, CA; Ashkenaz, Berkeley, CA; Rhythm & Roots, RI; Mississippi; Alabama; Houston; Fox News, NY; Festivals Acadiens, Lafayette, LA; Great Blue Heron Music Festival, NY; Strawberry Park Blast from the Bayou, CT; Michael Arnone's Crawfish Fest, NJ; Crawfish Festival, FL; Festival Internationale de Louisiane, Lafayette, LA; Breaux Bridge Crawfish Festival, Breaux Bridge, LA; Earlville Opera House, Earlville, NY; Southwest Louisiana Zydeco Festival, Plaisance, LA; Dancehalls and Clubs across Louisiana; and more.

**RECORDINGS/DISCOGRAPHY/MOVIES**

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2007 Jeffery Broussard & The Creole Cowboys <i>Keeping the Tradition Alive</i>	Maison de Soul
2006 Creole Cowboys <i>Where It Come From</i>	Independent
2005 Creole Cowboys <i>Live! New York</i>	Independent
2005 Zydeco Force <i>Louisiana Chicken Shack</i>	Maison de Soul
2003 Zydeco Force <i>Rock Awhile Z-Force Style</i>	Maison de Soul
2001 Zydeco Force <i>You Mean the World to Me</i>	Maison de Soul
2000 Zydeco Force <i>We're Back!</i>	Maison de Soul

1995 Zydeco Force *It's La-La Time*  
1994 Zydeco Force *Zydeco Push*  
1993 Zydeco Force *Shaggy Dog Two-Step*  
1987 Zydeco Force *Zydeco Force*

*Schulze Gets the Blues*, 2003, winner of 11 international film awards

*Passion Fish*, 1992, nominated for 2 Oscars and 2 Golden Globe Awards

*Top Dog*, 1995, with Chuck Norris

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Guest Musician on recordings with the following bands and performers:

The Buddhahood - accordion

Corey Young & Teen Excitement - bass

Robert Leonard - accordion

Roy Carrier - bass/scrubboard

Beau Jocque - accordion/vocals

Louisiana Musicians' Hurricane Relief Benefit DVD - with Marsha Ball, Jesse Lege

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