

Biographical Description for The HistoryMakers® Video Oral History with Andrew Ingraham

PERSON

Ingraham, Andrew, 1954-

Alternative Names: Andrew Ingraham; Andy Ingraham

Life Dates: August 20, 1954-

Place of Birth: Nassau, Bahamas

Residence: Fort Lauderdale, FL

Work: Fort Lauderdale, FL

Occupations: Association Chief Executive

Biographical Note

Entrepreneur Andrew Ingraham was born on August 20, 1954, in Nassau, Bahamas, where his family owned several businesses, including one in the travel industry. After completing his education, he moved to Fort Lauderdale, Florida, where he began his career in the travel and tourism industry.

In 1999, Ingraham became the president/CEO of the National Association of Black Hotel Owners, Operators and Developers, Incorporated, an organization created to empower African American in the hospitality industry. Ingraham is also the president of Horizons Marketing Group International, which focuses on African American and multicultural tourism.

As an appointee to the White House Conference on Tourism, Ingraham founded the International Multicultural Tourism and Hotel Ownership Conference. Ingraham was also appointed to the National Tourism Advisory Committee for the NAACP. Ingraham has lectured at the American Hotel & Motel Association, National Coalition of Black Meeting Planners, Congressional Black Caucus, and National Association of Black McDonald's Owners Association. He is a member of the National Coalition of Black Meeting Planners, National Black Hospitality Professionals, African American Travel & Tourism Association, and the National Black Hospitality Professionals.

Ingraham lives in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, with his family.

Related Entries

Florida International University [STUDENTOF]

[from ? to ?]

Florida Atlantic University Schools [STUDENTOF]

[from ? to ?]

Northern Caribbean University [STUDENTOF]

[from ? to ?]

Miami Dade College [STUDENTOF]

[from ? to ?]

National Association of Black Hotel Owners, Operators and Developers [EMPLOYEEOF]

[from 1997 to ?]

President & CEO

National Association of Black Hotel Owners, Operators and Developers [MEMBEROF]

[from ? to ?]

Founder, President

National Association for Black Meeting Planners [MEMBEROF]

[from ? to ?]

Member