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### **Selected Commissioned Works**

### Death and the Mourning After for Timothy White Eagle

Improvised solo acoustic cello score for an livestreamed theater performance, part of La MaMa's Reflections of Native Voices Festival. 2021

### Manzanar, Diverted

Composed a score for a feature-length documentary by Ann Kaneko, in collaboration with Steve Fisk, Alexander Mirana, Susie Kozawa and Matt Chamberlain. 2021

### What You Can Hear From Here for Art Saves Me

Commissioned by One Reel to create new work for an online exhibition. In collaboration with videographer Isaac Hanson. Seattle. 2020

### Rivulet, for Nonsequitur

Composed and performed an evening-length piece for a small ensemble; with Greg Kelley, Kole Galbraith, Dave Abramson and Haley Freedlund. Chapel Performance Space, Seattle. 2019

# Yellowstone, for Jon Jost

Recorded an improvised solo amplified cello score for a work-in-progress video installation. Featured as part of Nonsequitur's "Wayward In Limbo". Seattle. 2019

# Ama (The Woman Diver), for Nalanda West

Performed an improvised solo acoustic cello score for Jim Fletcher and Katiana Rangel's production of a 14th Century Japanese play. Seattle. 2018

# Études N°11, for Paris Fashion Week

Composed and performed a solo acoustic cello score accompanying the runway show for fashion house Études. Paris, France. 2017

# That Sunrise, for the BBC Scottish Symphony

Composed and performed a new work for amplified cello and orchestra as part of Glasgow Tectonics Festival. Glasgow. 2017

## The Seawall, for the City of Seattle

With drummer Dan Sasaki, composed and recorded a response to Seattle's seawall reconstruction project. Curated by Eyvind Kang, produced by Randall Dunn; released as an EP by PIAPTK Records. Seattle. 2017

## Songs for Mary's Dust, for Entre Rios Books

Composed, performed, and recorded a suite of solo acoustic cello works in response to Melinda Mueller's book of poems. Seattle. 2017

# Pollen, for the Genius/21 Century exhibition, Frye Art Museum Composed and performed nine hours of original music with Stuart Dempster, Jessika Kenney, Susie Kozawa, Vanessa Renwick, Greg Kelley, Dan Sasaki, Julio Lopezhiler and Corey Brewer. Seattle. 2016

## Echoes of Silence

Composed and performed a score for Peter Goldman's 1964 film *Echoes of Silence*. Also presented as part of Northwest Film Forum's Puget Soundtrack series. Regenbogen Kino, Berlin, Germany and Northwest Film Forum, Seattle. 2016

# Senga Nengudi: Improvisational Gestures, for the Henry Art Gallery Solo cello, with dancers Joseph "jo" Blake and Haruko Crow Nishimura, performed within Nengudi's exhibition. Seattle, 2016

# Hymn for the Mammoth Tusk, for Seattle City Light and All Rise Created and performed a multi-media work in a large vacant lot. With Dan Sasaki, Mike Gamble, Corey Brewer and Clyde Petersen. Seattle, 2015

# Love and Struggle, for the New Foundation

Composed and performed for a new work for chamber ensemble, in dialog with visual artist Mark Mitchell's residency. With Eyvind Kang, Jessika Kenney, Stuart Dempster and Greg Campbell. Seattle. 2015

# Solo performance for Duwamish Revealed

Solo amplified cello performance in a converted shipping container; commemorating the history and presence of the Duwamish River. Seattle. 2015

# Cinema of the Bearded Heart for the Sprocket Society

Composed for and performed with a program of early Dada and Surrealist films. Northwest Film Forum, Seattle. 2014

## Heaven and Earth Magic for SIFF Cinema

Performed an improvised live score with Susie Kozawa and Jessika Kenney for Harry Smith's film *Heaven and Earth Magic*. SIFF Cinema, Seattle. 2013

## Early Abstractions for the Society for Cinema and Media Studies

Composed and performed with Dan Sasaki a live amplified cello and drum set score for Harry Smith's film *Early Abstractions*. Northwest Film Forum, Seattle. 2013

### The Hitchcock 9 for Seattle International Film Festival

Composed and performed with Jessika Kenney live cello and voice scores for two early silent Alfred Hitchcock films. SIFF Cinema, Seattle. 2013

### Chalice of Sorrow for the Northwest Film Forum

Composed and performed a score with vocalist Jessika Kenney for Rex Ingraham's early silent film *Chalice of Sorrow*. Northwest Film Forum, Seattle. 2013

### Burial for the Frye Art Museum

Improvised a two-hour solo cello accompaniment for the performative opening of Mark Mitchell's solo exhibition. Frye Art Museum, Seattle. 2012

# HIC SVNT DRACONES for choreographer K.J.Holmes

Composed a solo acoustic cello score for a dance piece. Judson Church, New York City, and Ten Degrees, Seattle. 2012

### Néo-Fiction for On the Boards

Composed a solo cello score for and performed with new work by Christian Rizzo and Sophie Laly. Seattle. 2012

# Allegiance of the Drones

Composed and performed a score for an opera about the 1999 WTO protest, with Robert Mittenthal, Nico Vassilakis, Vida Rose, and Curtis Taylor. New City Theater, Seattle. 2011

## Field Notes for Stranger Genius Awards

Composed for and performed with Seattle Rock Orchestra. Moore Theater. Seattle. 2011

## "Tangled North" for Sub Pop

Composed and recorded a rock song for *Sub Pop 1000* compilation; with Karl Blau, Kanako Pooknyw, and Dave Abramson. Seattle. 2011

## Nine Visits for Portland Cello Project

Composed and performed new work for cello ensemble. Triple Door, Seattle. 2010

### Dances in the Step Down Room for Peter Kyle

Composed for and performed a solo cello score an evening-length program of new dance pieces. With Peter Kyle, Holley Farmer, Scott Guigere, Scott Nath, and Mercedes Searer. New York City. 2010.

### Passing Fancy for WNYC's New Sounds Live

Composed and performed a live score at World Financial Center Winter Garden for Yasujiro Ozu's 1933 silent film *Passing Fancy*; with Phil Gelb and Greg Campbell. Also performed at the University of Chicago's Film Studies Center. New York City and Chicago. 2010.

### Share This Place for Seattle Children's Festival

Produced, composed and performed a multimedia piece with Kyle Hanson and Mirah; commissioned animator Britta Johnson to create a film for live score performances at venues throughout the US, including Kennedy Center, Henry Art Gallery, Boston's Museum of Fine Arts, Joe's Pub, Chicago Humanites Festival, What the Heck Fest, Southpaw, Grinnell College, Mission Theater, the Cedar, the Troubador, Swedish American Music Hall, and World Café Live. Soundtrack album and DVD released by K Records, produced by Phil Elverum and Steve Fisk. US. 2003-2009

# Arabica 2.0, for Rebecca Stenn Dance Company

Composed and performed score for a solo amplified cello score. The Joyce SOHO. New York City. 2008

# Aqua Art Sound Broadcast, for Susan Robb

Composed and recorded music for an Art Basel Miami installation. Miami. 2005

# EF Eridanus for Peter Kyle

Composed and performed a solo amplified cello score for a dance piece. Cornish Dance Theater. Seattle.2004

# Breathe In/Breathe Out for Degenerate Art Ensemble Composed a piece for orchestra; Moore Theater. Seattle, 2004

## The Wreck of the St. Nikolai

Composed and performed a puppet opera with Kyle Hanson, Stacey Levine Curtis Taylor and Eve Cohen. Performed at PICA's 2003 TBA Festival and On the Boards. Portland and Seattle. 2003–2004

## DeComposer for Vanessa Renwick and Bill Daniel

Composed and performed live scores with Black Cat Orchestra for Vanessa Renwick and Bill Daniel's film and music series with films from the Prelinger Archive. Hollywood Theater, Portland, Oregon. 2004

The Life of the Jews in Palestine for Seattle Jewish Film Festival

Composed and performed a score for the 1913 silent film. Seattle. 2001

#### Our Round Earth

Performed an original amplified cello score with a found footage film by Lynn Shelton. Commissioned by On the Boards' Northwest New Works Festival. Seattle 2002

## Nosferatu for Olympia Film Festival

Composed and performed a score in collaboration with Olympia punk band C Average. Olympia. 2001

# Spies for Bumbershoot's One Reel Film Festival

Composed a score for Fritz Lang's silent film *Spies*. With Black Cat Orchestra. Seattle. 1999

The Seashell and the Clergyman for Bumbershoot's One Reel Film Festival
Composed and performed a live score for Germaine Dulac and Antonin
Artaud's 1927 film *The Seashell and the Clergyman* with Black Cat Orchestra. Also
presented by On the Boards and Northwest Film Center. Seattle and Portland
OR. 1998–1999

### I Was Born, But... for Seattle Asian Art Museum

Composed and performed a score for Yasujiro Ozu's early silent film with kotoist/composer Elizabeth Falconer. Seattle. 1999

## Silent film scores for Frye Art Museum

Composed and performed a solo cello score for a program of silent short films by the Lumière brothers. Seattle. 1998

## Collaboration with Jessika Kenney for Seattle Experimental Opera

Composed and performed an experimental opera with vocalist Jessika Kenney at Christian Apslund's SEXO Cabaret. Speakeasy, Seattle. 1998

## Dante's Inferno for Olympia Film Society

Composed and performed with the Black Cat Orchesta a live score for the 1911 Italian silent film; also performed at Bumbershoot's One Reel Film Festival, Northwest Film Center, and the Show-Off Gallery. Olympia WA, Seattle, Portland OR, and Bellingham, WA. 1993–1997

## The Affluent Father for On the Boards

Co-created and performed evening-length object theater opera with Friese Undine and Kyle Hanson. Seattle.1994

## Discography: Solo and Ensemble

## Very Old Songs

Cello and voice, with singer, banjoist and harmonium player Jordan O'Jordan. Woodland Fauna Recordings, Seattle. 2021

# Oakland Moments: cello, voice, reuniting (rejoicing)

Cello and voice, with writer and vocalist Torben Ulrich. Obscure & Terrible, Seattle/Estonia. 2021

#### *De Noor 2020*

Solo acoustic cello track on a compilation. Ultra Eczema, Antwerp. 2020

#### On a Moonlit Hill in Slovenia

Solo cello; live improvised performance. Eiderdown Sounds, Seattle. 2020

# Things Opening

Solo cello; new works composed by Satchel Henneman, Jessika Kenney, Julio Lopezhiler and Lori Goldston. Second Editions, Berlin. 2019

# Alloys

Improvising duo with cellist Judith Hamann. Marginal Frequency, Tracyton WA. CD and digital, 2019

## The Passion of Joan of Arc

Live improvised film score album, with guitarist Aidan Baker and drummer Andrea Belfi. Substrata, Mexico City. 2018

#### The Seawall

Improvised duo album with drummer Dan Sasaki; commissioned by City of Seattle, produced by Randall Dunn. PIAPTK, Tucson. 2017

## creekside: solo cello by Lori Goldston

Solo acoustic cello; original work. Mississippi Records, Portland OR. 2014

## Film Scores by Lori Goldston

Solo, and with various collaborators including Dylan Carlson, Tara Jane O'Neil, Jessika Kenney, Stuart Dempster. Phil Gelb, Greg Campbell. Sub Rosa, Brussels. 2013

## "Improvisation" from Mind the Gap (Various)

Solo improvisation on *Gonzo Circus* magazine's compilation. Gonzo Circus, Amsterdam. 2013.

# "Tangled North", on Sub Pop 1000 (Various)

With bassist Karl Blau, and drummers Dave Abramson and Kanako Pooknyw. Sub Pop, Seattle. 2012

# The Lichens in the Trees / The Moss on the Ground by Lori Goldston With Karl Blau, Dave Abramson and Kanako Pooknyw. Talking Helps, Vancouver, Canada. 2012

# "Tide" from Below the Radar 17 (Various)

Included on Wire's Below the Radar compilation. London. 2012

# Four songs for The 1st Seattle Festival Of Improvised Music (Various)

Cello on four untitled songs with Paul Hoskin, Charley Rowan, Wally Shoup, et al. Independent release. 2010.

# Live on Sonarchy by Instead Of

Improvisational music. Instead Of is quartet featuring me on cello, with Angelina Baldoz on trumpet, flute, and bass; Jaison Scott on drums; and Torben Ulrich on text and voice. Independent release, Seattle. 2007

- Share This Place: Stories and Observations by Mirah and Spectratone International Composed, arranged, and performed songs with Mirah and Kyle Hanson. Produced by Phil Elvrum and Steve Fisk. K Records, Olympia. 2007
- To All We Stretch the Open Arm by Mirah and the Black Cat Orchestra Yo Yo Recordings, Olympia. 2003
- Long Shadows at Noon by Black Cat Orchestra Yo Yo Recordings, Olympia. 2003

## Session Discography

- Tus Ojos (En Vivo) by The Polar Dream featuring Lori Goldston and Eric Padget. Independent release, Guadalajara. 2020
- Frame by Ross Hammond and Lori Goldston Independent release, Sacramento. 2020
- Fantasmagoria by Guayaba Produced by Guayaba and Eric Padgett Independent release, Tacoma. 2019
- Dig a Pit by Wizard Apprentice Cruisin'/Ratskin, Seattle, New Orleans and Oakland. 2019
- Drone Butch Blues by Your Heart Breaks Rock, folk. Produced by Karl Blau, Sofaburn Records, Kentucky. 2019
- End of the Night by Chris Brokaw Ambient jazz rock. With Greg Kelley, Samara Lubelski, Luther Grey et al. VDSQ, Los Angeles. 2019
- Dead roses, digged up zombies, broken pieces of diamonds, live cats by Nonconnah electronic/experimental/ambient. Custom Made Music, Tennessee. 2019
- Consolation E.P. by Protomartyr
  Produced by Protomartyr. Domino Recordings, London/New York City.
  2018

Ignite the Rest by R Ring Sofaburn

Produced by Kelley Deal and Mike Montgomery. Sofaburn Records, Kentucky. 2017

My Side of the Mountain with Clyde Petersen and Rae Spoon. Self-released, Seattle/Victoria, Canada. 2017

Sakaya Uta by Sumiko Sato Self-released, Japan. 2017

Abomination of Desolation by Last Dominion Lost The Epicurean, Berlin. 2017

TTSS with Lori Goldston/Amy Denio by Thollem McDonnas, Lori Goldston and Amy Denio. Self-released, digital 2017

All My Sins Remembered: The Sonic Worlds of John Murphy (Various) "Hexatom Resistance" with Last Dominion Lost. The Epicurean, Berlin. 2016.

Water Is Life (Original Motion Picture Soundtrack) by BC Campbell With Eyvind Kang, Seattle. 2016

Torrey Pines: Official Soundtrack

Soundtrack to Clyde Peterson's 2016 stop-motion film *Torrey Pines*. Produced by Chris Walla. Independent release, Seattle. 2016

From Mount Eerie by Your Heart Breaks Independent release, Seattle 2016.

Electrotweak Phase Transition by Worlds Dirtiest Sport produced by Kevin Branstetter. Justice My Eye/Elevated Loin, France. 2016

Fith by Fith Wanda, Berlin. 2016

Oral History by Mandate Cruisin' Records, Seattle/New Orleans. 2015

hella zen by Erin Jorgensen With Brett Netson and Ahamefule Oluo. Self-released, Seattle. 2015

Wrought by Broken Water

## Produced by Steve Fisk. Night People Records, Minnesota. 2015

## Echolalia by Winterpills

Two songs: "One Day" (with Sharon Van Etten) and "From a Shell," with Lisa Germano. Signature Sounds, Massachusetts. 2014

## Ballyturk by Teho Teardo

Specula Records, Italy. 2014

## Changing Light by Mirah

K Records, Olympia. 2014.

## Reasoning by Dana Reason

With Mark Dresser, Mike Gamble, and Peter Valsamis. Self-released, Oregon. 2014

# Stay Tuned by Machinefabriek (a.k.a. Rutger Zuydervelt)

Baskaru, Netherlands. 2014

### Blood Moon Rise by Jex Toth

Produced by Randall Dunn. I Hate Records, Sweden. 2013

# "Time Flies (when you're having fun)" by MoZo

Self-released, Seattle. 2013

## Folio of Souls by Secret Chiefs 3

Web of Mimicry, San Francisco. 2013

# West Coast Chalice by Karl Blau

Electric guitar (with Karl Blau and Johanna Kunin). KLAPS, Anacortes. 2012

# Angels of Darkness, Demons of Light 1 & 2 by Earth

Produced by Stuart Halerman. Southern Lord, Los Angeles. 2011 and 2012

# Seaside & Sedmikrásky by Broken Water

Hardly Art, Seattle 2012

## Composed by Jherek Bischoff

Brassland & The Leaf Label, New York City/UK. 2012

# Thunder Thighs by Kimya Dawson

- Great Crap Factory, Seattle/Olympia. 2011
- World Garage by Angelo Spencer et Les Hauts Sommets produced by Karl Blau. K, Olympia. 2011
- Covalent Lodge by Bill Horist
  Tangenesis Artifactory Music, Zurich. 2010
- Into the Darkening Sky by Led To Sea Scary Trophy, Seattle. 2010
- March to the Tune by The Sterling Loons Kool Kat Musik, Seattle. 2010
- (a)spera by Mirah Produced by Tucker Martine. K, Olympia. 2009
- Long Live the Days by Mia Katherine Boyle (MKB) Independent release, Seattle. 2009
- Fleuve by Ô Paon TAUS, Anacortes. 2008
- Entanglements by Parenthetical Girls
  Produced by Jherek Bischoff. Tomlab, 2008.
- Wall to Wall by Golden Bears Amore!Phonics, 2008
- Trombone Cake by Trombone Cake Independent release, 2008
- Villainaire by The Dead Science Produced by Jherek Bischoff. Constellation, Montreal. 2008
- For Better or For Worse by Paul Manousos Produced by Steve Fisk. Shock & Fall, CD and vinyl, 2008.
- Chicken or Beef? by Reptet Monktail, 2008.

- Carbon Glacier by Laura Veirs
  Produced by Tucker Martine
  Jealous Butcher, 2007
- Sailor System by Your Heart Breaks
  Produced by Karl Blau and Clyde Petersen. Independent release, Seattle. 2007
- This American Life: Stories of Hope & Fear (Various) Shout! Factory, Lost Angeles. 2006
- Search For Paradise by The Wedding Present Produced by Steve Fisk Scopitones, UK. 2006
- Take Fountain by The Wedding Present
  Produced by Steve Fisk.
  Manifesto Records, Los Angeles. 2005
- C'mon Miracle by Mirah Produced by Phil Elverum K, Olympia. 2004
- Come Across the River by Heather Duby Produced by Steve Fisk. Sonic Boom, Seattle. 2004
- The Principle of Uncertainty by Mark Quint Origin, Seattle. 2004
- For the Moment by Marco de Carvalho Origin, Seattle. 2003
- Mysteries Explained by Black Cat Orchestra Irene Records, Seattle. 2001
- Give the People What We Want: The Songs of the Kinks (Various)

  Electric guitar. Produced by Scott McCaughey and Jon Auer.

  Sub Pop, Seattle. 2001

The Big Slowdown by Larry Barrett
Produced by Tucker Martine
Glitterhouse, Germany. 2000

Metal Shed Blues by Old Joe Clarks Checkered Past, Chicago. 1999

The Dina Martina Holiday Album by Dina Martina Voice acting appearance.
Up, Seattle. 1999

Ride by Jeff Greinke First World, Seattle. 1999

Release the Butterfly by Carrie Clark Self-released, Seattle. 1999

Fulcrum by Sue Ann Harkey Self-released, Seattle. 1998

"Wigwam Breakdown" on *Wigwam Bendix* by Craig Flory and Doug Haire With Dennis Rea, Jeff McGrath, Mike Stone, Eric Amrine, and Robert Jenkins. Franchise, Seattle. 1998

No More Medicine by Citizen's Utilities Produced by Steve Berlin. Mute, UK. 1997

Feelings by David Byrne
Co-produced and arranged a song; with Black Cat Orchestra.
Luaka Bop/Warner, New York City. 1997

Octaroon by Laura Love Mercury Records, US. 1997

Emissary of Light by James Twyman Band Together, Seattle. 1997

You Can Be Low by Mavis Piggott

Produced by Barrett Jones Flydaddy Records, Rhode Island. 1996

Shugg vs. Cockpit: A Bittersweet Team Up of Bands Vol. 2 by Shugg Bittersweet Records, New York City. 1996

Skinwalkers by Skinwalkers Self-releaased, Seattle. 1996

Peace Wave by Don Glenn
Band Together, Seattle. 1996

Black Horizon by Carl Funk Self-released, Seattle. 1995

Kissing So Hard by The John Doe Thing Rhino, Los Angeles. 1995

No More Medicine by Citizens' Utilities Produced by Steve Berlin. Mute Records, London. 1997

MTV Unplugged in New York by Nirvana Geffen Records, Los Angeles. 1994

# Selected festival appearances

Sydney Festival

Three solo concerts in the Seidler Penthouse Sydney, Australia. 2019

#### Tectonics Festival

Multi-city international contemporary music festival founded and curated by conductor Ilan Volkov. Commissioned to compose for and perform with BBC Scottish Symphony; also performed with Eddie Prevost et al., Glasgow, Scotland 2017. Solo performance in Athens, Greece, 2017. Solo and with Ilan Volkov and Ram Gabay, Tel Aviv, Israel. 2015

Ship in the Woods Festival

Duos with Pall Jenkins and Lonnie Holley. Escondido. 2017

### Seattle Improvised Music Festival

The longest-running festival in the US devoted entirely to free improvisation. No scores, no plans, no safety net. 1988, 1989, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 2000, 2015, 2017

## Improvisation Summit of Portland

Solo acoustic cello.. Portland, OR. 2017

### Earshot Jazz Festival

Solo and with cellist Judith Hamann. Seattle. 2017, 2019

### Austin Gay + Lesbian International Film Festival

Performed a live score with Clyde Petersen's film *Torrey Pines*. Austin, TX. 2017

## Seattle Improvised Music Festival

In 2017, with Douglas Ewart and Heather Bentley. In 2015, with Sue Ann Harkey and Greg Campbell. Other performances dating back to the first festival in 1986

# Northwest Psych Fest

Psychedelic music festival. Solo amplified cello performance. Sunset Tavern, Seattle. 2017

# Suoni Per Il Popolo

Solo acoustic cello performance. Montreal. 2016

### El Nicho #6

Improvised acoustic cello performances, solo and with Ingebrigt Håker Flaten, Aimée Thierot, and Mazen Kerbaj; also a performance of James Tenney's *In a Large Reverberant Space*. Ex Teresa, Mexico City. 2016

# Magma Fest

Duet with Mik Quantius in 2016; with Of Magic in 2015; with Marisa Anderson in 2013; with Sue Ann Harkey, 2011; solo in 2010, with Mike Dumovich in 2009. Seattle

Twist: Seattle Queer Film Festival

## With Clyde Petersen's film Torrey Pines. Seattle. 2016

### Northwest Folklife

Solo in 2015. With the Black Cat Orchestra. Seattle. 1993 and 1997

### Monktailfest: Flotation Device Live

Solo. Vermillion, Seattle. 2015

### Musica Nelle Valle

Solo. San Martino Spino, Italy. 2014

## Bumbershoot / One Reel Film Festival

In 2014, with Clyde Petersen's Boating with Clyde program. In 2010, solo with a preview of Pete Sillen's Jesse Bernstein documentary *I Am Secretly an Important Man*. In 1997–9, with the Black Cat Orchestra, commissioned to compose scores to silent films—Germaine Dulac and Antonin Artaud's 1927 film *The Seashell and the Clergyman*, the 1911 Italian version of *Dante's Inferno*, and Fritz Lang's *Spies*, respectively.

### Unknown Music Festival

Solo performances. Anacortes. 2012–2014

### Crossing Border

Solo. Enschede, Antwerp and the Hague. 2013

### Quiet Music Festival

Solo acoustic cello. Portland, OR, 2013

## Onn/Of Light Festival

With vocalist Jessika Kenney. Seattle, 2013

#### Macefield Music Festival

With vocalist Jessika Kenney and [percussionist Greg Campbell. Seattle, 2013

### Doom Over Leipzig

With Earth. Leipzig. 2012

#### Ecstatic Music Festival

With Jherek Bischoff. New York City, 2012

## All Tomorrow's Parties (ATP)

Performed with Earth, 2011, and Threnody Ensemble, UK. 2002

### Roadburn

With Earth. Annual international rock festival. Netherlands, 2011

ATP Presents I'll Be Your Mirror With Earth. Asbury Park, NJ, 2011

What the Heck Fest / The Unknown Music Festival
Performances with the Black Cat Orchestra, Mirah and Spectratone
International, Ô Paon, Earth, Dan Sasaki and solo. Anacortes WA, 2005, 2006, 2010, 2011

Lasagna or: How I Learned to Stop Slipping Towards the Prison of Permanent Darkness

Commissioned to compose and perform a solo score for amplified cello for an evening-length theater piece; with Linas Phillips and Jim Fletcher. On the Boards. Seattle, 2009

## Chicago Humanities Festival

With Mirah and Spectratone International. Chicago IL, 2008

### MusicFest Northwest

With Mirah. Portland, 2008

Portland Institute for Contemporary Art's Time-Based Art Festival (TBA at PICA) In 2005 and 2007, with Mirah with Spectratone International. In 2003 and 2005, solo, improvised to Carl Theodor Dreyer's silent film *Le Passion de Jeanne D'Art*. Portland, OR, 2003. In 2003, With Hinterland Theater Association, performed puppet opera *The Wreck of the St. Nikolai*. Portland, OR.

## Sasquatch

With Mirah. Gorge Ampitheatre, WA, 2007

## Ladyfest

With Mirah. Olympia, 2005

#### YEAH! FEST!

Festival sponsored by Kill Rock Stars, a benefit for Safeplace and the League Of Pissed Off Voters. With Mirah and the Black Cat Orchestra. Olympia, 2004

University of Washington Summer Arts Festival

Lune; commissioned to compose for and perform with choreographer Peter Kyle. Seattle, 2003

### River To River Festival

With Mirah and Spectratone International. New York City, 2001

### On the Boards Northwest New Works Festival

Our Round Earth, collaboration with film maker Lynn Shelton. Seattle, 2001

### Olympia Film Festival

With the Black Cat Orchestra, accompanying Fritz Lang's silent film *Spies*. Olympia, 2001

### Seattle Jewish Film Festival

Performed a live original score for the film *The Life of the Jews in Palestine*. Seattle, 2001

### Seattle International Film Festival

With Matthew Sperry, original live score for acoustic cello and bass with Ozu's *I Was Born, But...* Seattle, 1994

### Selected Awards, Grants, and Honors

Stranger Genius Award, Music, 2012.

Seattle Office of Arts & Cultural Affairs, City Artist, 2010

Artist Trust Fellowship, 2007

Jack Straw Foundation Artist Support Program, 1995 and 2006

Cultural Development Authority of King County, 2003

Artist Trust GAP grant, 1996

King County Arts Commission 1994

King County Arts Commission, as a member of Run/Remain. 1990

Seattle Arts Commission, as a member of Run/Remain. 1990

Allied Arts, as a member of Run/Remain. 1990

New Langton Arts, 1990

Meet the Composer, 1989

## **Teaching**

University of Washington Guest lecturer. Seattle

Oregon State University
Guest lecturer. Corvallis OR

Western Washington University
Guest lecturer. Bellingham WA

Experience Music Project
Guest lecturer. Experience Music Project. Seattle

Seattle International Film Festival Guest lecturer. Seattle

Nova High School Guest lecturer. Seattle

Idyllwild Arts Academy Visiting instructor. Idyllwild, CA

Vancouver Arts Academy
Instructor at arts educator conference. Vancouver, WA

The Bush School Cello instructor. Seattle

Rain City Rock Camp for Girls Guest lecturer. Seattle

Rocker Girl Camp Instructor. Seattle

## Seattle Festival of Dance and Improvisation Dance class accompanist. Seattle

West Woodland Elementary
Volunteer instructor. Seattle

Ballard High School Volunteer instructor. Seattle

Whitman Middle School Volunteer instructor. Seattle

Nova High School Guest instructor. Seattle

Private instructor

Cello, composition, and guitar instruction. 1980 to present

## **Selected Appearances**

Very Old Songs livestream

Produced a livestream album release concert with Town Hall Seattle, featuring performances by Tomo Nakayama, J.R. Rhodes, Clyde Petersen, Jordan O'Jordan and Phil Elverum. 2021

#### with Earth

Performed as a band member throughout Europe and North America; ongoing work as guest collaborator. Appeared on two critically acclaimed full length albums. US, Europe and Mexico, 2009–2019

# Centre Pompidou

Improvised performance with Maya Dunietz and Ghedalia Tezartes. Paris, France, 2018

# Floating in the High Cold Air

Evening of amplified improvised work, solo and with electric guitarist Dylan Carlson. Chapel Performance Space, Seattle, 2017

Cafe OTO

Improvised performance with violinist Laura Cannell; London. 2017

## with Lonnie Holley

Improvised duets, sponsored by the New Foundation and at Ship In the Woods Festival. Chapel Performance Space, Seattle, 2013 and Escondido CA 2017

## Seattle Festival of Dance Improvisation

With improvising dancer Karen Nelson. Seattle, 2017

## How the Light Gets In: A Celebration of Leonard Cohen

With Tomo Nakayama, Kimya Dawson, Ben Gibbard, et al. Town Hall, Seattle, 2016

# Finding Them Gone

Performance with vocalist Jessika Kenney, and poets Red Pine and Shin Yu Pai. Rose Theater, Port Townsend WA, 2016

#### Mirror

Performed *In C* with Terry Riley, Stuart Dempster, Amy Denio, Greg Powers, and members of the Seattle Symphony for the unveiling of new work by Doug Aitken. Seattle Art Museum, Seattle, 2013

### **OCCII**

Two-day artist residency; performances with Dana Reason, Mary Oliver, and Mik Quantius. Amsterdam, Netherlands, 2013

# with Jherek Bischoff

Performances at Ecstatic Music Festival, Vera Project, KEXP, Moore Theater, New York City, Seattle. 2009–2013

### The Stone

Solo acoustic cello performance. New York City, 2011

#### with Natacha Atlas.

Triple Door, Seattle, 2010

with saxophonist and composer Matana Roberts

## Good Shepherd Center Chapel Performance Space, Seattle, 2010

### Seattle Asian Art Museum

Recital of Japanese classical and contemporary works, with kotoist Elizabeth Falconer. Seattle, 2008.

## Must Don't Whip 'Um

Performances with performance artist, composer, and musician Cynthia Hopkins. On the Boards. Seattle, 2007

#### Instead Of

Co-founded an improvisational quartet with Angelina Baldoz, Jaison Scott and Torben Ulrich. Seattle, 2005–present

#### The Black Cat Orchestra

Co-founded a group with Kyle Hanson; composed and performed soundtracks for early silent films, released four albums, featured on numerous programs, festivals, and albums, including *This American* Life, Bumbershoot's One Reel Festival, Sandy Bradley's Potluck, and David Byrne's album *Feelings*. Seattle and throughout the US West Coast and New England. 1991–2006

## Run/Remain Ensemble

Co-founded an experimental theater company with Dayna Hanson, Kyle Hanson, Greg Lachow, and Meagan Murphy; co-produced and performed theater/dance works at On the Boards, New City Theater, Belltown Coliseum and Bumbershoot. Seattle, 1988–1990

# Long String Instrument

Collaboration with instrument inventor/composer Ellen Fullman and her Long String Instrument; performed throughout Germany and the US, 1998–2002

# Dunya Ensemble

Performed classical Turkish music with Kane Mathis and Jane Hall. Seattle, 2002

#### Seattle Turkish Music Ensemble

Performances of Turkish classical and fasil music. Seattle, 2002

#### Nirvana

Toured North America and appeared on MTV's *Unplugged*, and on the *Unplugged in New York* album, which won the 1995 Grammy Award for Best Alternative Performance. North America, 1993–1994