

SAMUEL SIM

COMPOSER

Samuel is widely considered to be one of the most exceptional musical talents of his generation. His beautifully evocative music and award winning film and television scores are fast making him one of the most sought-after composers working in the industry today.

Early in his career, Samuel quickly stood out from the crowd with his award winning score for the BBC's **Dunkirk**. A whirlwind success followed which soon saw him composing for the Hollywood feature film **Awake** for the Weinstein Company.

Most recently Sam has scored both series of ITV's hugely successful TV drama **Home Fires**, two ITV feature films based on Georges Simenon's Maigret novels (**Maigret Sets A Trap** and **Maigret's Dead Man**) starring Rowan Atkinson, C4's drama **The Mill** (for which Sam's score received an **Ivor Novello nomination**), ITV's **Chasing Shadows**, the touching ITV feature **Father's Day**, and the Charlie Brooker/Daniel Maier comedy creation **Touch Of Cloth**. He also composed a wonderfully evocative score for the riveting **STOP AT NOTHING: The Lance Armstrong Story**. He's currently working on ITV and Left Bank Pictures' major eight-part drama **The Halcyon**.

He went on to write the score for the **BAFTA** and **Emmy Award** winning **House of Saddam**, employing a unique blend of styles and instrumentation. Rare middle-eastern voices and instruments and dark, intense electronica were masterfully mixed with a full classical string orchestra. Described by one critic as: "superbly pitched somewhere between Stravinsky and The Chemical Brothers..."

Samuel showed his strong command of classical disciplines with his beautiful orchestral score for the lavish BBC adaptation of Jane Austen's **Emma**, earning him a **RTS Award** nomination for best musical score. In stark contrast, the dark haunting music for Tiger Aspects submarine thriller, **The Deep**, starring Minnie Driver and James Nesbitt, was also nominated for an **RTS Award**.

Other career highlights include the ITV drama series **The Reckoning**, David Attenborough's **Climate Chaos** series and additional music for the feature films **Bobby**, starring Antony Hopkins, Helen Hunt, Laurence Fishburne & Shia LaBeouf; **Doogal**, for the Weinstein Company; **The Damned United** starring Michael Sheen & Timothy Spall and ABC's primetime drama, **Combat Hospital**.

Samuel scored **Of Two Minds**, starring Kristin Davis & Tammy Blanchard, and the critically acclaimed **We Are Poets**, which released in the summer of 2013. Also that year he wrote the music for Left Bank's flagship series **Mad Dogs** for Sky 1, the BBC series **By Any Means**, and the hugely successful ITV drama series, **Ice Cream Girls**.

"An extremely inventive and talented composer" (Michael Kamen: Film Composer)

Further information available at www.samuelsim.com

FEATURE FILM

MAIGRET'S DEAD MAN

Ealing Studios
Director: Jon East
Producer: Jeremy Gwilt
Starring Rowan Atkinson

MAIGRET SETS A TRAP

Ealing Studios
Director: Ashley Pearce
Producer: Jeremy Gwilt
Starring Rowan Atkinson

STOP AT NOTHING: THE LANCE ARMSTRONG STORY

Passion Pictures
Director: Alex Homes

IN THE SHADOW OF THE SUN

Director: Harry Freeland

SALMA

Channel 4
Director: Kim Longinotto

WE ARE POETS

Director: Alex Ramseyer-Bache
Producer: Daniel Lucchesi

LAD: A YORKSHIRE STORY

Rouge Runner Films
Director: Dan Hartly
Producers: Richard Shean
Starring: Bretten Lord

AWAKE

Weinstein Co. / Greene Street Films
Director: Joby Harold
Producers: Kelly Carmichael, Bob Weinstein, Harvey Weinstein, Tim Williams
Starring: Jessica Alba, Hayden Christensen, Lena Olin, Terrence Howard

OF TWO MINDS

Silver Screen Productions
Director: David Holroyd
Producer: Christine Hartland
Starring: Kirsten Davis, Tammy Blanchard, Joel Gretch

W.M.D.

Patchwork Films
Director: David Holroyd
Producer: Christine Hartland
Starring: Emily Denniston, Jo-Anne Knowles
Robert Cambrinus and Glenn Conroy

THE DAMNED UNITED (Additional Music)

Left Bank Pictures
Director: Tom Hooper
Producers: Andy Harries, Grainne Marmion
Starring: Michael Sheen, Jim Broadbent, Timothy Spall

FLAK

Patchwork Films
Director: Finn McGough
Starring: Ralph Laurila, Nicole Lecky & Daniel Ormerod

BOBBY
(Additional Music)

Weinstein Co.
Director: Emilio Estevez
Producers: Daniel Grodnik, Michelle Krum, Matt Landon
Starring: Anthony Hopkins, Helen Hunt, Sharon Stone, Demi Moore, Elijah Wood, Laurence Fishburne, Lindsay Lohan, Martin Sheen, William H Macy, Christian Slater

2 Golden Globe Nominations: Best Music / Best Picture

DOOGAL
(Additional Music)

Pathe Films, Weinstein Co.
Directors: Dave Borthwick, Jean Duval, Frank Passingham
Producers: Jake Eberts, Butch Hartman, Matt Landon, Cameron McCracken, Eric Robinson, Jill Sinclair
Starring: Whoopi Goldberg, Chevy Chase, Judi Dench

TELEVISION DRAMA

THE HALCYON

ITV / Left Bank Pictures
Director: Rob Evans, Justin Hardy, Philip John, Stephen Woolfenden
Producers: Chris Croucher

MURDERED BY MY FATHER

BBC
Director: Bruce Goodison
Producers: Toby Welsh

HOME FIRES
(series 1 and 2)

ITV Studios
Directors: Bruce Goodison, Robert Quinn
Producers: Sue de Beauvoir, Jeremy Gwilt

RTS Awards Nomination 2015: Best Original Score

RTS Awards Nomination 2015: Best Original Title

COALITION

Cuba Pictures
Director: Ales Holmes
Producers: Sarah Curtis, Dixie Linder

CHASING SHADOWS

ITV Studios
Director: Chris Menaul
Producer: Rob Bullock

THE MILL
(series 2)

Darlow Smithson Productions
Director: Sue Tully, Bill Anderson
Producer: Johnathan Young

Ivor Novello Award Nomination 2015: Best Television Soundtrack

TOUCH OF CLOTH

Director: Jim O'Hanlon
Producer: Mat Chaplin

FATHER'S DAY

Director: Cilla Ware
Producer: Charlie Duce
Starring: Ray Winstone, Charles Dance

BY ANY MEANS	Red Planet Pictures / BBC Director: Charles Palmer Producer: Tim Key Starring: Keith Allen, Warren Brown
ICE CREAM GIRLS	Left Bank Pictures / ITV Director: Dan Zeff Producer: Andrew Benson Starring: John Simm, Max Beesly, Marc Warren, Philip Glenister.
MAD DOGS	Left Bank Pictures Director: James Hawes Producer: Andrew Benson Starring: John Simm, Max Beesly, Marc Warren, Philip Glenister.
COMBAT HOSPITAL (Co-written with Edmund Butt)	Sienna Films, Artists Studio, Lookout Point Directors: Chris Menaul, Ian B Macdonald, Stephen Reynolds, Helen Shaver, Paul Unwin Producer: Michael J Maschio Starring: Luke Mably, Elias Koteas
THE RECKONING	TXTV / ITV Directors: Jim O'Hanlon Producers: Jeremy Gwilt, Chris Lang Starring: Ashley Jensen & Max Beesley
THE DEEP	Tiger Aspect / BBC Directors: Colm McCarthy Producers: Will Gould Starring: Minnie Driver, James Nesbitt, Goran Visnjic *RTS Award Nomination: Best Title Music*
EMMA	BBC Directors: Jim O'Hanlon Producers: George Ormond Starring: Ramola Garai, Michael Gambon, Johnny Lee Miller, Tamsin Greig *RTS Award Nomination: Best Music*
HOUSE OF SADDAM	BBC / HBO Director: Alex Holmes Producers: Alex Holmes, Hilary Salmon, Jane Tranter, Steve Lightfoot Starring: Yigal Naor, Said Taghmaoui and Shohreh Aghdashloo
LET IT SNOW	SKY1 Directors: Sam Miller Producers: Tim Bricknal Starring: Paterson Joseph, Angela Griffin
ANCIENT ROME The Rise And Fall Of An Empire: Constantine	BBC 2 Director: Nick Murphy Producers: Matthew Barrett, Mark Hedgecoe Starring: Sean Pertwee, Michael Sheen, David Threlfall

THE GOLDEN HOUR

ITV 1 / FOX
Sony Pictures / Talkback Thames
Directors: Julian Holmes, Tim Leandro
Producers: Dean Hargrove, Johnathan Young
Starring: Richard Armitage, Navin Chowdhry,
Zoe Telford

SPACE RACE

BBC 1 / National Geographic
Directors: Mark Everest, Christopher Spencer.
Producer: Jill Fullerton-Smith

THE MAN WHO BROKE BRITAIN

BBC 1 / Wall to Wall Television
Director: Gabriel Range
Producer: Simon Finch

Wincott Award: Winner of Best Drama

DUNKIRK

BBC 2 / History Channel
Director: Alex Holmes
Producers: Mike Dormer, Peter Lovering
Narrator: Timothy Dalton

FIPA D'OR Winner: Best Original Music

BAFTA Winner: Hue Weldon Award

ENCOUNTERS

October Films
8 Short Films for Channel 4

BETTER THAN SEX

Boot Films
10 Short Films for Channel 4

DOCUMENTARY FEATURES

KILLER WOMEN WITH PIERS MORGAN

ITV Studios / Plum Pictures

LAS VEGAS WITH TREVOR MCDONALD

ITV Studios / Plum Pictures

ROOKIES

ITV Studios / Plum Pictures

**BILLIONAIRE'S PARADISE:
INSIDE NECKER ISLAND**

BBC
Director: Kari Lia

THE MAFIA WITH TREVOR MCDONALD

ITV

SNOWBLIND

Renegade Pictures
Director: Vikram Jayanti

GHOSTS OF THE SEVENTH CAVALRY

October Films / BBC / SUNDANCE
October Films
Director: Tom Roberts

**DAVID ATTENBOROUGH'S
CLIMATE CHAOS**

BBC 1 / Discovery Channel
Directors: Nicholas Brown, Stephen Cooter
Producers: Sacha Baveystock, Jeremy Bristow
Presenter: David Attenborough

BREAKING UP WITH THE JONESES

Channel 4 / Betty TV

Director: Ursula Macfarlane

Broadcast Award Nomination: Best Documentary

4 BAFTA Award Nominations including Best Documentary 2007

Greirson Award Nomination: Best Documentary

639 WAYS TO KILL CASTRO

Channel 4 / SUNDANCE

Silver River

Director: Dollan Cannell

Producers: Kari Lia, Peter Moore

7 HOURS ON BOXING DAY

BBC 1 / PBS

Diverse Television

Director: Gregor Lyon

Multi BAFTA Award Winner

THE END OF THE WORLD AS WE KNOW IT

Channel 4 / October Films

Director: Nick Hornby

Producers: Nick Hornby, Angus MacQueen

Presenter: Marcel Theroux

THE LOST BOYS

Channel 4 / PBS

October Films

Director: Clive Gordon