

Atli Örvarsson

COMPOSER

From historical epics to courtroom drama to tales of the supernatural, Icelandic composer Atli Örvarsson has provided innovative scores to tell all of these stories. Atli's talent, experience, versatility, and skill combined with his Icelandic roots has produced an individualised and compelling style that contributes to his success as a musician and composer. His credits include orchestrating and contributing music for some of Hollywood's biggest projects, including the *Pirates of the Caribbean* series, *Angels and Demons* and *Man of Steel*.

As a composer, Atli displays musical diversity throughout his action-film scores in *The Eagle*, *Vantage Point*, *Babylon A.D.*, the Morgan Freeman caper *Thick as Thieves*, *The Fourth Kind*, and the Nicolas Cage medieval fantasy *Season of the Witch*. His most recent credits include *The Edge of Seventeen* starring Woody Harrelson, *Bilal: A New Breed of Hero*, *The Mortal Instruments: City of Bones*, the dark and edgy film *Hansel and Gretel: Witch Hunters*, the drama/thriller *A Single Shot* starring Sam Rockwell, and the hit NBC series *Chicago Fire* and *Chicago PD*. Current projects include the remake of the 1990s thriller *Jacob's Ladder*, NBC's *Chicago Justice*, and the upcoming animated feature *PLOEY – You'll Never Fly Alone*.

Originally from the small town of Akureyri, Atli Örvarsson became established in the local music scene at a young age. He earned three platinum and two gold records as a member of the Icelandic band *Salin hans Jóns mins* before studying film composing at Berklee College of Music and the North Carolina School of the Arts. He excelled in composing and was awarded the Pete Carpenter Fellowship, which brought him to Los Angeles. He began working alongside TV veteran Mike Post on *NYPD Blue* and three *Law and Order* brands. Soon after that, Atli met composer Hans Zimmer, who extended an invitation to join his team at Remote Control Studios. Atli's accolades include several ASCAP & BMI Film & TV Music Awards and he was nominated for the prestigious World Soundtrack Academy's "Discovery of the Year Award" for his score for *Babylon A.D.*

Film

JACOB'S LADDER

Gaeta / Rosenzweig Films
Director: David M. Rosenthal
Producers: Michael J. Gaeta, Alison R. Rosenzeig
Starring: Karla Souza, Nicole Beharie, Jesse Williams

PLOEY – YOU’LL NEVER FLY ALONE

GunHil
Director: Árni Ásgeirsson
Producers: Ives Agemans, Hilmar Sigurósson

THE EDGE OF SEVENTEEN

Gracie Films / STX Entertainment
Director: Kelly Fremon Craig
Producers: Julie Ansell, James L. Brooks, Richard Sakai
Starring: Hailee Steinfeld, Woody Harrelson, Hailey Lu Richardson

BILAL: A NEW BREED OF HERO

Barajoun Entertainment
Director: Khurram H. Alavi
Producer: Ayman Jamal
Starring: Ian McShane, Adewale Akinnuoye-Agbaje

THE PERFECT GUY

Rocklin/Faust, Screen Gems
Director: David M. Rosenthal
Producers: Tommy Oliver, Wendy Rhoads, Nicole Rocklin, Darryl Taja
Starring: Sanaa Lathan, Michael Ealy, Morris Chestnut

RAMS

Aeroplan Film
Director: Grímur Hákonarson
Producer: Grímar Jónsson

*****Winner: Best Score at 2015 HARPA Nordic Film Composer Award*****

BLÓDBERG (THE HOMECOMING)

Vestuport
Director: Björn Hlynur Haraldsson
Producers: Rake! Gardarsdottir, Augusta M. Olafsdottir

THE MORTAL INSTRUMENTS

Constantin Film Produktion / Unique Features
Director: Harald Zwart
Producers: Don Carmody, Robert Kulzer
Starring: Lily Collins, Jamie Campbell Bower

MAN OF STEEL
(additional music)

Warner Bros.
Director: Zack Snyder
Producers: Christopher Nolan, Charles Roven, Deborah Snyder, Emma Thomas
Starring: Henry Cavill, Amy Adams, Russell Crowe, Kevin Costner, Diane Lane

COLETTE

Happy Celluloid
Director: Milan Cieslar
Producers: Milan Cieslar, Wanda Hycova

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| EVIDENCE | Bold Films / RLJ Entertainment Director: Olatunde Osunsanmi Producers: David Lancaster, Michel Litvak, Marc Platt, Anthony Rhulen, Jeffrey Stott Starring: Stephen Moyer, Radha Mitchell |
| A SINGLE SHOT | Unified Pictures Director: David M. Rosenthal Producers: Chris Coen, Aaron L. Gilbert, Keith Kjarval, Jeff Rice Starring: Sam Rockwell, William H. Macy |
| HANSEL & GRETEL: WITCH HUNTERS | Paramount Pictures Director: Tommy Wirkola Producers: Will Ferrell, Beau Flynn, Adam McKay, Kevin J. Messick Starring: Jeremy Renner, Gemma Arterton, Famke Janssen |
| THE EAGLE | Focus Features Director: Kevin Macdonald Producer: Duncan Kenworthy Starring: Channing Tatum |
| SEASON OF THE WITCH | Atlas Entertainment / Reletivity Media Director: Dominic Sena Producers: Alex Gartner, Charles Roven Starring: Nicolas Cage, Ron Perlman |
| THE FOURTH KIND | Universal Pictures Director: Olatunde Osunsanmi Producers: Paul Brooks, Joe Carnahan, Terry Robbins Starring: Milla Jovovich |
| ANGELS AND DEMONS <i>(additional music)</i> | Columbia Pictures Director: Ron Howard Producers: John Calley, Brian Grazer, Ron Howard Starring: Tom Hanks, Ewan McGregor |
| THICK AS THIEVES | Millennium Films Director: Mimi Leder Producers: Randall Emmett, Danny Lerner, Lori McCreary, Les Weldon Starring: Morgan Freeman, Tom Hardy |
| VANTAGE POINT | Columbia Pictures Director: Pete Travis Producers: Mark Farrington, Neal H. Moritz Starring: Dennis Quaid, Matthew Fox, Forest Whitaker |

IRON MAN
(additional music)

Paramount Pictures
Director: Jon Favreau
Producers: Avi Arad, Kevin Feige
Starring: Robert Downey Jr., Terrence Howard, Jeff Bridges, Gwyneth Paltrow

BABYLON A.D.

StudioCanal / Twentieth Century Fox
Director: Mathieu Kassovitz
Producers: Alain Goldman, Matthieu Kassovitz, Selwyn Roberts
Starring: Vin Diesel

THE SIMPSONS MOVIE
(additional music)

Twentieth Century Fox
Director: David Silverman
Producers: James L. Brooks, Matt Groening, Al Jean, Claudia Katz, Richard Sakai, Mike Scully

**PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: AT
WORLD'S END** *(additional music)*

Walt Disney Pictures
Director: Gore Verbinski
Producer: Jerry Bruckheimer
Starring: Johnny Depp, Geoffrey Rush, Orlando Bloom, Keira Knightley

THE HOLIDAY
(additional music)

Columbia Pictures
Director: Nancy Meyers
Producer: Bruce A. Block
Starring: Cameron Diaz, Kate Winslet, Jude Law, Jack Black

STUART LITTLE 3

Mainframe Entertainment
Director: Audu Paden
Producers: Lucy Fisher, Leslie Hough, Steven Wendland, Douglas Wick
Starring: Michael J. Fox

**THE LAST CONFEDERATE: THE STORY
OF ROBERT ADAMS**

Strongbow Pictures
Director: A. Blaine Miller
Producers: Julian Adams, Weston Adams, Billy Fox

Television

CHICAGO JUSTICE

Wolf Films / Universal Television

CHICAGO MED

NBC Universal Television

CHICAGO PD

Wolf Films / Universal Television

CHICAGO FIRE

Wolf Films / Universal Television

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| LAW & ORDER: LA | Wolf Films / Universal Media Studios |
| SIX DEGREES | Bad Robot / Touchstone Television |
| JUST LEGAL | Jerry Bruckheimer Television / Warner Bros. Television |
| DRAGNET | Wolf Films / Universal Television |
| 10.5 APOCALYPSE <i>(additional music)</i> | Hallmark Entertainment |
| LAW & ORDER: CRIMINAL INTENT (2 episodes) | Wolf Films |

Video Games

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| FREE REALMS | Sony Online Entertainment |
| CALL OF DUTY: MODERN WARFARE 2 <i>(additional music)</i> | Activision Blizzard, Infinity Ward, PCB Productions |