

# The Licensing of Rights: Considerations for Designers and Producers of Artistic: Works and Works of Mas

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### **CARNIVAL – RIO DE JANEIRO – BRAZIL**

- One of the most important Carnivals in the world
- But, still in the begging small participants
- Composers, Choreographers, Designers
- Remuneration = Only the Cachet = Payment for the work
- Composers of "sambas" -> assignment of rights





### **CARNIVAL – RIO DE JANEIRO – BRAZIL**

 OWNER OF THE RIGHTS — Samba Schools -> LIESA (Independent League of Samba Schools)

LIESA try to centralize the rights

Samba Schools – new business models



# UNIDOS DA TIJUCA SAMBA SCHOOL FRONT LINE COMISSION













# CASE UNIDOS DA TIJUCA SAMBA SCHOOL FRONT LINE COMISSION

- Types of RIGHTS in the FRONT LINE COMISSION
- DESIGNER costumes
- CHOREOGRAPHER— dance and way to show the idea

 Director of Arts (Carnavalesque) – Idea and how expresses the idea in the parade





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#### **COPYRIGHTS**

Samba Song - Author/Composer/Song Writer







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• DIRECTOR OF ARTS (Carnavalesque) - general creator







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DESIGNERS = Costumes











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#### **COPYRIGHTS**

- Trademarks
- The SAMBA SCHOOL NAMES















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#### **IMAGE RIGHTS**

 Dancers, Actors and Artists (Licensing Rights in exchange of the participation)







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#### **ARENA RIGHTS**

• Sambadrome rights (LIESA and TV GLOBO owns the rights and license it for the brands)





#### **BUSINESS MODELS – LICENSING OF THE RIGHTS**

#### FRONT LINE COMISSION TOUR

Unidos da Tijucas selling live presentantions

But – still only the cachet is paid

Performing rights – in Brazil only music



#### **ISTOÉ Online** 03/10/10

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#### Do sambódromo para os palcos

Comissão de frente de ilusionistas da Unidos da Tijuca se apresenta em eventos

ΑE

#### FROM SAMBADROME TO THE STAGES

The Illusionists of Unidos da Tijuca "Comissão de Frente" performs on events





#### **O GLOBO** 03/06/2011

# Folia tipo exportação

Escolas do Rio aumentam o faturamento com apresentações em outros estados e no exterior

#### **EXPORT TYPE REVELRY**

Rio Samba Schools enhancing their revenues performing at other states and abroad





#### **O ESTADO DE S. PAULO** 03/10/2010

# Comissão de frente ilusionista agora encanta nos palcos

Ala da Unidos da Tijuca tem agenda lotada de shows em festas e convenções; convites vêm até do exterior

MINDFREAK "COMISSÃO DE FRENTE" NOW AMAZES ON STAGES Unidos da Tijuca row has a full schedule of shows including parties and conventions; invitations come even from abroad



#### **MUSIC- ECAD AND BLANKET LICENSE**

- Blanket Licenses are used to give permission to use music in situations where issuing individual music licenses would be cumbersome
- The Edimusa/Liesa is given a Blanket License for the Samba Enredo execution on the Sambadrome
- In 2009, the ECAD reclaimed a fee of U\$ 133.620 a 1/12 of the ticketing incoming, for the public execution of a 1976 samba which the author did not assigned the rights to Edimusa
- Detailed explanation on the next presentation

# INVICTA BRANDS: TRYING TO USE THE "ONE-STOP SHOP" MODEL

- Company of Brands management experts;
- Activation and Licensing;
- E-commerce expertise;
- Clients: Nordeste Cup (Soccer Competition), 8 Samba Schools and P9 (boy band);



### **NEW ERA**

1327 employees;

• 14 offices around the globe – USA, JAP, BRA, CAN, FRA, ENG, CHI, ITA, GER;

Production of 50 M caps/year;

More than 420 licenses of sports league and entertainement;

The New Era caps are sold in 81 countries;





 A collection of 8 caps paying tribute to traditional Samba Schools of Rio de Janeiro;

 Unidos da Tijuca, Mangueira, Beija-Flor, Mocidade, Salgueiro, Portela, Vila Isabel, União da Ilha;

One-stop shop model – Invicta Brands;





















#### **OSKLEN**

 Established in 1989, nowadays OSKLEN is a premium brand of CASUAL CHIC fashion;

Represents the "CARIOCA WAY OF LIVING"

SUSTAINABILITY and ENVIRONMENTAL concerns;

62 shops in Brazil;



## OSKLEN

- International shops: 3 ITA, 3 USA, 1 JAP
- International Showrooms: POR, GRE, FRA, SPA
- Exports to BEL, CHL and Middle East



## OSKLEN

 Collection of casual T-shirts (male and femmale) paying tribute to 4 of the most traditional Samba Schools;

Mangueira, Portela, Salgueiro and Beija-Flor;

One-stop shop model – Invicta Brands;



















### CONCLUSIONS

The Licensing model = the best one

 Bands must create a "Brand" and register it as trademark

Try to put the Bands Brand near the Brands

Business models envolves CONSUMERS

### **CONCLUSIONS**

Licensing model = Bands do not assign the rights

Authorization to test possible business models

 Protection of the rights = turn Bands and its works perceptives







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