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EDUCATION

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| MS | Sibelius Academy, Helsinki
program for jazz music
Thesis: jazz composition | May 2000 |
| MS | The Royal College of Music, Stockholm
program for composition
Thesis: arranging | May 1990 |
| | program for improvisation pedagogy
Instrument: Piano | May 1992 |

THEATER AND CONDUCTOR EXPERIENCE

Wasa teater (the Swedish region theater in Wasa)/conductor works

Musicals:

Sugar (Tampereen kaupunginteatteri)/(Tampere city theater) 2015

The last 5 years (Åbo svenska teater)/(Turku Swedish theater) 2014

Fighting star 1992-2013

Next to normal

Full Monty

Narnia

Wizard from Oz

West side story

Sugar

Mahagony

Cyrano

Oliver

Sound of music

Other theater works: over 25 plays that includes composed works or other musician work.

Vaasan kaupungin teatteri(Vaasa city theater)

Musicals: 2008-2011
My fair lady
Stop the world
own musical works:
Oskar
DUST(Vaasa city theater)
Cat and mise

Conductor works

Vaasa city orchestra 2001-recent
Jenkins in concert (Vaasa city orch. and mixed choir) 2010
Fort big band 2005-recent
Kvarken big band 1999-2006
Umo big band 2002
Nyt ensemble 1998-2002
Various big bands and ensembles in Finland and Scandinavia

MOST IMPORTANT COMPOSITION AND ARRANGEMENT WORKS

Orchestral works

People II for clarinet, percussion and jazz trombone
Finnish/swedish christmas medley for choir and orchestra
Aamulaulu/Morning song for Orchestra and choir
Melodies from the west coast for piano, accordion ,contra bass and orchestra
People for wind quintet and choreography
Quinntoner for female choir
Homage to Wasa for wind quintet
Seawinds for orchestra and piano and solo violin
Ants for alto saxophone and orchestra
Music by Joni Mitchell for orchestra and female soloist
Blues classics for orchestra and female soloist and blues band(Vaasa city orch.)
Classical jazz arrangements for clarinet and string orchestra(Jyväskylä orch./Antti Sarpila)

Bigband and other ensembles

Music for Bro bigband and slättens döttrar
Over 40 compositions and arrangements for traditional big band
8 compositions for young big bands(commissioned by Finnish big band federation)
Music for NYT ensemble
Over 90 compositions for children for finnish broadcasting company(YLE) 1997-2011
Music for the film documentary "Slättens döttrar/the daughters of the plains"
Revolution concert for male choir
Songs for female choir(commissioned by the Academic Female choir KYN)
Arrangements for music program "fångad av en sång" for finnish broadcasting company(YLE)

Music for UMO big band and soloists: Satu Sopanen , How many sisters, Ira Kaspi,
vocal group Rajaton, Annika Hultman
Arrangements for UMO Big band : for young musician concert, Umo plays music by Steely
Dan, Umo plays music by Chaka Chan

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Key skills and expertise:

Teaching and lectures in main instrument jazz piano

Teaching and lectures in jazz composition and arrangement

Teaching and lectures in jazz theory and harmony

other:

ensemble workshops, big band conducting , jazz ensemble pedagogy and more

Various employers:

SYH in service training Swedish vocational university in Jakobstad

The conservatory of Jakobstad

The music institute of South Ostrobothnia

The conservatory of Central Ostrobothnia

Kuula institute for music in Vaasa

Sibelius academy in Helsinki

Åbo akademi University

The royal academy of music in Stockholm

RECORDINGS AS MUSICIAN OR COMPOSER/ARRANGER

Peter Nordwall ” Homecoming”

Sammuls ”Sammuls”

Gjallarhorn”Rimfaxe” (orchestral arrangements)

UMO Satu Sopanen”Taikapeitto”

KYN(Kauppakorkeakoulun naislaulajat/Academic Female choir)"Kynnyksellä"

M&N duo "Lullabyes"

Musical "Oskar"

UMO /How many sisters "Stolen moments"

Peter Nordwall ”Jumpy Highway”

Kvarken big band"Drool"

NYT ensemble"Nature poems)

Seawinds

Mona på turne' (finnish broadcasting company/FST)

Magdalena Böling Jazz Group

UMO plays Billy Strayhorn

Jari Perkiömäki"Shades"

LANGUAGES

Swedish: Native Language

Finnish: Second language

English: Intermediate Listener, Novice Speaker, Advanced Reading and Writing

RESIDENCE

Cite de arts Paris 2015

VICC Visby international center for composers 2014