

JULIAN BENNETT HOLMES

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EDUCATION

2018 **M.M. IN COMPOSITION, MANHATTAN SCHOOL OF MUSIC**

Studying with Richard Danielpour. Tutor. Dean's list.

2016 **DOUBLE B.M. IN COMPOSITION AND THEORY, MANNES COLLEGE**

Composition with Lowell Liebermann; theory with Robert Cuckson. Additional lessons with Aaron Kernis, Uri Caine, and David Little. Composition assistantship. Dean's list every semester. Honors graduate. Grant from the Peter M. Gross fund. Theory and analysis tutor.

PRIZES

2017 **NATIONAL FEDERATION OF MUSIC CLUBS — YOUNG COMPOSERS AWARD**

For *Kyrie* (2016).

2017 **MUSICAL CHAIRS ENSEMBLE COMPOSER SEARCH**

Finalist.

2016 **SEVENTH INTERNATIONAL ANTONÍN DVORÁK COMPOSITION COMPETITION**

Senior division, second prize; special prize for best free composition (granted by The Prague Conservatoire).

2016 **BOHUSLAV MARTINU PRIZE**

2016 **MANNES COLLEGE'S FELIX SALZER TECHNIQUES OF MUSIC AWARD**

2015 **SIXTH INTERNATIONAL ANTONÍN DVORÁK COMPOSITION COMPETITION**

Junior division, third prize.

PAPERS

2016 **IN DEFENSE OF AUGMENTED INTERVALS**

Poster presentation at EuroMAC 2017, in Strasbourg.

Julian Bennett Holmes was born in Brooklyn, New York, in 1991. He studies music composition with Richard Danielpour at Manhattan School of Music. As a teenager, he played drums in experimental rock bands, touring internationally.

FESTIVALS

2013–2016 **CHORAL CHAMELEON INSTITUTE**

SELECTED WORKS

2017 **TEASDALE SONGS** (10 min.) Commissioned by *What a Neighborhood!* for Ishmael Wallace.

2017 **FANTASY FOR VIOLIN & ELECTRONICS** (10 min.) Commissioned by Joanna Jenner.

2017 **WIND QUINTET** (7 min.)

2016 **SONATA FOR TWO PIANOS** (10 min.)

2016 **DUET FOR VIOLIN & CELLO** (6 min.)

2016 **KYRIE, FOR CHORUS AND ORCHESTRA** (6 min.) Second prize winner at the IADCC; special prize.

2016 **VARIATIONS ON A THEME BY REJCHA** (6 min.) Second prize winner at the IADCC.

2016 **SONG FOR SOLO VIOLA** (5 min.)

Commissioned by Adam Kramer.

2016 **KYRIE** (6 min.)

2016 **PIANO SONATA NO. 2** (12 min.)

2015 **THE HOLY EUCHARIST** (60 min.) A complete Episcopal Sunday Mass for liturgical use.

2015 **SYMPHONY** (30 min.) Premiered by the Mannes Orchestra. Bohuslav Martinu prize winner.

2015 **ORCHESTRAL FANTASY ON A THEME BY SUK** (5 min.) Third prize winner at the IADCC.

2015 **THREE FUGUES FOR PIANO** (10 min.)

2014 **SONATA FOR VIOLA & PIANO** (12 min.)

2014 **TWO HARDY SONGS** (5 min.)

2014 **STRING QUARTET** (16 min.)

2013 **PIANO SONATA NO. 1** (18 min.)

2013 **RHAPSODY FOR CHORUS** (6 min.)

2013 **IMPROMPTU FOR PIANO &**

ORCHESTRA (6 min.)

2013 **QUARTET** (10 min.)

2012 **SONATA FOR VIOLIN & PIANO** (12 min.)

DOCUMENTARY FILM APPEARANCES

2016 **SHOWPAPER**

2009 **MACHEADS**

2007 **THE FUTURE IS UNWRITTEN**

TIMPANIST / PERCUSSIONIST

2013–present **FREELANCE**

Amore Opera, Greenwich Village Orchestra, Brooklyn College Orchestra, Mannes Community Orchestra, etc.

TEACHING

2015–present **THEORY, ANALYSIS, AND EAR-TRAINING TUTOR**

Tutored undergraduate and graduate students at Mannes College and the Manhattan School of Music.

2006–present **PERCUSSION TEACHER**

Group classes as well as private lessons.

DRUMMER

2005–2013 **FIASCO**

Toured internationally, recorded three full-length records, and played hundreds of concerts, at venues including *Terminal 5*, *Bowery Ballroom*, *CBGB*, and *The Knitting Factory*, and festivals including *CMJ*, *SXSW*, *NXNE*, and the *Sarajevo Film Festival*. Coverage in *The New York Times*, *New York Magazine*, *Time Out New York*, *Paper*, *Nylon*, and others, and listings in *The New Yorker* and others. Music video on *Pitchfork*.

2006–present **VARIOUS GROUPS**

Played hundreds of concerts, including at music festivals *CMJ*, *NXNE*, and *SXSW*, and recorded over fifteen records as a member of many other groups, including *Aa*, *Zulus*, *Heaven's Gate*, *Rice*, and *The Homosexuals*.

MISCELLANEOUS

2006–present **RECORD PRODUCER**

Engineered and produced over thirty records, many of which have been released on vinyl LP, CD, and online, by various record labels.

2008–2009 **RADIO HOST, NO NEW YORK**

Produced and hosted a weekly program, broadcast worldwide on *East Village Radio*.