



GIUSEPPE DUGO,

clarinet soloist. He was born in Italy in 1987. He currently lives in Avola (SR). He started his musical studies at the age of ten. In 2007 he was granted a diploma in Clarinet Performance from Istituto Superiore di Studi Musicali Vincenzo Bellini in Catania with the maximum number of votes under the supervision of master Carmelo Dell'Acqua. In 2010, he earned another academic title of Il livello in discipline musicali ad indirizzo interpretativo-compositivo with the maximum number of votes, also under the expert tutelage of master Carmelo Dell'Acqua and Riccardo Insolia.

He won several national and international competitions: 2nd prize at V Concorso Nazionale di Musica da Camera Città di Grosseto, 1st prize in the A category at IX Concorso Nazionale Riviera della Versilia, 1st prize in the B category at IX Concorso Nazionale Riviera della Versilia, 1st prize at I Concorso Internazionale di Clarinetto e Sassofono Città di Reggiolo. These awards paved the way for him to engage in a

concert tour in The Netherlands. He was finalist in VIII Concorso Internazionale di clarinetto Saverio Mercadante, 1st prize at the X Concorso Internazionale di clarinetto Nuova Banda di Carlino in the Clarinetto Solista e Banda category, and 2nd prize at I Concorso R. Caravaglios for clarinet Solist and Wind Band (Rome) where he had the opportunity to perform in the final stage along with Fanfara dei Carabinieri di Roma, 1st prize at I International Music Competition "città di Cosenza", 1st prize at VIII Concorso Internazionale di musica "Trofeo città di Greci", 1st prize at XX Concorso Internazionale vocale e strumentale "ANEMOS" (Rome), 1st prize at IV Concorso Internazionale "Premio Crescendo" (Florence). He was the only Italian musician in the Canton Ticino region who was granted the prestigious scholarship from the Swiss Federation.

He also participated in several Master Classes and training seminars with prominent international artists, such as M. Rericha, K. Leister, P. Beltramini, P. De Gaspari, J. De Beer, K. Krikku, P. Cuper, P. Glass, T. L. Toscano, S. Sciarrino, T. D'Agostino, S. Bellotti and C. Cattaneo.

As part of his indefatigable concert activity, he is a stable member of the clarinet ensemble Calamus di Catania established throughout the Italian territory and, at the same time, he is a permanent soloist in numerous Italian theatres collaborating in performances along with Orchestra del Conservatorio della Svizzera Italiana. In 2012 he became competent musician for the position of supporting clarinetist at Orchestra Stabile di Lanzo D'Intelvi (Academy of Art Foundation). In 2013, he will participate in contemporary music productions with the wind ensemble Sinestesia Gioventù Musicale from Milan under the direction of master F. Bossaglia.

He is currently taking the Master of Arts in Music Performance and Pedagogy at Conservatorio della Svizzera Italiana, under the guidance of master Milan Rericha, internationally prestigious concert musician.

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