

# Chris Roe

## COMPOSER

Chris is an award-winning composer and multi-instrumentalist whose signature sound combines a fresh, experimental approach to acoustic instruments with a contemporary edge. As a pianist and string player, Chris draws on his background in contemporary classical music, mixing a string/piano-based palette with a web of electronic and instrumental textures, always working tirelessly to build a distinctive sound from scratch for each project.

Recent work includes scoring the upcoming BBC drama **The Salt Path**, both series of Jed Mercurio's **Trigger Point**, starring Vicky McClure, BBC thriller series **WOLF**, starring Iwan Rheon, Sacha Dhawan and Juliet Stevenson, **Arctic Ascent with Alex Honnold** for National Geographic/Disney+, the Mammoth Screen produced **Grime Kids**, Netflix's **Robbie Williams** documentary series, ITV's **Payback**, starring Morven Christie and Peter Mullan and Georgia Oakley's debut film **Blue Jean**.

Further credits include **Whale with Steve Backshall, Stewart**, the feature length documentary about Sir Jackie Stewart and Aleem Khan's **BAFTA**-winning film **After Love**, for which Chris won Best Original Score (**Les Arcs Film Festival**), and was nominated for Best Original Score at the **Ivor Novello Awards**.

Chris has also worked on a number of natural history projects including **Shark** for Sky Nature, and has collaborated with director David Fairhead on several feature documentaries including **Armstrong, Spitfire, Mission Control** and the upcoming feature **Lancaster**. These have earned Chris three **Music and Sound Award** nominations over three consecutive years.

Chris studied music at Manchester University after which he went on to the Royal College of Music in London on a scholarship, graduating top of his year with the Adrian Cruft Prize. He also spent time studying electronic music in Paris at the renowned IRCAM institute.

## FILM AND TELEVISION

### **The Salt Path**

BBC / Black Bear  
Director: Marianne Elliott  
Producer: Peter Hampden, Kirstin Irving, Elizabeth Karlsen, Beatriz Levin  
Starring: Gillian Anderson, Jason Isaacs, James Lance

### **TRIGGER POINT** (Series 1 & 2)

HTM Productions/ ITV Studios  
Director: Daniel Brierley  
Executive Producer: Jed Mercurio

	Starring: Vicky McClure, Eric Shango, Cal MacAninc
<b>ARCTIC ASCENT WITH ALEX HONNOLD</b>	National Geographic/ Disney+ Director: Richard Ladkani Producer: Bruce Kennedy Starring: Alex Honnold, Hazel Findlay
<b>PAYBACK</b>	ITV Directors: Andrew Cumming, Jennie Darnell Producer: Debbie O'Malley Starring: Morven Christie, Peter Mullan, Prasann Puwanarajah, Steven Mackintosh
<b>ROBBIE WILLAMS</b>	Netflix/ RSA Films Director: Joe Pearlman Producer: Helena Korner Starring: Robbie Williams
<b>GRIME KIDS</b>	Mammoth Screen/ Warner Bros. TV Directors: Abdou Cisse, Ian Aryeh Producer: Irma Inniss Starring: Marcus Onilude, DeLove Akra, Jordie Leany
<b>WOLF</b>	BBC/ APC Studios Directors: Lee Haven Jones, Kristoffer Nyholm Producer: Nikki Wilson Starring: Iwan Rheon, Sacha Dhawan, Juliet Stevenson
<b>WHALE WITH STEVE BACKSHALL</b>	SKY / NBCU Producers: Ellen Husain, Tom Whitworth Starring: Steve Backshall
<b>BLUE JEAN</b>	Kleio Films Director: Georgia Oakley Producer: H�el�ene Sifre Starring: Rosy McEwen, Kerrie Hayes, Lucy Halliday
<b>LANCASTER</b>	SKY Directors: David Fairhead, Ant Palmer Producers: Trevor Beattie, Jeremy Chatterton, Keith Haviland, Steve Milne
<b>STEWART</b>	Mark Stewart Productions, Noah Media Group Director: Patrick Mark Producers: Sarah Bayntun, Gareth Dodds, Patrick Mark Starring: Jackie Stewart, Francois Cevert, Jochen Rindt
<b>WILD BABIES</b> (co-composed with James Dornan)	Netflix / Humble Bee Films Narrator: Helena Bonham Carter Executive Producers: Stephen Dunleavy, Charlotte Crosse
<b>SHARK WITH STEVE BACKSHALL</b>	SKY / NBCU/ True To Nature Director: Rowan Musgrave Producer: Louise Shutler Starring: Steve Backshall
<b>AFTER LOVE</b>	BFI/ BBC Films/ Vertigo Releasing Director: Aleem Khan Producer: Matthieu de Braconier Starring: Joanna Scanlan, Nathalie Richard, Talid Ariss

**\*Nominated for Ivor Novello Awards for Best Original Film Score 2022\***  
**\* WINNER Les Arcs European Film Festival - Best Original Score 2020\***  
**\*Nominated for Music + Sound Award for Best Original Score for Feature Film 2021\***

<b>GITONGA</b>	Ginger Lobster Productions Director: Joe Bunyan Producer: Joe Bunyan
<b>BUSBY</b>	Fulwell 73/ Altitude Film Entertainment Director: Joe Pearlman Producer: Leo Pearlman Starring: Matt Busby, Rob Cavanaugh, Eamon Dunphy <b>*Nominated for Music + Sound Award for Best Original Score for Feature Film*</b>
<b>ARMSTRONG</b>	Tin Goose Films/ Gravitas Ventures Director: David Fairhead Producers: Careth Dodds, Keith Haviland Starring: Harrison Ford, Mark Armstrong
<b>REVOLUTION IN RUINS: THE HUGO CHAVEZ STORY</b>	BBC Director: Jane McMullen, Robin Barnwell, Ewa Ewart, James Jones Producer: Jane Corbin, Jane McMullen, Robin Barnwell Starring: Simon Reeve, Olenka Frenkiel, Dan Snow
<b>SPITFIRE</b>	Haviland Digital/ Altitude Film Entertainment Directors: David Fairhead, Ant Palmer Producers: John Dibbs, Gareth Dodds, David Fairhead, Steve Milne, Ant Palmer Starring: John Ackroyd, Charles Dance, Mary Ellis <b>*Nominated for Music + Sound Award for Best Original Score for Feature Film*</b>
<b>PEOPLE VS THE NHS:WHO GETS THE DRUGS?</b>	Pulse Films Director: Mark Henderson Starring: Casper J. Allen, Yusef Azad, Alex Baylis
<b>CHILDREN OF THE SNOW LAND</b>	Directors: Zara Balfour, Marcus Stephenson Producers: Zara Balfour, Marcus Stephenson Starring: Nima Gurung, Sangpo Lama, Tsering Deki Lama
<b>CHARISMATA</b>	Hydra Films RKM/ Raven Banner Entertainment Directors: Andy Collier, Tor Mian Producers: Andy Collier, Tor Mian, Sean Knopp, Ross Scaife Starring: Sarah Beck Mather, Jamie Satterthwaite, Adonis Anthony
<b>IS IT SAFE TO BE GAY IN THE UK?</b>	Century Films/ BBC 2 Director: Mark Henderson Producer: Joe Fowler
<b>MISSION CONTROL: THE UNSUNG HEROS OF APOLLO</b>	Haviland Digital/ Gravitas Ventures Director: David Fairhead Producers: Gareth Dodds, Keith Haviland Starring: John Aaron, Stephen Bales, Jerry Bostic <b>*Nominated for Music + Sound Award for Best Original Score for Feature Film*</b>
<b>UNKNOWN MALE NUMBER 1</b>	Amber Entertainment/ BBC

Director: Hugo Berkeley  
Producers: Alessandro De Rita, Lawrence Elman

**DEATH OF A GENTLEMAN**

Dartmouth Films  
Directors: Johnny Blank, Sam Collins, Jarrod Kimber  
Producer: Sam Collins  
Starring: Jonathan Agnew, David Becker, Ian Chappell

**THE MILKY WAY**

Hydra Films RKM  
Director: Tor Mian  
Starring: Dean Roberts, Sarah Armstrong, Samuel Clemens