



*Michael W. Choi*

Composer, Conductor, and Filmmaker

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## EDUCATION

### **BERKLEE COLLEGE OF MUSIC VALENCIA CAMPUS**

Master of Scoring for Film, Television, and Video Games 2016-17

### **THE SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO**

Bachelor of Fine Arts 2008-14

## ACTIVITIES & EXPERIENCES

### **WORK EXPERIENCES**

- Intern at Blue Bonsai Studios: Los Angeles, CA, Dec. 2017 - Feb. 2018
- Intern at HMX Production Music Library: Venice, CA, Aug. 2017 - Dec. 2018
- General Manager of Nara Restaurant and Bar: Chicago, IL July 2015 - July 2016
- Civil Service Officer (Army of Republic of Korea): Seoul, South Korea 2011 - 2013
- Creative English Instructor at Funway: Seoul, South Korea, Jan. 2013 - June 2014
- Intern at Experimental Sound Studio: Chicago, IL. March 2015 - May 2016
- Intern at Chicago Filmmakers: Chicago, IL. June 2010 - Aug. 2010

### **FILM SCORING & MUSIC**

- Composer & Sound for Hoseo Univ. Animation Dept. Project 2017-18
- Conductor and Associate Director for VFO Concert: Cine Para Escuchar a favor de FUVANE (April 2017)
  - Conducted and rearranged the Beauty & the Beast, and Imperial March
- Composer for "Glowing in the Blue" (dir. Seul Bi Lee) (May 2017)
- Composer for "Fever" (dir. Eunhye Hong Kim) (April 2016)
  - Chicago Highlanders Short Film Festival (May 2016)
  - Starz Denver Film Festival (Nov. 2014)

### **FILM PRODUCTION**

- Producer for Chekhov's Gun (dir. Yuyeol Chun) (May 2016)
  - Madrid International Film Festival (2017)
  - Bermuda International Film Festival (2017)
- Co-founder of KUT Production Student Film Production at SAIC Chicago, IL. Sept. 2010 - Feb. 2016

### **AWARDS**

- Madrid International Film Festival (2017)
  - Jury Award & Best Editing of a Short Film Award

## SKILLS

- DAW: Digital Performer 9, Logic Pro X, and Pro Tools 11
- Adobe Photoshop CS6, Premiere CS6, After Effects CS6, Final Cut Pro
- Sibelius, Vienna Ensemble Pro, iZotope RX 6, Melodyne, Keyboard Maestro
- Microsoft Words, Powerpoint, Excel, Slack, and Asana
- Video and sound recording, and basic editing