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Akos Lustyik is a classically trained composer from Budapest, Hungary. Completing his studies at the Franz Liszt Academy of Music in Budapest, he has subsequently earned the distinction of Graduate Scholar of the Royal Academy of Music with Distinction, London, where he completed his master's in film music composition. Akos also holds a degree in economics and management from Budapest University of Technology and Economics, and speaks Hungarian, English and German.

An early highlight of his music career was being a part of the 2017 Academy Award-winning *Sing* (Kristóf Deák, dir.), Best Live

Action Short. He assisted noted Hollywood film composer Adam Balazs as conductor, music editor and assistant music supervisor. Also in 2017, Akos was awarded at the Transatlantyk Film Music Competition, a part of the Lodz Transatlantyk International Film and Music Festival, Poland, an event where he was a finalist the previous year.

During his Academy years, Akos worked in Hungarian theatre, composing for plays in several Budapest theatres, and as a music director in several additional projects. His recent composition, *At the*



Hawk's Well by W.B. Yeats, resulted in an invitation to Limerick, Ireland, for a guest performance at the Irish World Academy of Music and Dance. His Academy commencement piece, *The Happy Prince* by Oscar Wilde, was performed for the 150th anniversary of the founding of the University of Theatre and Film Arts in Budapest.

Pursuing film scoring, Akos has scored many short films by directors of his generation. These include *Határ* [Border] (Mátyás Szabó, dir.), which received an invitation to the 2017 Karlovy Vary Future Frames Program, and silent film *Szaladják* [Runnovich] (Máté Czakó, dir.), for which he was awarded Best Film Music in the 48-Hour Film Festival. Further, he has collaborated on numerous Television productions for HBO Europe and Discovery Channel.

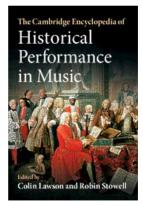
Akos' work permitted him to represent the Academy abroad on numerous occasions, to include the Aubagne Film Festival (Marseille), the



Hungarian Cultural Institute (Brussels) and the Academia di Santa Cecilia

(Rome), among others. He has been among finalists in international film music compositions, and has twice been awarded the Zoltán Kodály Scholarship, the highest ranking, state-funded award for young composers.

Akos made a considerable contribution to *The Cambridge Encyclopedia of Historical Performance in Music*. The editors, Colin Lawson (Royal College of Music, London) and Robin Stowell (Cardiff University), requested he prepare the music examples for publication in the book, which was released October, 2018.



Also in 2018, Akos was selected as one of twelve participants—from an



international field of over four hundred—in the "30th Annual ASCAP Film Scoring Workshop," one of the industry's most prestigious and acclaimed programs for film composers. Akos' final assignment for the Workshop, was to rescore a scene from "A Cure for Wellness" (Gore

Verbinski, dir.). The scene and its music may be heard **HERE**.

Apart from composing for concert, theatre and film, he has also participated in the Hungarian National Opera and Franz Liszt Academy of Music projects as orchestrator and score editor. Furthering his involvement in film scoring, Akos has in the past both assisted and studied with a Hungarian-American artist, noted Hollywood film composer Adam Balazs, assisting as a music copyist, orchestrator, conductor, pianist, music editor and music director.

Akos is a resident of London and Budapest, Hungary.



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INDUSTRY RECOGNITIONS

30th Annual ASCAP Film Scoring Workshop, Composer Fellow

Richard Bellis, program director

2017 Academy Award Winner, Best Live Action Short Film

"Sing," Meteor-Filmstudio, Kristóf Deák, dir., Anna Udvardy, prod. Adam Balazs, composer, music supervisor; Akos Lustyik, conductor, assistant music supervisor, music editor

Transatlantyk Film Music Competition, Second Place

Lodz Transatlantyk International Film and Music Festival, Poland

Best Film Music in a Feature Film

Szaladják [Runnovich], Máté Czakó, dir. 48-Hour Film Project, Budapest

Transatlantyk Film Music Competition Honoree

Poznan Transatlantyk International Film and Music Festival, Poland

Best Song Award

"Encuentro," Based on a poem by Federico Garcia Lorca Chanson Competition, University of Theatre and Film Arts, Budapest, Hungary

Special Prize for Outstanding Composition

"AsunCión AnTIprotóniCA" for Flute, performed by Vámosi-Nagy Zsuzsa St. Gellert Festival, Szeged, Hungary

Honorable Mention

"Volito" for String Quartet
Generace Composition Competition, Ostrava, Czech Republic

MOTION PICTURES

OTTEPEL Greg Keith, dir.
Liman Productions Maria Liman. Prod.

WOMEN OF 2020 Nurbanu Asena, dir./prod. Nunulanka Studio

MEETING (RI II LISMA)

Nurbanu Asena dir /prod

MEETING (BULUSMA) Nurbanu Asena, dir./prod. Nunulanka Studio SINK OR SWIM Alisa Tritenko, Giya Sichinava, co-dirs.

London Film School Kesenia Rubina, prod.

CACTUS BOY (Music Recording Producer) Karim Younis, composer; Chris Brake, dir.

PaperEpic Productions Ryan Bennett, Peter Engels, prods.

DEADPAN (Score + Trailer) Edward Hicks, dir.

RADA Films

A JOLLY GOOD FELLOW Braden Lubell, dir.

Londo Film School Mandi Gratten, Emily Marquet, Nialah Robinson, prods.

THE LAST PORTRAIT (Animation) Hina Fujimoto, dir./prod.

Royal College of Art

THE OBSERVER Ksenia Rubina, dir./prod.

London Film School

BEHIND ME! Máté Czakó, Stefan Kainbacher, dirs./prods.

Tinda Pundi Cultural Company

CROCHET, INTERTWINED LOOPS Minjoo Chae, dir./prod.

London College of Fashion

TROPIC OF CANCER (RÁKTÉRITÖ) Máté Czakó, dir. Tinda Pundi Cultural Company Nora Hegyi, prod.

THE MAN WHO WAS THURSDAY (Pianist, Music Copyist)

Adam Balazs, composer; Balázs Juszt, dir.

Picturesque Films / Cobera Capitol Group Guy Moshe, Matthew G. Zamias, prods.

WHAT IF? (Music Supervisor)

Adam Balazs, composer; Balázs Juszt, dir.

Beacon International Bara Barova

SUNDAY AFTERNOON (Animation) Nathalie Cusson, dir./prod.

Nathalie Cusson Producitons

SING (MINDENKI) (conductor, assistant music supervisor, music editor)

Meteor-Filmstudio Adam Balazs, composer; Kristóf Deák, dir.

2017 Academy Award Winner, Best Live Action Short Film Anna Udvardy, prod.

KINDERSPIEL Száva Lakos, dir./prod.

Tinda Pundi Cultural Company

SWARM Máté Czakó, dir./prod.

Tinda Pundi Cultural Company / Neon Golden

ROBES (CSUHAJA) Máté Czakó, dir./prod.

Tinda Pundi Cultural Company

THE BORDER (HATÁR) Mátyás Szabó, dir.

FilmTeam Miklós Bósnyák, Petra Iványi, István Major, prods.

ADAM NADADY: THICK-SKIN MIMOSA (NÁDASDY ÁDÁM: AVASTAGBÖRÜ MIMÓZA)

ELTE Filmtudomány Tanszék Sámuel Barna, Bianka Polczer, dirs.

BEAUTY Rino Stefano Tagglifierro, dir./prod.

Tagglifierro Animation

RUNNOVICH (SZALADJÁK) Máté Czakó, dir.

Tinda Pundi Cultural Company

BUDAPEST ETUDES: BUDAPEST & CULTURE

Zhimu Zhang, Panx Tabao Solajes, dirs./prods.

University of Film and Theatre Arts (Budapest) / LUCA School of Arts (Brussels)

HEADLESS (FEJETLEN)

Gábor Harmat, dir./prod.

GESTURE (GESTO)

Cinemadamare

Máté Czakó, dir./prod.

TELEVISION – SERIES

CALL THE MID-WFE (Orchestrator, Multiples)

Various, dirs.

Neal Street Productions (GB) / PBS

Ann Tricklebank, prod.

LEAR ALONE (Sound Design, Soundscape, Multiples) And Tomorrow Theatre Company / Elysium Theatre Company Anthony Shrubsall, dir. Sarah Lawrie, prod.

IN TREATMENT (aka TERÁPIA) (Season Three) (Orchestra Conductor, Multiples) Adam Balazs, composer; Various dirs.

I'M Film / HBO Europe Original Productions

Wayne Henry, exec. prod.

Zsofia Varszegi, Judith Csemai, prods.

A SUMMER ADVENTURE (aka EGYNYÁRI KALAND) (Music Editor; Multiples) Adam Balazs, composer

Megafilm / Magyar Televizió

Megafilm / Duna Television

Zsombor Dyga, dir. Gábor Kálomista, prod.

ONLY THEATRE AND NOTHING ELSE... (aka CSAK SZÍNHÁZ ÉS MÁS SEMMI) Adam Balazs, composer

(Music Director, Music Reader; Multiples)

Miklauzic Bence, Nagypál Orsi, dirs.

Gábor Kálomista, prod.

SHADOWS (UMBRE) (Conductor, Orchestrator, Music Copyist,

Music Editor, Assistant Music Supervisor; Performer; Multiples)

Multi Media Est / HBO Europe Original Productions

Adam Balazs, composer

Igor Cobileanski, Bogdan Mirica, dirs.

Wayne Henry, Carmen Harabagiu, exec. prod.

Dragos Vâlcu, Valentin Antofi, Aurelian Nica, prods.

ATTRACTOR (ATTRAKTOR) (Season I, 10 Episodes) (Additional Music) Adam Balazs, composer; Róbert Iván, dir. Discovery Channel András Pusztay, prod.

A SOURCE OF HUMOR (A HOMOR FORRÁSA)

RTL

István Márton, Kornél Laboda, dirs.

PROMOTIONAL VIDEO

A MUSICAL JOURNEY: ROYAL COLLEGE OF MUSIC AND JAGUAR AUTOMOTIVE, Tata Group / Weekend BECHERPLATZ, Karlovy Vary, Czechia

BOOK TRAILER

VLADIMIR NOBOKOV – LOLITA

Timea Murza, dir.

ELTE BTK Művészetelméleti és Médiakutatási Intézet

DISCOGRAPHY (Non-exhaustive List)

"Autumn" Album, Twelvetones Production Music

"Crackle and Jazz" Album, Twelvetones Production Music

"Dark Net" Album, Twelvetones Production Music

"Delicate" Album, Twelvetones Production Music

"Girly Pop" Album, Twelvetones Production Music

"Jade Dragon" Album, Twelvetones Production Music

"Hydra" Album, Twelvetones Production Music, Orchard Enterprises "Shadows (Umbre)" Original Soundtrack Album from the HBO Series

CLASSICAL COMPOSITIONS, ORCHESTRATIONS (Non-exhaustive List)

A Te Másságodban (In Your Otherness) – Song cycle, to include Egymást Szentesítik (Each Other Sanctified), Föld, Víz, Levegő (Earth, Water, Air), A Te Másságodban (In Your Otherness), Az Ijesztő Sokaság (The Frightening Swarm), Összeroskad (Collapse) Abandoned, UBM Records

AsunCión AntiProtóniCA for Solo Flute - Szent Gellert Festival, Szeged, Hungary

Autumn, Twelvetones Production Music

Ave Maria – SATB Choir, Fabian Szeder Festival, Cebovce, Slovakia

Beauty - Composition and Conductor for Screen Showcase, Britten Theatre, Royal College of Music, London

Concertino for Harpsichord

Delicate, Twelvetones Production Music

Depths of your Eyes, The – From the album *Delicate*, Twelvetones Production Music

Happy Prince for Ensemble & Storyteller, The - Based on the tale by Oscar Wilde; premiered at Franz Liszt Academy of Music,

Budapest, Hungary, and at the 150th Anniversity of the founding of the University of Theatre and Film Arts, Budapest

Heinrich Marschner: Der Vampyr - Re-orchestrated opera for the Franz Liszt Academy of Music, Budapest

Ice Legacy - Conductor; Composed by Joe Kiely and performed by soprano Charlotte Hoather; Royal College of Music, London

In Your Otherness, A Song Cycle for Countertenor and Piano – "Café Budapest" Contemporary Autumn Festival, Várkert Bazaar

Cultural Centre, Budapest; Broadcast by the Hungarian National Radio

Iolanta's Slippers - Re-orchestrated and fused two Tchaikovsky operas, Cherevichki and Iolanta

Jade Dragon, Twelvetones Production Music

M'arrendo, Songs for Tenor and Piano; Academia di Santa Cecilia, Rome

Mon reve familier for Flute, Viola and Harp – MOM Cultural Centre, Budapest

Music Literature - Four pieces of contemporary music composed to the work of four writers: John Áfra, Orsolya Bencik, Adam Berta and Veronica Czapáry; Music composed by: Ákos Lustyik, László Bakk-David, Adrian Kovacs and Szabolcs Mátyássy

Orchestration of Debussy's "Reverie" - Performed by Concerto Budapest Orchestra

Piano Quartet no. 1 – Franz Liszt Academy of Music, Budapest

Piros (Red) and A Pohár Eltörik (The Glass Breaks) – Based on poems by Dezso Kosztolanyi

Reflections on the Poems of János Áfra for String Quartet – JAK Piknik, Fuga, Budapest

Song Cycle on the Poems of János Áfra - Zoltan Darago, countertenor, Andras Emszt, piano; Café Budapest Contemporary Festival Sz. E.P.I.A, a Song Cycle for Soprano and Piano - Óbudai Társaskör, Budapest; Broadcasted by Hungarian National Radio

Suikinkutsu for Koto and Ensemble

Tales from the Vienna Woods by Ödön von Horváth – University of Theatre and Film Arts, Budapest

Two Songs on Poems by Dezso Kosztolanyi

Various Chansons - Hungarian Literature Day, Víg Theatre, Budapest

Various Chansons - TKKT Festival, University of Theatre and Film Arts, Budapest

"Volito" String Quartet no. 1 – Home/Haza/Heimat Festival, Budapest

Won't Let Go. from the film "Sink or Swim"

Words in the Wind, UBM Records

XtRcTr for Alto Saxophone and Electronica

You Are Never Really Alone - From the album Delicate, Twelvetones Production Music

THEATRICAL

Én, Kőhalmi Zoltán – Musical comedy; Corvin Dumaszínház Theatre, Budapest

Good Day - Marlie Haco, dir.; Composer and Sound Design; Network Theatre, London

Great Exhibitionists: Set in Stone? - A multi-disciplinary performance, Royal College of Music

Once, Long Ago, in May... - Trafó Cultural Centre, Budapest

Proud – Marlie Haco, dir.; Composer and Sound Designer; King's Head Theatre, London

R&L: The of the Magi (Opera re-thought) – based on the epic poem Ruslan and Lyudmila by Alexander Pushkin, Latinovits Theatre, Budaörs, Hungary

Run Sister Run - Marlie Haco, dir.; Composer and Sound Designer, Arcola Theatre, London

Source of Humour, The – Musical comedy; Kornel Laboda, dir.; Thalia Theatre, Budapest; Broadcast by RTL

Spark - Marlie Haco, dir.; Composer and Sound Designer, Theatre Deli, London

Vengeance - Sound Designer; Jessicah Wilson, writer, Marlie Haco, dir.; The Pleaseance Theatre, London

PERFORMANCE IN CONCERT

Assistant Conductor, Royal College of Music Film Orchestra

Boribon, The King (Children's play) – Music Director; Music by Zsófia Tallér

Little Match Girl, The - Conductor, Royal College of Music Student's Film Orchestra; Music by James Yan

Music Literature – Four pieces of contemporary music to the writings of four writers, Schloss Solitude Academy, Stuttgart

Pumpkinville (Children's play) – Composer; A38, Palace of Arts, in addition to numerous cultural centres, Hungary Zeneirodalom (Music-literature) – Four pieces of contemporary music to the writings of four writers; Trans National Literary Festival

PERFORMANCE IN CONCERT – DANCE

At the Hawk's Well – Dance Drama by W.B. Yeats; Petofi Museum of Literature, Budapest / Irish World Academy of Music and Dance, Limerick, Ireland and the Nagykovácsi Cultural Centre, Hungary

Dreaming of the Bones, The – Contemporary dance based on a play by W.B. Yeats, The Dance Players, Conductor and music Only Jealousy of Emer, The – Contemporary dance based on a play by W.B. Yeats, The Dance Players, Conductor and music Requiem – Contemporary dance; Conductor, Music Copyist; Music by Adam Balazs, Hungarian National Dance Theatre Swarm – Contemporary dance and light show; Máté Czakó and Stefan Kainbacher, Neon Golden, Vienna

PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

ASCAP Film Scoring Workshop, Los Angeles – Composer Fellow
Royal Academy of Music, University of London – Graduate Scholar with Distinction, Master's Degree in Film Music Composition
Franz Liszt Academy of Music, Budapest – Bachelor of Arts Degree in Applied Composition (Zoltán Kodály Scholarship)
Budapest University of Technology and Economics – Master's Degree in Economics and Management
Corvinus University, Budapest – Bachelor of Arts Degree
Weiner Leó Conservatory, Budapest