Marie-Jeanne SERERO

Composer Arranger, Orchestrator

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At a young age, Marie-Jeanne Séréro started attending the Higher National Conservatory of Music of Paris (Conservatoire National Supérieur de Musique de Paris) where she was awarded numerous first Prizes in the specialized music theory class as well as in harmony, counterpoint, orchestration, piano accompaniment and song directing.

She combines both her passions: the voice (by working at the Higher National Conservatory of Music of Paris and in various European festivals as a pianist or choir conductor), and orchestral music writing (with film-scoring, composition and arrangements, contemporary creations, opera and choreographic compositions.)

At the Higher National Conservatory of Music of Paris, she began teaching a song director class before getting into orchestration teaching and also supervising the music to image class.

For numerous years, she has performed concerts all over Europe (in duos with Rostropovitch, P. Fontanarosa, Dider Lockwood, O. Charlier, R. Pasquier, Christiane Eda-Pierre, the Ludwig Quatuor)

She is then very busy in France and abroad, working with important personalities and production houses who have asked her to orchestrate and direct prestigious musical projects for either cinema, theatre or live shows and to complete albums of very diverse genres of music.

- Key References -

Films Music (Composition):

- 2015 Anton Tchekov, 1890 dir. René Féret
- 2015 Citizen (Documentary) dir. Eric Bergkraut
- 2015 Tsunami dir. Jacques Deschamps
- 2013 Guillaume et les Garçons à Table ! dir. Guillaume Gallienne

Awarded 5 Césars

- 2013 Le Prochain Film dir. René Féret
- 2013 Service Inbegriffe (Documentary) dir. Eric Bergkraut
- 2010 Nannërl, la soeur de Mozart dir. René Féret
- 2009 *Chrigi* (Animation) dir. Anja Kofmel
- 2005 Coca la Colombe dir. Eric Bergkraut
- 2003 Taxi 3 (co-composition of the song) dir. G.Krawczyk
- 2003 Good Luck Mr. Grosky dir. François Ozon (short film)

Film Music (Orchestration and Direction):

- 2013 Victor Young Pérez Music : Didier Lockwood dir. Jacques Ouaniches
- 2011 Et maintenant on va où? Music : Khaled Mouzanar dir. Nadine Labaki
- 2011 Au bistrot du coin Music : Alexandre Jaffray dir. Charles Nemes
- 2010 L'Arnacoeur (orchestration of the theme song) dir.Pascal Chaumeil
- 2008 Une chanson dans la tête Music : Khaled Mouzanar dir. Harry Tamba
- 2009 Le Séminaire Caméra Café Music : Alexandre Jaffray dir. Charles Nemes
- 2007 Caramel Musique : Khaled Mouzanar dir. Nadine Labaki
- 2003 Astérix 2 "Ti Amo"
- 2003 Fanfan la Tulipe Music : Alexandre Azaria dir.Gérard Krawczyk
- 2002 Peau d'Ange dir. Vincent Pérez

- 2002 Wasabi dir : Gérard Krawczyk
- 2002 Le Transporteur Music : Stanley Clarke dir. Corey Yuen
- 2001 *Vercingétorix* Music : Pierre Charvet dir. Jacques Dorfmann
- 2000 Le Monde de Marty Music : Alexandre Jaffray dir. Denis Bardiau
- 1992 1492: Christophe Colomb Music: Vangelis dir. Ridley Scott
- 1992 Loulou Graffiti Music : Yvan Cassar dir. Christian Lejalé

Theatre, Original compositions:

- 2015 "Toujours la Tempête" written by Peter Handke théâtre de l'Odéon (Paris), direct*ed by Alain Françon*
- 2013 "Solness le Constructeur " written by Ibsen théâtre de la Colline (Paris??), directed by : Alain Françon
- 2012 "Pièces sur la Villegiature" written by Goldoni Comédie Française (Paris), directed by Alain Françon
- 2012 "Oncle Vania" written by Tchékov, directed by Alain Françon
- 2011 "Monologues, Cercle des Castagnettes " written by Feydeau Studio Théâtre de la Comédie Française (Paris), *directed by Alain Françon*
- 2011 "Le Petit Prince" written by St Exupéry studio théâtre de la Comédie Française, *directed by Aurélien Recoing.*
- 2010 "Du Mariage au Divorce" written by Feydeau, directed by Alain Françon
- 2010 "Les Trois Soeurs" written by Tchékov, directed by Alain Françon
- 2008 "La Cerisaie" written by Tchékov, directed by Alain Françon

Music for advertising (orchestration and direction):

- 2011 BNP Paribas
- 2009 Numericable (Abbey Road Studio with the band Justice)
- 2010 AREVA
- 2006 EDF
- 2002 Gaz de France
- 2002 Champion

1994 Gaz de France, Music by Gabriel Yared, (Orchestration for the London Philharmonic Orchestra, Abbey Road Studio)

Performing Art:

- Orchestration for *Didier Lockwood*'s melodies and concerto, concert performed at the Salle Pleyel in Paris, conducted by *Jean-Claude Casadesus*.
- Football World Cup 1998 (arrangement and orchestration for the two Philharmonic Orchestras of *Radio France*)
- Orchestration for the concert performed by opera singer *Montserrat Caballé* and the *City of Athens Symphony Orchestra* (composition by *Vangelis*)
- Music arrangements for the *Orchestre Symphonique d'île de France*, performing at the Zénith, accompanying Brazilian singer *Lénine* in 2006

Compositions:

- State commission for the handing out of Pierre and Marie Curie's ashes to the Pantheon: melody for Soprano and the *Orchestra of the Republican Guard* (assisted by President F. Mitterand and Lech Walesa)
- Commission for the bicentenary of the Higher National Conservatory of Music of Paris (Solo cello)
- Ballet, Tokyo Japan
- Numerous commissions for many European festivals (voice and piano melodies as well as chamber music)
- Composer and pianist for the Quatuor created by the jazz violinist Didier Lockwood.
- Commissioned by the Editions Gallimard Jeunesse: Audio books « Coco et les pompiers », « Billy and Rose », « Alexis » written by M. Yourncenar for cham ber music, Rimbaud's poems, « Soie » written by Alexandre Barico, « Dora Bruder » written by P. Modiano.
- Composer ambient music for *France-Musique*, *Radio France*, for the new channel *Vivace*.

Arrangements, orchestration and directions for music albums:

(albums recorded in London, Paris, Brussels, Stockholm, Budapest and Prague for strings, copperwares, choirs et symphony orchestras)

Rap: Sniper, Stomy Bugsy, Idéal J, Jalane, L'Hip-Hopée, Tony Truand, 113, DJ Mehdi, Eska Crew, Kery James, Médine

Rock: Tanger, Indochine, Cornu, Loeil, Katonoma, Noir Désir, Axelle Renoir, Jean-Louis Aubert, Louis Bertignac

Pop: Florent Pagny, Faudel, Fares, Julie Zenati, Lois Andrea, Jacques Dutronc, Duo Barbara Scaff et Jenny Mc Kay, Liane Foly, Era, Zazie, Dany Brillant, Lilicub, Gipsyland, Arielle Dombasles, Nathalie Lorio, Jerôme Cotta, Luc Arbogast, etc.