CHIARA COSTANZA





SELECTED CREDITS

MIX TAPE (2025)

PLUM (2024)

HEARTBREAK HIGH (2022-2025)

PANOPTICON (2023)

TOTALLY COMPLETELY FINE (2023)

ALL THESE CREATURES (2018)

BIOGRAPHY

Chiara is a film and TV composer and electronic producer based between Melbourne and Torino, holding dual Australian and Italian citizenship. Her diverse career spans screen composition, electronic music, and sound design, blending classical training with cutting-edge electronic exploration.

She has recently composed music for Netflix's global hit 'Heartbreak High', 'Panopticon' (Karlovy Vary International Film Festival 2024), and 'Inside' starring Guy Pearce and Cosmo Jarvis (Tribeca 2025). One of her latest projects, 'Mixtape' (SXSW 2025), premiered on Binge, Foxtel, and the BBC in June 2025. Other notable TV projects include 'Totally Completely Fine' (STAN Original) and 'The Unusual Suspects' (SBS), while her film credits include Australia's 'Open' (MIFF/ABC), 'Long Story Short', and the Palme D'Or-winning short 'All These Creatures' (Cannes, 2018).

Beyond screen composition, Chiara has collaborated with renowned choreographers and visual artists, including contemporary dance companies Chunky Move and Prue Lang, as well as visual artists Callum Morton and Kris Moyes, creating dynamic, multidisciplinary soundscapes.

Classically trained in piano, Chiara transitioned into electronic music after relocating to Melbourne in 2004. She developed a refined DJing style under the moniker Chiara Kickdrum, performing at festivals such as Pitch, Meredith, and Dark Mofo, and supporting acts including Kiasmos, Underground Resistance, and Nina Kraviz. Her sound design expertise also extends to fashion, composing for designers Henne and Dion Lee.

Chiara studied sound art and design at RMIT University and now lectures in Interactive Composition at RMIT and the Melbourne Conservatorium of Music. Her work spans scoring for screen, live electronic performance, immersive soundscapes, and experimental field recordings. In 2020, she received the APRA Mentorship for Women in Screen Composition, working closely with composer Bryony Marks.

FILM COMPOSER CREDITS

Silenced (2025)

Directed by Selina Miles Stranger than Fiction Films

Penny Lane is Dead (2025)

Directed by Mia Kate Russell Sanctuary Pictures Productions

Sweet Milk Lake (2025)

Directed by Harvey Zielinski Film Camp Productions

Inside (2024)

Directed by Charles Williams Finnish Impact Filmfund

Panopticon (2023)

Directed by George Sikharulidze 20 Steps Productions

My Summer in the Human Resistance (Short) (2023)

Directed by Steve Anthopoulos Spaceboy Productions

Australia's Open (2023)

Directed by Ili Bare Good Thing Production Company

Bienvenidos a Los Angeles (2022)

Directed by Lisa Cole 3rd Astronaut

The Land of Nod (Short) (2022)

Directed by Josh Massarotti Exodus Film

A Christmas Ransom (2022)

Directed by Adele Vuko Stan

Victim (2022)

Directed by Robin Summons Munition Pictures

Occupation (2021)

Directed by Robin Summons Backer Films

Vampyr (Live Score 2022)

Directed by Carl Theodor Dreyer (1932)

L'Onesta del Peccato (Live Score 2021)

Directed by Augusto Genino (1918)

The Lost Season (2021)

Directed by Alexander Moore Back Pocket Films

A Fistful of Dollars (Live Score 2021)

Directed by Sergio Leone (1964)

Long Story Short (2020)

Directed by Josh Lawson Create NSW

Agender (Short) (2019)

Directed by Susan Earl

Chlorine (Short) (2019)

Directed by Sebastien Rabas

Before I Go (2019)

Directed by Mika Tran The Act of Storytelling

All These Creatures (2018)

Directed by Charles Williams Simpatico Films

The Future Memories (Short) (2014)

Directed by Pablo Muñoz Gómez Pablander



TELEVISION COMPOSER CREDITS

Heartbreak High (2022-2025) - Seasons 1,2,3

Fremantle

Mix Tape (2025)

Directed by Lucy Gaffy

Subotica

Plum (2024)

Created by Brendan Cowell Modern Convict Films

Totally Completely Fine (2023)

Directed by Lucy Gaffy, Adrian Chiarella

Fremantle Media

Erotic Stories (2023)

Directed by Leticia Cáceres, Madeleine

Gottlieb

Lingo Pictures

Preppers (2021)

Created by Gabriel Dowrick and Nakkiah

Lui

Spirit Pictures

The Unusual Suspects (2021)

Created by Jessica Redenbach

Aquarius Films

The Other Guy (2019)

Created by Matt Okine

Wooden Horse

Eurovision - Australia Decides

(2019)

SBS

Kiki & Kitty (2017)

Directed by Catriona McKenzie

Porchlight Films

LIVE MEDIA

Poesis (2025)

Prue Lang (Dance)

Henne (2023)

Syndney Fashion Festival

Goddess (2023)

ACMI Exhibition (Installation)

Castillo (2022)

Prue Lang (Dance)

Yung Lung (2021)

Chunky Move (Dance)

Project F (2020)

Prue Lang (Dance)

Towards Innumerable Futures

(2018)

Prue Lang (Dance)

Snake (2016)

Melbourne Fringe Festival

Dion Lee Runway Show (2016)

Melbourne Fashion Festival

Porcelana Innovadora (2014)

Installation with visual artist Kit Webster

Sound to Light (2013)

Dark Mofo (Installation)

COMMERCIALS

Adina Hotel (2021)

Pause Fest Opening Titles (2020)

Aspen & Black Diamond (2019)

Shine Lawyers (2017)

Aston Martin Rapide (2017)

BUPA (2016)

Arnott's (2016)

Crown Golden Ale (2016)

Mitsubishi (2016)

2Degrees Mobile (2016)

Portmans (2016)

NAB Bank (2015)

