

# RUTH BARRETT

## COMPOSER

Emmy-nominee Ruth Barrett has quickly become one of the most sought-after film and television composers in the UK. Her music is unmistakably original and eclectic, spanning feature films and high-end TV drama.

Ruth's film credits include **City of Tiny Lights** and **Legacy**, both directed by Pete Travis (Dredd), **Harry Brown** (co-written with Martin Phipps), starring Michael Caine, **Toast**, directed by S.J Clarkson, and the gritty Paul Abbott penned feature **Twenty8k**.

In television, Ruth has amassed over thirty scores in her twelve years of composing. She has recently scored the upcoming Pete Travis directed series **Bloodlands**, **The Sister** for ITV, **Sanditon** – an 8-part series based on Jane Austen's unfinished novel, **Bodyguard** – Jed Mercurio's hit series for BBC, **Victoria** series 3 and **The Durrells** series 4. Other TV projects include David Hare's **Collateral** (BBC) starring Carey Mulligen, **Critical** (Sky), **Love Nina** (BBC) starring Helen Bonham Carter, **Wuthering Heights** (ITV/PBS) starring Tom Hardy, **Wallander** (BBC) and **Whitechapel** (ITV).

Ruth studied composition at The Royal Academy of Music and read music at Cambridge University. She started her career composing for theatre and commercials before setting up a music production company, Rubykon, with composer and engineer Ruskin Williamson. Between them, they have scored numerous documentaries, ad campaigns and short films.

## FEATURE FILM

### **CITY OF TINY LIGHTS**

BBC Films  
Director: Pete Travis  
Producers: Rebecca O'Brien, Ado Yoshizaki Cassuto  
Starring: Billie Piper, Vincent Regan, Riz Ahmed

### **TWENTY8K**

Formosa Films  
Director: David Kew  
Producers: Martin Carr  
Starring: Stephen Dillane, Kaya Scoledario

### **TOAST**

Ruby Films  
Director: S J Clarkson  
Producer: Faye Ward  
Starring: Helena Bonham Carter, Freddie Highmore

### **ENDGAME**

(additional music/ programming)

Daybreak Pictures  
Director: Pete Travis  
Producers: Hal Vogel  
Starring: Mark Strong, William Hurt, Johnny Lee Miller, Derek Jacobi, Chiwitel Ejiofor

**HARRY BROWN**  
(additional music)

Cutting Edge/Marv Films  
Director: Daniel Barber  
Producers: Keith Bell, Kris Thykier, Matthew Vaughn  
Starring: Michael Caine

**BRIGHTON ROCK**  
(Additional Music)

BBC Films / Kudos  
Director: Rowan Joffe  
Producer: Paul Webster  
Starring: Carey Mulligan, Helen Mirren, John Hurt

**THE FLYING SCOTSMAN**  
(additional music/programming)

Director: Douglas Mackinnon  
Producer: Sara Giles, Peter Broughan, Peter Gallagher

**PIERREPOINT**  
(additional music/arranging)

Director: Adrian Shergold  
Producer: Christine Langan

**INKHEART**  
(programming /assisting)

Composer – Javier Navarette  
Director – Iain Softley

## TELEVISION DRAMA

**BLOODLANDS**

HTM Productions/ BBC  
Director: Pete Travis  
Producer: Christopher Hall, Jimmy Mulville, Jed Mercurio,  
Mark Redhead  
Starring: James Nesbitt, Jonny Everett

**THE SISTER**

Euston Films / ITV Studios  
Director: Niall MacCormick  
Producer: Louisa Rawlins, Kate Harwood, Noemi Spanos  
Starring: Russell Tovey, Bertie Carvel, Amrita Acharia

**SANDITON**

Red Planet Pictures / ITV Studios  
Directors: Olly Blackburn, Lisa Clarke, Charles Sturridge  
Producer: Michelle Camp, Georgina Lowe  
Starring: Rose Williams, Theo James

**BODYGUARD**

World Productions / BBC / Netflix  
Directors: Thomas Vincent, John Strickland  
Producer: Jed Mercurio  
Starring: Keeley Hawes, Richard Madden

**COLLATERAL**

The Forge Entertainment / BBC / Netflix  
Directors: S.J Clarkson  
Writer: David Hare  
Starring: Carey Mulligan, Billie Piper

**VICTORIA**  
(Series 1 – 4)

ITV / Mammoth Screen  
Directors: Oliver Blackburn, Tom Vaughan, Sandra Goldbacher  
Producer: Paul Frift  
Starring: Jena Coleman, Rufus Sewell

**\*Primetime Emmy Award Nomination 2017: Outstanding Composition for a series\***

**FEARLESS**

Mammoth Screen / ITV  
Director: Pete Travis  
Producer: Adrian Sturges  
Starring: Helen McCrory

**LOVE NINA**

BBC / See-Saw Films  
Director: S.J. Clarkson  
Producer: Derrin Schlesinger  
Starring: Helena Bonham Carter, Faye Marsay

**THE DURELLS**  
(Series 1 - 4)

ITV / Sid Gentle Films  
Directors: Steve Barron, Roger Goldby  
Producer: Christopher Hall  
Starring: Keeley Hawes

**CRITICAL**

Hat Trick Productions  
Directors: Jon East, Michael Keillor, Philippa Langdale  
Producer: Christopher Hall  
Starring: Lannie James, Kimberley Nixon, Paul Bazely, Emma Fryer

**REMEMBER ME**

BBC  
Director: Ashley Pearce  
Producers: Chris Carey  
Starring: Eileen Davies, Shelia Hancock, Mark Addy, Michael Palin, Julia Sawalha

**LEGACY**

BBC  
Director: Pete Travis  
Producers: Rob Bullock  
Starring: Ramola Garai, Charlie Cox, Geraldine James, Simon Russell Beale, Andrew Scott, Olivia Grant

**HUNTED**

BBC / HBO Cinemax  
Director: SJ Clarkson, Alrick Riley, Dan Percival  
Producers: Eliza Mellor  
Starring: Melissa George

**\*Music & Sound Awards Nomination 2013: Best Original TV Music\***

**WHITECHAPEL**

Carnival Films / ITV  
Director: SJ Clarkson, David Evans, Richard Clark, Jon East  
Producers: David Boulter, Marcus Williams, Grainne Marmion  
Starring: Rupert Penry Jones, Philip Davis, Steve Pemberton

<b>THE SHADOW LINE</b> (Additional Music)	Company Pictures Director: Hugo Blick Producers: Hugo Blick, Johann Knobel Starring: Chiwetel Ejiofor, Christopher Eccleston <b>*IVOR NOVELLO Award 2012: Best Original TV Music*</b>
<b>BOUQUET OF BARBED WIRE</b>	Mammoth Screen / ITV Director: Ashley Pearce Producer: Kate McKerrell
<b>WALLANDER</b> (series 2)	Left Bank Pictures Directors: Hettie Macdonald, Andy Wilson Producer: Sanne Wohlenberg
<b>MARRIED SINGLE OTHER</b>	Left Bank Pictures Directors: Declan Lowney, Charles Martin Producer: Radford Neville
<b>THE TAKE</b>	Company Pictures Director: David Drury Producer: Willow Grylls
<b>WUTHERING HEIGHTS</b>	2 x 90' / Mammoth Screen / ITV Director: Coky Giedroyc Producer: Radford Neville
<b>WHITECHAPEL</b>	3 x 60' / Carnival Films / ITV Director: SJ Clarkson Producer: Marcus Wilson
<b>HANCOCK AND JOAN</b>	1 x 90' / World Productions / BBC4 Director: Richard Laxton Producer: Simon Heath
<b>TRUE DARE KISS</b>	6 x 60' / BBC / BBC1 Directors: Jeremy Webb / Declan O'Dwyer Producer: Marcus Wilson
<b>OLIVER TWIST</b> (additional music / co-credit ep5- Martin Phipps)	5 x 30' / BBC Director: Coky Giedroyc Producer: Sarah Brown <b>*Ivor Novello Award 2008: Best Original TV Music *</b>
<b>A VERY BRITISH SEX SCANDAL</b>	1 x 90' / Blast Films / C4 Director: Patrick Reams
<b>SENSE AND SENSIBILITY</b> (additional music/ arranging)	3 x 60' / BBC Director: John Alexander Producer: Anne Pivcevik <b>*RTS Award Winner 2008: Best Original Title Music*</b> <b>*BAFTA Craft Nomination 2009: Best Original TV Music*</b>
<b>THE LINE OF BEAUTY</b> (additional music)	1 x 60' / Ep3 / BBC2 Director: Saul Dibb Producer: Kate Lewis

**WHAT WE DID ON OUR HOLIDAY**

1 x 120' / Granada / ITV  
Director: Jeremy Webb  
Producer: Chris Carey

**CLAPHAM JUNCTION**  
(co-credit – Martin Phipps)

1 x 100' / Darlow Smithson / C4  
Director: Adrian Shergold  
Producer: Elinor Day

**BEATING DEATH**

1 x 90' / Wall to Wall / C4 / Discovery  
Director: Patrick Reams  
Producer: Simon Chinn

**THE GREY MAN**

1 x 45' / Leopardrama / BBC1  
Director: Declan O'Dwyer  
Producer: Amanda Jenks

**THE VIRGIN QUEEN**  
(additional music)

2 x 60' / Eps 3-4 / BBC1  
Director: Coky Giedroyc  
Producer: Paul Rutman

**\*Ivor Novello Award 2007\***

**\*RTS Award 2006: Best Original Score\***