



Composer / sound designer
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ABOUT ME

I'm a classically trained composer from Italy, with professional experience in scoring, arranging and orchestrating for medias, as well as sound design.

I'm trained in traditional orchestration (with a focus on post-modern techniques) as well as arranging in multiple contemporary styles.

My DAWs of choice are Logic Pro, Ableton Live and Pro Tools, and I orchestrate/arrange in Sibelius 7.

I have a strong understanding of synthesis and DSP as well as experience with sampling and the development of custom Kontakt instruments (some examples of which you can find at the link below:

<https://bit.ly/3S0KGRK>).

EDUCATION

- **CONSERVATORY "G. VERDI" OF MILAN:** DEGREE "SUMMA CUM LAUDE" IN TRADITIONAL AND EXPERIMENTAL COMPOSITION (SEPTEMBER 2016)
- **ACCADEMIA MUSICALE CHIGIANA (SIENA):** MASTER PROGRAM IN CONTEMPORARY COMPOSITION WITH SALVATORE SCIARRINO (JULY 2016)
- **BERKLEE COLLEGE OF MUSIC:** DOUBLE MAJOR BACHELOR DEGREE "SUMMA CUM LAUDE" IN FILM SCORING AND ELECTRONIC PRODUCTION AND DESIGN (DECEMBER 2021)
GPA: 3.93 (DEAN'S LIST – 2017-2021)

EXPERIENCE

Highlights

- **FREELANCE COMPOSER/SOUND DESIGNER for TV/Web Avert. (2017-...)**
- **ROB LEWIS:** ASSISTANT & ARRANGER for Berklee Show Productions (2020)
- **BERKLEE COLLEGE OF MUSIC:** SUPERVISOR & ARRANGER for social media productions (Summer 2020)
- **ILBE GROUP:** COMPOSER on several productions (such as Amazon Prime's PUFFINS featuring Johnny Depp) (2019-...)
- **FIRDAUS ORCHESTRA / DUBAI EXPO 2020:** ORCHESTRATOR & ARRANGER (2021-...), in residence (Spring 2022)
- **A.R. RAHMAN:** ORCHESTRATOR & ARRANGER on multiple studio records and feature films (2022-...)

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

Highlights

- **2016 FLORENCE STRING QUARTET CALL FOR SCORES INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION: WINNER**
- **2016 TAUKEY COMPOSITION COMPETITION: FINALIST**
- **BERKLEE WORLD TOUR 2016 SCHOLARSHIP (30.000\$):** Grant provided yearly by Berklee College of Music until completion of the bachelor degree program
- **SOREN CHRISTENSEN AWARD 2019:** Awarded each year by Berklee's Film Scoring department to an "international student demonstrating outstanding achievements"
- **INAUGURAL RAMIN DJAWADI SCHOLARSHIP 2019/2020:** (1st recipient) Award established through the generosity of Jennifer and Ramin Djawadi (Game of Thrones, Westworld) to support the studies of a young composer
- **ROMICS - MUSICOMICS - 2022 SIAE Award Best Soundtrack (Animation): FINALIST**