

Jason Cutmore, pianist

Condensed Biography

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Jason Cutmore has performed piano recitals and collaborative concerts throughout North America, Europe and India. In 2005, he made his Chicago recital debut in the Dame Myra Hess Memorial Concerts with an all-Liszt programme that was heard live on WFMT radio and broadcast on television. Since then he has returned twice to the Hess series, and has performed in Canada's Colours of Music Festival, the Elora Festival, Calgary's "Celebrity Series" and for the Edmonton Recital Society, as well as at venues in New York City, Cleveland, Cincinnati and elsewhere in North America. His concert performances, and an ardent interest in foreign travel, have frequently taken him abroad to Germany, Hungary, Lithuania, and India, including appearances at the National Centre for the Performing Arts in Bombay, and Franz Liszt Museum in Budapest.

In 2008, Mr. Cutmore's debut commercial CD, an album of piano music by Spanish composer Manuel de Falla on Centaur Records, was released to critical acclaim. *Gramophone* magazine praised his "warm, generous sonority and natural feel for the idiom" and raved that "this pianist's gorgeously variegated legato makes a sexy and inviting recital."

Jason Cutmore holds degrees from the Oberlin College Conservatory of Music, and the SUNY Purchase College Conservatory of Music in New York. His teachers have included Stephanie Brown, Robert Shannon, and Michael Massey. Originally from Edmonton, Canada, Mr. Cutmore now resides in a suburb of New York City.

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