

# ROB LANE

## COMPOSER

One of the most versatile and sought-after composers working today, Rob is a multi-award winning composer with a huge array of credits across many genres. A **BAFTA winner** for his score for Channel 4's **Elizabeth** starring Helen Mirren, he has also received **3 Ivor Novello awards**, **3 RTS awards** and **4 EMMY nominations** for scores as diverse as **John Adams**, **Blackpool**, **Jane Eyre**, **Longford**, **Daniel Deronda**, **Charles II** and **The Last Weekend**. Rob's most recent work includes ITV's brand new 13-part epic warrior drama **Beowulf** and BBC One's 6-part drama **The A Word**.

Rob's remarkable ear for a memorable melody has long been a key part of his output and has graced many a period drama, from **Love In A Cold Climate** and **Tess Of The D'Urbervilles** through to ITV's **Arthur and George** (starring Martin Clunes) and BBC1's recent World War One drama **The Crimson Field**. A suite from his much loved music for **Merlin** was performed in the 2012 Proms In The Park season and his main theme from HBO's epic mini-series **John Adams** starring Paul Giamatti has been much performed in the US.

Equally though, more recent scores for the psychological thrillers **Hidden**, **The Last Weekend** and BBC1s recent **Quirke** starring Gabriel Byrne have seen an increased and innovative use of electronica that reflects a new and growing left-field aspect to Rob's work.

A continuous desire to keep experimenting musically has also seen him produce two quirky jazz inflected scores for Cocky Giedroyc's **Spies Of Warsaw** and Carnival Pictures' **Murder On The Home Front**.

A strong desire to collaborate with interesting musicians across the world has seen Rob travelling to Johannesburg to work with the South African Broadcast Corporation Choir for Tom Hooper's post-apartheid thriller **Red Dust** starring Hilary Swank and collaborating with Bollywood music stars, Shankar Esshan Loy for **West Is West**, Andy DeEmmony's lyrical sequel to **East Is East**. He also recently sought out collaborations with Greek and Turkish musicians both for ABC Network's remake of **Ben Hur** starring Ray Winstone and BBC1's fantasy adventure series **Atlantis**.

It is this complete dedication to finding the emotional heart of a film and to render it in detailed, extremely nuanced work that continues to keep Rob in demand as a film & TV composer.

## FEATURE FILMS

### BEST LAID PLANS

Made Up North Films  
Director: David Blair  
Producer: Mike Knowles  
Starring: Stephen Graham , Maxin Peake

**WEST IS WEST**

Assassin Films Ltd / BBC Films  
Director: Andy DeEmonney  
Producer: Leslee Udwin  
Starring: Om Puri, Linda Bassett

**THE DAMNED UNITED**

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

**MRS. RATCLIFFE'S REVOLUTION**

Assassin Films  
Director: Billie Eltringham  
Producer: Leslee Udwin  
Starring: Ian Glen, Catherine Tate

**RED DUST**

BBC Films/Distant Horizon  
Director: Tom Hooper  
Producers: Anant Singh, David Thompson, Ruth Caleb  
Cast: Hilary Swank, Chiwetel Ejiofor

**THE LIVES OF THE SAINTS**

Dazed Film  
Directors: Rankin and Chris Cottam  
Producer: Laura Hastings-Smith

**AILEEN: THE LIFE & DEATH  
OF A SERIAL KILLER**

Director: Nick Broomfield  
Producer: Jo Human

**DEATHWATCH**

Co Composed for F&ME  
Director: Michael J Basset  
Producer: Sam Taylor

**GAME OVER: KASPAROV  
AND THE MACHINE**

Director: Vikram Jayanti  
Producer: Hal Vogel

**THE ESCAPIST**

Director: Gillies MacKinnon  
Producer: Jolyon Symonds

**THE GIRL WITH BRAINS  
IN HER FEET**

Lexington Films  
Director: Roberto Bangura  
Producer: Don Boyd

**THE YOUNG POISONER'S  
HANDBOOK**

Mass Productions/British Screen/Pandora  
Director: Ben Ross  
Producer: Sam Taylor

## TELEVISION

**THE A WORD**

BBC  
Directors: Peter Cattaneo, Dominic Leclerc, Susan Tully  
Producer: Marcus Wilson  
Starring: Christopher Eccleston, Morven Christie, Lee Ingleby

<b>BEOWULF</b>	ITV Directors: Jon East, Julian Holmes, Marek Losey, Stephen Woolfenden, Kerric MacDonald Producer: Stephen Smallwood Starring: Keiran Bew, William Hurt, Joanne Whalley
<b>ARTHUR AND GEORGE</b>	ITV Directors Stuart Orme Producers: Philippa Braithwaite, Trevor Hopkins Starring: Martin Clunes, Art Malik
<b>THE CRIMSON FIELD</b>	BBC Directors: David Evans, Richard Clark Producer: Annie Tricklebank Starring: Oona Chaplan, Hermione Norris, Suranne Jones, Kevin Doyle, Kerry Fox, Marianne Oldham
<b>ATLANTIS</b>	BBC / Urban Myth Films Directors: Declan O'Dwyer, Alice Troughton, Justin Molotnikov Producer: Johnny Capps Starring: Jack Donnelly, Mark Addy, Jemima Rooper, Robert Emms, Juliet Stevenson
<b>KLONDIKE</b> (Additional Songs)	E1 / Nomadic / Scott Free Director: Simon Cellan Jones Producer: Michael Frislev Starring: Sam Shepard, Abbie Cornish, Ian Hart, Richard Madden, Tim Roth, Johnny Simmons
<b>QUIRKE</b>	BBC Director: John Alexander, Diurmuid Lawrence, Jim O'Hanlon Producer: Lisa Osborne Starring: Gabriel Byrne
<b>MURDER ON THE HOMEFRONT</b>	Carnival Films Director: Geoffrey Sax Producer: Christopher Hall Starring: Holly Atkins, Joey Batey
<b>SPIES OF WARSAW</b>	Fresh Pictures Director: Coky Giedroyc Producer: Richard Fell Starring: David Tennant, Janet Montgomery
<b>THE MAKING OF A LADY</b>	Runaway Fridge Director: Richard Curson Smith Producer: Jo Willet Starring: Lydia Wilson, Joanna Lumley, Linus Roache
<b>THE LAST WEEKEND</b>	Carnival Films Director: Jon East Producer: Christopher Hall Starring: Shaun Evans, Rupert Penry-Jones, Genevieve O'Reilly
<b>RTS Craft Award for Best Original Title Theme 2012*</b>	
<b>BERT AND DICKIE</b>	BBC Director: David Blair Producer: Chrissy Skinns Starring: Matt Smith, Sam Hoare

<b>HIDDEN</b>	Origin Pictures Director: David Blair Producer: David Thomson Starring: Philip Glenister, David Suchet
<b>THE SUSPICIONS OF MR WHICHER</b>	Hat Trick Productions Director: James Hawes Producer: Nigel Marchant Executive Producer: Mark Redhead Starring: Paddy Considine
<b>SOUTH RIDING</b>	BBC Director: Diarmuid Lawrence Producer: Lisa Osborne Starring: David Morrissey, Anna Maxwell Martin, Charlie Clarke
<b>BEN HUR</b>	ABC / CBC Canada Director: Steve Shill Producer: Michael Prupas Executive Producer: David Wyler Starring: Joseph Morgam, Ray Winstone
<b>GRACIE!</b>	BBC Director: Brian Percival Producer: Janet Tyler Starring: Jane Horrocks
<b>THE 39 STEPS</b>	BBC Director: James Hawes Producer: Lynn Horsford Executive Producer: Hilary Salmon Starring: Rupert Penry-Jones
<b>TESS OF THE D'URBERVILLES</b>	BBC Director: David Blair Producer: David Snodin Starring: Gemma Arterton, Eddie Redmayne,
<b>MERLIN</b> (Series 1, 2, 3 and 5)	Shine Ltd/BBC Wales Director: James Hawes Producer: Julie Gardner Starring: Anthony Head, Richard Wilson
<b>JOHN ADAMS</b>	HBO Director: Tom Hooper Producer: Gary Goetzman, Tom Hanks, Kirk Ellis Starring: Paul Giamatti, Laura Linney <b>*EMMY Nomination 2008: Best Original TV Music*</b>
<b>COMING DOWN THE MOUNTAIN</b>	Tiger Aspect Director: Julie Anne Robinson Producer: Roanna Benn Starring: Benedict Cumberbatch, Tom Hardy
<b>THE WHISTLEBLOWERS</b>	Carnival Films Director: John McKay, Paul Gay and Richard Clark Producer: Sanne Wohlenberg
<b>STUART, A LIFE BACKWARDS</b>	BBC/HBO Director: David Atwood Producer: Pippa Harris

**JANE EYRE** BBC  
 Director: Susanna White  
 Producer: Diedrick Santer  
 Starring: Ruth Wilson, Toby Stephens  
**\*BAFTA Nomination 2007: Best Original TV Music\***  
**\*RTS Nomination 2007: Best Original TV Music\***

**LONGFORD** Channel 4  
 Director: Tom Hooper  
 Producer: Andy Harries, Peter Morgan  
 Starring: Jim Broadbent, Samantha Morton  
**\*EMMY Nomination 2007: Best Original TV Music\***

**THE STREET** Granada Manchester for the BBC  
 Directors: David Blair / Terry McDonough  
 Producer: Ken Horn  
 Starring: Jim Broadbent, Jane Horrocks,  
 Writer: Jimmy McGovern

**ELIZABETH I** Company Pictures/HBO  
 Director: Tom Hooper  
 Producers: Barney Reisz, Mark Pybus  
 Starring: Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons  
**\*BAFTA Award 2006: Best Original TV Music\***  
**\*Ivor Novello Award 2006: Best Original TV Music\***  
**\*RTS Award 2006: Best Original Theme Music\***

**TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH** BBC  
 Director: David Attwood  
 Producer: Lyn Horsford

**VINCENT** Granada  
 Directors: Peter Lydon, Roger Gartland  
 Jeremy Lovering, Terry McDonough  
 Producer: John Rushton, Rebecca Hodgson  
 Starring: Ray Winstone

**ARCHANGEL** BBC  
 Director: Jon Jones  
 Producer: Chris Hall

**BLACKPOOL** BBC  
 Directors: Julie-Anne Robinson, Cokey Giedroyc  
 Producer: Kate Lewis  
**\*Ivor Novello Award 2005: Best Original TV Music\***

**THE LONG FIRM** BBC  
 Director: Billie Eltringham  
 Producer: Liza Marshall  
**\*RTS Nomination 2004: Best Original TV Music\***

**MAY 33<sup>rd</sup>** BBC / Endor Productions  
 Director: David Attwood  
 Producer: Hilary Bevan-Jones

**CHARLES II** BBC  
 Director: Joe Wright  
 Producer: Kate Harwood  
**\*EMMY Nomination 2004: Best Original TV Music\***

**HENRY VIII** Granada  
 Director: Pete Travis  
 Producer: Francis Hopkinson

<b>PRIME SUSPECT</b>	Granada Director: Tom Hooper Producer: David Boulter
<b>DANIEL DERONDA</b>	BBC Director: Tom Hooper Producer: Louis Marks <b>*RTS Award 2003: Best Original TV Music*</b>
<b>HOUND OF THE BASKERVILLES</b>	BBC Director: David Attwood Producer: Christopher Hall
<b>HEARTS OF GOLD</b>	BBC Director: Richard Laxton Producer: Jane Davies <b>*RTS Nomination 2003: Best Original Theme Music*</b>
<b>THE LOST WORLD</b>	BBC Director: Stuart Orme Producer: Christopher Hall <b>*BAFTA Nomination 2002: Best Original TV Music*</b> <b>*EMMY Nomination 2002: Best Original TV Music*</b>
<b>LOVE IN A COLD CLIMATE</b>	BBC Director: Tom Hooper Producer: Kate Harwood
<b>THE SINS</b>	BBC Directors: Simon Curtis, David Yates, Sally Aprahamian Producer: Liza Marshall
<b>DAVID COPPERFIELD</b>	BBC Director: Simon Curtis Producer: Kate Harwood
<b>FORGOTTEN</b>	LWT Director: Ben Bolt Producer: Cameron McAlistair
<b>CLOSE RELATIONS</b>	Wall to Wall/BBC Director: Michael Whyte Producer: Kate Harwood <b>*Ivor Novello Award 1999: Best Original TV Music*</b>
<b>HILLSBOROUGH</b>	Granada Director: Charles McDougall Producer: Nicola Schindler
<b>OUR BOY</b>	Wall to Wall/BBC Director: David Evans Producer: Jo Willet

# DOCUMENTARIES

**SNOWBLIND**

Discovery  
Director: Vikram Jayanti

**THE DARKSIDE OF LINCOLN**

The History Channel  
Director: Vikram Jayanti

**ANCIENT EGYPTIANS**

Channel 4  
Director: Tony Mitchell  
Producer: Ben Goold

**LEONARDO**

BBC  
Director: Sarah Aspinall  
Producer: Annie Burrows