



LUIS MEDINA

All-Time Sky Sox Great & Hall of Famer

Inducted October 29, 2013

Luis Medina was one of the greatest players in the first 25 years of AAA minor league baseball in Colorado Springs and the face of the franchise for the club's first four seasons from 1988-1991.

He hit 28 home runs, tops in AAA baseball in the inaugural Sky Sox season in 1988, while hitting .310 and driving in 81 runs. He led the team to the Pacific Coast League playoffs in 1989-90-91. In four seasons with the Sky Sox, Medina hit 76 home runs, drove in 251 runs and later became the first player named to the Sky Sox Hall of Fame.

In his 11 seasons in the minor leagues, he hit 155 home runs, drove in 512 runs and compiled a .294 batting average. He spent parts of four seasons (1988-91) with the



Sky Sox, then a farm team of the Cleveland Indians, before joining the Kansas City Royals organization, playing one season for the Omaha Royals, followed by three seasons with Hiroshima in the Nippon Professional Baseball League before retiring.

In 2013, Medina celebrated his 13th year in the Royals organization and his 6th as Special Assistant to the General Manager/Player Personnel. He also spent three seasons as a professional baseball scout and was named the Royals' Art Stewart Scout of the Year in 2009.