PROGRAMME PROPOSALS

Clare is happy to perform new commissions and to discuss alternative repertoire or themes.

FULL-LENGTH PROGRAMME

90 minutes

To celebrate the 70th birthdays of John Adams, Tristan Murail and Salvatore Sciarrino

> THOMAS ADÈS Mazurkas, Op. 27 (2009, 8')

TRISTAN MURAIL Territoires de l'oubli (1977, 25')

UNSUK CHIN Études, Nos. 4-6 (9')

INTERVAL

JOHN ADAMS Hallelujah Junction (1998, 17')

SALVATORE SCIARRINO Perduto in una città d'Acque (1991, 10')

> PIERRE BOULEZ Incises (1994 / 2001, 10')

> > Encore:

SALVATORE SCIARRINO Anamorfosi (3')

Alternative repertoire:

JOHN ADAMS American Berserk (2001, 6') China Gates (1977, 5'15)

GEORGE BENJAMIN Shadowlines (2001, 15')

TRISTAN MURAIL Comme un oeil suspendu et poli par le songe... (1967, 6') La Mandragore (1993, 9')

> SALVATORE SCIARRINO Sonata No. 5 (1994, 17') Due Notturni: Nos. I and II (1999, 13')

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90 minutes

"Mazurkas"

CHOPIN 4 Mazurkas, Op. 67 (7')

SCHUMANN, CLARA Mazurka en sol mineur, Soirées musicales, Op. 6 (3'30)

> DEBUSSY Mazurka (2'30)

FAURÉ Mazurka Op. 32 (8')

MARTINU Mazurka, H. 284 "Hommage à Paderewski" (2')

> SZYMANOWSKI 3 Mazurkas, Op. 50 Nos. 2, 9 et 6 (9')

MACIEJEWSKI Mazurkas Nos. I, 7 and 4 (6'30)

> ADÈS 3 Mazurkas, Op. 27 (8')

> > INTERVAL

FAURÉ 2 Nocturnes, Op. 37 and Op. 107 (10')

MEDTNER Sonata Romantica, Op. 53 (27')

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piano

"Amazing power and panache" **Daily Telegraph**

"Crisp precision and unflashy intelligence" **The Guardian**

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HIGHLIGHTS 2014-16

- Royal Festival Hall debut in December 2016 with the Philharmonia.
- Tour of Poland in spring 2016, with Mozart's concerto in D minor, K. 466 and a newly-discovered work by his contemporary, Josef Myslivecek.
- Recorded the soundtrack of recent Alan Bennett film adaptation, 'The Lady in the Van', with the Philharmonia and BBC Concert Orchestra, now available on Sony Records. Clare appeared as the younger Maggie Smith in the film itself.
- Return visits to the Cheltenham and Presteigne Festivals in 2016, with world premieres of works by Robert Saxton and Michael Berkeley.
- Five broadcasts on BBC Radio 3 in 2015, including a special invitation to perform as part of the 'In Tune' Christmas special, alongside Joanna Lumley.
- Performed Philip Glass' etudes alongside the composer in April 2015 at the **Barbican Hall**.
- BBC Music Magazine's 'Rising Star' in March 2015.
- Two discs with **BIS Records** and a third to be released in June 2016.
- Debut recitals for 'Chopin and his Europe' and the Warsaw Autumn International Festival of Contemporary Music in Poland in 2014.
- Panufnik centenary tour of Poland under the auspices of the British Council's 'Artists' International Development Fund', with recitals in Zakopane, Warsaw and Kalisz.



 Clare co-curated the chamber festival, Panufnik 100, at Kings Place with the Brodsky Quartet in 2014.

RECENT REVIEWS

"young British rising star Clare Hammond was a dazzling athlete" Fiona Maddocks, **Guardian** Barbican Hall, London

"This array of wizardry is not for the faint-hearted" Jessica Duchen, **BBC Music Magazine**

"unfaltering bravura and conviction" Bryce Morrison, **Gramophone**

"vitalité éloquente et force de conviction" Bertrand Boissard, **Diapason**

"definition of bravura over barnstorming" CRITIC's CHOICE, Classical Music Magazine

"a pronounced virtuoso"
Hartmut Lück, **Klassik Heute**

"skill, inspiration, clarity and and an extraordinarily meticulous performance", Artem Avatinian

Gramophone Russia

"performs with authority and great imagination"
Haskins, American Record Guide





"... Most impressive, though, was her natural sense of pacing, allowing the hollowed-out climax of Pour les Arpèges Composées to gather like a wisp of smoke in sunlight before dissipating in a passing breeze."