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PIANIST-VOCALIST-SAXOPHONIST **singer-songwriter, music teacher**

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

Solo Pianist-Singer: repertoire jazz, personal compositions, pop and French pop

2010-2012 Le Ritz (brunch and piano-bar)

2008-2012 Plaza Athénée Hôtel (restaurant)

2008-2011 California Hôtel (piano-bar)

2009-2010 Hilton Arc de Triomphe Hôtel (restaurant) , Castle of Méry sur Oise

2009 Royal Garden Hôtel, Lotti Hôtel, Palm Beach in Cannes, Golf of St Nom La Bretèche,
CCE Air France in Lassy (95)

2008 Le Lup, L'Empire du 8 ème

2007 Normandy Hôtel, Ampère Hôtel, Abbaye of Vaulx de Cernay

Pianist-Singer-Saxophonist with a trio: répertoire jazz, personal compositions, pop, soul, disco

2011 Les Etangs de Corot Hôtel (92)

2010-2011 Le Fauteuil in Le Mans

2009 Westminster Hôtel in Touquet

2008 Il Vino in Courchevel

2007 Fouquet's, Sir Winston and First Floor in Champs-Élysées

Saxophonist-Singer: répertoire jazz, electronic music

2010 Les Etangs de Corot Hôtel (cocktail in solo)

2009 Golf of St Nom La Bretèche (with DJ)

2008 Casino of Annemasse, Vip Room, Villa Eglantine in Touquet,
Belly in Helsinki, Monk in Turku,Finlande (with DJ)

2007-2008 Saxophonist-singer of Shabana in the City of Cergy Pontoise, in Boulogne-sur-
Mer, in Touquet and in the Stadium of Lens

2007 Castle of Reuilly, Castle of Dordogne, 25th Marché de la Poésie in Paris

2006 Saxophoniste-singer of Cold Sweat : Hôtel Mina A'Salam in Dubaï (May to Septembre)

2005 SkatPark : La Folie Douce in Val d'Isère (January to April), Vakko Golf and Sailing Cup in
Istanbul, Palmer Room in Los Angeles

2003-2005 Petra's Quartet Tours Club Med in Switzerland, in Turkey, in Sicile and Calabre, 24hours of
Mans (72), Palais of la Découverte, Sunset, Duc des Lombards
Kowus: concerts and Cd

1998-2002 New Morning, Gibus, Festival Tropical Paris in Divan du monde (Paris)
Workshop and concert in festival Jazz in Toulon (83)

Singer in a Choir

1990 - 1997 Choir of the Opera « Nut Breaker » in the National Opera in Helsinki
Choir of the Opera « Down in the Valley », TV recordings in Finland
2nd prize with **Honey Bear** choir in the Contest of the Disc organised by the Finnish
TV and performance for **Harry Belafonte** in Helsinki.
Charity choir for the Childrens' Clinic of Helsinki
Tours with choirs : Stockholm, Paris, London and Manchester

Pedagogy : instrument, musical formation , accompaniment

2006-2011 Private lessons : piano, saxophone and voice

2008- 2009 Animation Center of City of Paris, Reuilly Paris 12th : Musical formation classes (elementary students), piano lessons (elementary and middle school students)

2007-2009 Private lessons : piano, saxophone and voice – Allegro Musique

2004 Marymount School : Music teacher (piano: elementary students)

2003-2004 Piano lessons in Conservatory Marietta Albonie (Paris)

2002 Accompanist in the Conservatories of Pierrefitte and Boulogne

STUDIES

1998 - 2004 Diploma of **American School of Modern Music** - (Paris) – piano, saxophone, composition, arrangement, direction

1996 Diploma of Conservatory of Kirkkonummi (Finland)
Diploma of Sibelius High school in Helsinki (Finland)

Finnish : mother tongue – English, French & Swedish: fluent

Date of birth : January 23rd 1977 in Helsinki