

# CHARLIE JEFFERSON

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## ABOUT ME

**Film & TV Composer.** I have been composing and producing original music full time for installations, award winning film, television and worldwide media productions since I got my first break in 2005 for the BBC. I love creative collaboration with directors and relish any opportunity to transform and elevate visual mediums. Educated as a classical guitarist with eclectic tastes, my main style often blends minimal acoustic instrumentation with orchestral and electronic elements. I'm very experienced in the field of music production, having begun by collaborating, learning from and touring with DJs and electronic music producers in the late 1990s and had a thirst for knowledge of the latest technologies ever since. I now work mainly from my home studio, though I enjoy working with orchestrators, recording with session players and tightening mixes at major studios in Edinburgh, Glasgow & London. My recent album release '*Memories of America*' has an emotive and atmospheric minimal style with a focus on the landscape and has been published by Audio Network. I'm currently in production on a feature documentary, *Scheme Birds* (Creative Scotland, British Film Institute & Swedish Film Institute) as well as being in the middle of delivering commercial work for TED Talks via a Canadian agency (Wallop Film) that I enjoy working with.

## EDUCATION

### **Composer MiniLab, EIFF Talent Development**

Edinburgh International Film Festival  
[Selected 2011](#)

### **AVID Pro Tools 101, 110 & 201**

Adam Smith College  
[Graduated 2010](#)

### **Master of Arts**

University of Glasgow  
[Graduated 2000](#)

## SKILLS

• Music Production • Intuitive & original composition • Multi-instrumentalist • MIDI Orchestration  
• Deliver to tight deadlines • Full Clean UK Driving License • Excellent communicator & listener

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

### **Mentor & Co-ordinator, Music Plus 2015-2018**

Music Plus provides mentoring for 14-19 yr olds in any chosen field of the music industry. As well as mentoring in scoring to screen, I have co-ordinated this project and developed the mentoring pool for Edinburgh & Lothians since 2017.

### **Guest Speaker, Commonwealth Broadcasting Association 2014**

Presentation alongside editor Jonathan Seal (*History of Scotland*) at the BBC Pacific Quay, Glasgow with a focus on the field of documentary scoring.

### **Guest speaker, Edinburgh International Film Festival, 2013**

Panelist at PRS/ BAFTA panel discussion alongside composers Jim Sutherland (*Brave*) and David Julian (*Cabin in the Woods*)

## SELECTED CREDITS

[Here are a few selected credits. Full credits available on [imdb](#) or [www.charliejefferson.com](#)]

**FILM & TV** • BBC *Panorama Special 'Taking on the Taliban'* (RTS nominated) • Dispatches '*Jon Snow Specials*' • '*Terra Firma*' (Sigma Films/ Film 4) • '*Future of Food*' (RTS Best Factual Winner) • BBC '*Countryfile*' & '*Springwatch*'

**INSTALLATIONS** • Museum of London '*Diversity*' Installation (BAFTA nominated)

**COMMERCIAL** • TED Talks • Microsoft • EE • Gender Fair • Samsung • Comedy Central • Ogilvie • Change4Life