

A close-up portrait of a woman with long, dark, wavy hair and bangs. She is looking directly at the camera with a neutral expression. She is wearing large, long, thin, metallic earrings and a dark, patterned, off-the-shoulder top. The background is a textured, light brown wall.

NATALIE RUNGAN

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ABOUT NATALIE

Natalie Rungan is a vocalist, producer, songwriter, music educator, and arts manager. An independent South African recording artist who firmly believes in prayer and hard work, Natalie's music is shaped by her musical heritage and a profound experience in Jazz, R&B, Gospel and Pop. With her sultry looks and powerful vocals, she expresses her thoughts and ideas about the many truths she believes love and life to be. She has penned and produced seven studio albums and collaborated with many local and international musicians. Natalie has performed on various stages and festivals across the country and has toured on the African continent, in North America, Europe, Scandinavia and Australia with different ensembles. She has a Master's degree and has just completed a PhD at Rhodes University.

As an educator, Natalie has taught Jazz vocals at the University of Natal, been a choir director in the genres of Jazz and Gospel music and is currently the Head of Music at Durban High School. As an arts manager, Ms Rungan is also the director of the Chris Seabrooke Music Centre at Durban High School and the director of Nabak Arts, a non-profit company focussed on developing music education programmes in South Africa. In 2002 she was awarded Best Jazz Vocalist in the Old Mutual National Jazz Encounters Competition and was nominated for the Metro FM Awards and the Crown Gospel Awards. Her music has also been featured in television productions.

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