

# **BEN BARTLETT**

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## **COMPOSER**

An Emmy nominated and Bafta award-winning composer, Ben Bartlett stormed the UK film & TV industry with his memorable and original score to **Walking With Dinosaurs**. Highly versatile, his music is intelligent, yet highly melodic, equally at ease with writing symphonic scores as well as contemporary, edgy and upbeat scores. Ben now balances his documentary work with film & TV drama, most recently the 8 part drama, **Ghost Squad**, for Company Pictures (RTS Nomination 2006 - Best Theme), **Conviction**, the six-part drama for Red Productions and the BBC, the 6 part BBC comedy drama **Absolute Power**, starring Stephen Fry, and **The Secret World Of Michael Fry**, starring Ewen Bremner (Trainspotting), directed by Mark Munden. Ben also recently completed scoring another of Mark Munden's projects, the Iraqi conflict drama **Mark of Cain**, which has received much critical acclaim for it's portrayal of young British service men in Basra. He has recently completed the score for **The Chase** for Rollem Productions, as well as the score to **Empathy** for Carnival, and **Rapunzel** for Hat Trick. Ben most recently composed the score for Adrian Shergold's latest TV project, **He Kills Coppers**, which aired on ITV, and Carnival's 3 parter, **Midnight Man**. He has just finished scoring the archaeological thriller **Bonekickers** for Mammoth Screen and the BBC. He is currently working on BBC drama **Fiona's Story**, and **Mutual Friends**, a comedy drama for Hat Trick Productions.

## **AWARDS**

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### **British Academy Of Film And Television Arts (BAFTA)**

Winner of Best Original TV music for *Walking With Dinosaurs*

### **Academy Of Arts And Science (EMMY)**

Finalist for Best Original music for film or special, for *Walking With Dinosaurs*

## **FILM/TV**

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### **FIONA'S STORY**

BBC  
Director: Adrian Shergold  
Producer: David Boulter  
Starring: Jeremy Northam, Gina McKee

### **MUTUAL FRIENDS**

Hat Trick Productions  
Director: Catherine Morshead  
Producer: Rob Bullock  
Starring: Keeley Hawes

### **BONEKICKERS**

Mammoth Screen  
Director: Nick Hurran, Sarah O'Gorman, James Strong  
Producer: Rhonda Smith  
Starring: Hugh Bonneville, Adrian Lester

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<b>MIDNIGHT MAN</b>	Carnival Director: David Drury Producer: Willy Wands
<b>HE KILLS COPPERS</b>	Hat Trick Director: Adrian Shergold Producer: David Boulter
<b>RAPUNZEL</b>	Hat Trick Director: Catherine Morshead Producer: Hannah Pescod
<b>EMPATHY</b>	Carnival Director: David Richards Producer: Tim Bradley
<b>BLOODTRAILS</b>	K5 Films Director: Robert Krause Producer: Oliver Simon
<b>MARK OF CAIN</b>	Red Productions Director: Marc Munden Producer: Lyn Horsford
<b>THE CHASE</b>	Rollem Productions Director: Jamie Payne Producer: Hugh Warren
<b>GHOST SQUAD</b>	Company Pictures Director: Richard Laxton Producer: Chris Clough
<b>LEGLESS</b>	Red Productions Director: Matt Greenhalgh Producer: Tom Sherry
<b>CONVICTION</b>	Red Productions/BBC Director: Mark Munden, David Richards Producer: Annie Harrison-Baxter
<b>ABSOLUTE POWER</b> Series 1 & 2	BBC Starring: Stephen Fry Director: John Morton Producer: Paul Schlesinger
<b>MASIE'S CATCH</b>	Tall Stories Short written and directed by Dan Weldon
<b>THE SECRET WORLD OF MICHAEL FRY</b>	Channel 4 TV drama (UK and USA) Starring: Ewen Bremner (Trainspotting) Director: Mark Munden (Vanity Fair) Written by Paul Abbot

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**DIE WITH ME**

Irish Film Production  
Feature film shot in Ireland

## Documentaries

**LUSITANIA**

Darlow Smithson  
Director: Chris Spence  
Producers: Abbi Watts / Johann Insanally

**SEA MONSTERS**

BBC/Discovery  
Director: Tim Haines, Jasper James  
Producer: Tim Haines at Impossible Pictures

**GIANT CLAW / LAND OF GIANTS  
US TITLE - CHASED BY DINOSAURS**

BBC/Discovery  
Director: Tim Haines, Jasper James  
Producer: Tim Haines at Impossible Pictures  
Animation: Frame Store  
Commercially released CD of the soundtrack available

**WALKING WITH BEASTS**

BBC/Discovery  
Director: Tim Haines, Jasper James  
Producer: Tim Haines at Impossible Pictures  
Animation: Frame Store  
Performed by BBC Concert orchestra and BBC Singers  
Commercially released CD of the soundtrack available

**THE BALLAD OF BIG AL**

BBC/Discovery  
Director: Tim Haines, Jasper James  
Producer: Tim Haines at Impossible Pictures  
Animation: Frame Store  
Performed by BBC Concert orchestra  
Commercially released CD of the soundtrack available

**WALKING WITH DINOSAURS**

BBC/Discovery  
6-part blockbusting documentary  
Director: Tim Haines, Jasper James  
Producer: Tim Haines  
Performed by BBC Concert orchestra  
Commercially released CD of the soundtrack available

## COMMERCIALS

Nescafe, British Gas, Electrolux, British Rail (Intercity), NSPCC, Accurist, Twinings, Nestle, Mars Incorporated (Series), Uncle Bens, Pledge, Dettox, Hollywood Gum, Vileda, Twix, Maidwell, Al Italia.

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## TELEVISION IDENTITIES

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BBC1 & 2 2004/'05/'06 & BBC Radio  
Series of unique avant-garde musical identities for  
BBC Radio Three/BBC1 & 2

Series of unique avant-garde musical identities for  
BBC Radio Three's image drive  
Performed by BBC Philharmonic  
Question Of Sport (BBC)

### STATION IDENTITIES (VARIOUS)

International TV Networks  
MTV (Europe), BBC(UK), Bravo (UK), BRTN (Belgium),  
Reuters (UK/USA), S4C (Wales), S4C Xmas (Wales),  
Het Journal (Belgian News Identity), MTV Europe,  
Bravo, Reuters Online TV.

## STAGE & CONCERT

### EL TIGRE

Covent Garden Opera Festival  
Mini-opera commissioned by the Covent Garden Opera  
Festival  
Based on text by Pablo Neruda  
Performed by Eos under Charles Hazlewood with  
mezzo soprano Maria Koripas  
Rave Reviews in The Times/The Observer/Chilean  
Times

### CAPRICE

Royal Festival Hall  
Solo piano commissioned/performed by Louis Alvanis

### THE LOVER ON THE POINT OF BEING UNDRRESSED

The Place Theatre  
Dance piece incorporating layered improvisations  
of saxophonist Steve Buckley

### PIANO TRIO

St Johns Smith Square  
Performed / commissioned by The Chamber Music  
Co

### STRING QUARTET 1

Classic FM  
Performed live on air by members of Eos

### NINE – SUITE FOR 18 STRINGS

Leighton House  
Performed by the Dallopicolla Ensemble under Luigi  
Suvini

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## EDUCATION

- 1983-86** London University, Royal Holloway College  
BMus (Hons)
- 1992-93** Guildhall School Of Music And Drama  
Advanced Composition  
(Bainbridge/Saxton/Lutoslawski)  
1st prize composition
- 1993** Student of Hans Werner Henze

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