

# The Venice Voice Academy PROJECT

APRIL 6th-12th, 2020 AUGUST 10th-17th, 2020 LOS ANGELES VENICE VOICE ACADEMY

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#### **VENICE VOICE ACADEMY, Los Angeles**

The **Venice Voice Academy** is held in charming **Venice Beach**, California. This course will help transform your singing dreams into a reality. The daily classes will consist of group sessions in Voice Technique, jazz improvisation, repertoire, choir ensemble, yoga on the beach, Brazilian music and a recording session emphasizing recording technique. This Masterclass will teach and guide you in the artistry of a professional vocalist, as well as develop the business skills of a working singer.

Summer session will offer an amazing opportunity to participate in classes given by some of the best musicians and vocalists in the Los Angeles area while enjoying the very best of Southern California lifestyle. At which time they will develop a supportive network of contacts with singers, song writers, musicians and fellow students from all over the globe.

Students will study the **Crossover Singing Method** under the guidance of **Giovanna Gattuso** an award winning singer/songwriter and renowned vocal coach from Turin, Italy. Upon completion of the course, students will receive a **CROSSOVER SINGING METHOD** certificate.



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2020

#### **CLASSES**

The MasterClass consists of daily (42 hours in April and 50 hours in August) sessions along with surprise guest lectures from working music industry celebrities. Lessons are held in the studio, on the beach and in a recording studio.

Crossover Singing Method/Voice Technique
Repertoire
Choir ensamble
Beach Breathing Technique
with
GIOVANNA GATTUSO

Recording Session Technique at APM MUSIC

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Brazilian music, Cultural Influences, Styles, Artists Brazilian Repertoire

with
ROBERTO MONTERO

The Role
Stage Improvisation
with
DAN RIORDAN

Yoga & Wellness on the beach

with
GIOVANNA GATTUSO

Workshops/Lecture with Special Guests

from working music industry celebrities

**Symphonian Tour** 

Which Includes Walt Disney Concert Hall, Mark Taper Forum, Ahmanson Theatre and Dorothy Chandler Pavilion, by Symphonians of The Music Center.

## INSTRUCTORS



#### **GIOVANNA GATTUSO**

Crossover Singing Method, Voice Technique, Repertoire Choir ensemble, Beach Breathing technique.

Multi Award Winner at the 16th Annual International Los Angeles Music Awards, as Best Latin Female Singers Songwriter of 2006 and Best World Music Album of the 2006 - "Jungle e Maree". Author of the Crossover Singing Method which was on the Top 5 Best Seller list as Vocal/Singing Methods in Italy. Giovanna is a sophisticated and refined musician, singer-songwriter, and vocal coach. She has extensive performance experience in both Europe and the United States. Her vast repertoire and styles include traditional Opera, Mediterranean Folk music & Jazz. She

now lives in both Italy and the USA where she collaborates with well known musicians and regularly holds master-classes and seminars featuring her personal vocal method (released in Italian and English). In 2000 she founded the Venice Voice Academy, based both in Venice (CA) and Torino (Italy) using the Crossover Voice method. She is the Music Director of VelvetBee Records. She collaborates with the Italian Cultural Institute and the San Gennaro Foundation in Los Angeles. Her Clients range from 300 - 500 singers per year.

#### **DANIEL RIORDAN**

Voice over- Actor, writer Stage Improvisation, "THE ROLE"

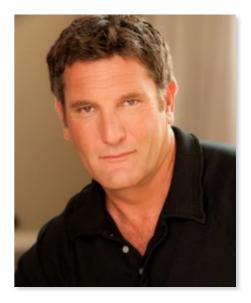
Daniel is an Actor and writer, known for Jingle all the Way, Traformer, Ed Wood. Among others:

#### **Animation**

Avatar: The Last Airbender - General Mung, Additional Voices, The Wild Thornberrys - Master of Ceremonies

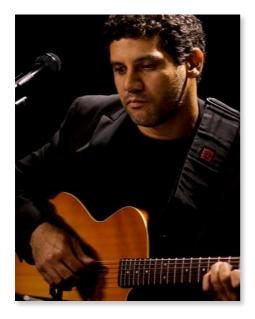
#### Film roles

Dreamgirls - L.A. Deejay, The Pavilion - Northmour, Jingle All The Way - Turbo Man, The Adventures of Captain Zoom in Outer Space - Ty Farrell/Captain Zoom, Scooby-Doo! The Mystery Begins - Voice of the Dark Spector



#### Video game roles

X-Men Legends II: Rise of Apocalypse - Mister Sinister- Stryfe, Transformers: The Game - Bonecrusher, Shockwave, The Order: 1886 - Mysterious Figure, The Evil Within - Marcelo Jimenez, Additional USA VO, 300: March to Glory - Xerxes, H darnes, Additional Voices, Age of Empires III - Pierre Beaumont, Colonel George Washington, Age of Mythology - Arkantos, Kastor, Armed & Dangerous - Brother Zoltof.



#### **ROBERTO MONTERO**

guitarist, singer

## Brazilian music, Cultural Influences, Styles, artists Brazilian Repertoire

Born in the state of Rio Grande do Sul - south Brazil - and raised in the states of Parana and Santa Catarina. His mother, Irene Bertoli was an outstanding painter and (as Roberto says) a great listener for those times when he would sit in the kitchen playing the same song over and over. Roberto's father, Endo Montero, an acomplished and respected musician in Brazil, taught him his most important lesson"Play it with your heart." After moving to the United States he graduated at The Los Angeles Music Academy where he studied with guitar visionary Frank Gambale, Bill Fowler, Jean-Marc Belkadi,

Linda Taylor, Joe Basu and Jeff Richman. Roberto performed as a member of Sergio Mendez's band nationally and internationally. His U.S. concerts include the Radisson Concert Hall in Phoenix, Arizona, the Atlanta Summer Concert in Atlanta, Georgia, the Sun Theater in Anaheim, California and the Union Station Foundation Concert Series in Pasadena, California. He has also performed with Latin Grammy nominated Brazilian pop star Baby Consuelo (Baby Do Brasil) and with four-time Grammy nominated European MTV Award's Best Italian Artist, Tiziano Ferro. Other performances and/or recording credits include in United States: Gary Taylor, Bill Fowler, Arnold McCuller, John Pisano, Lynne Fiddmont, Giovanna Gattuso, Philip Bynoe, Jose Marino, Munyungo Jackson, Michael Harris, Octavio Bailey, Frank Zottoli, Joanna St. Clair, Mike Shapiro, Leo Costa, Robert Kyle, Andy Egbe, Cheryl Carter. In Brazil: Louise Lucena,

#### Some of the Instructors from 10 years Previous Masterclasses

**Gege' Telesforo** - Singer, instrumentalist, composer, producer and also journalist of television and radio, representing a professional figure of a thousand facets, the best of the living jazz tradition in Italy.

Rebecca De Mornay - Actress and producer. Her breakthrough film role came in 1983, when she played Lana in "Risky Business". Her other notable film roles include Sara in "Runaway Train" (1985), Thelma in "The Trip to Bountiful" (1985), Helen Mc-Caffrey in Backdraft (1991) and as nanny Peyton Flanders in 1992's "The Hand That Rocks the Cradle".

**Lee Curreri** - Composer, music producer and keyboardist, became an international sensation as the star of acclaimed motion picture and television series "Fame."

**Delta Goodrem** - Australian pop-star, singer-songwriter and actress. now a Judge on the TV show THE VOICE AUSTRALIA.

**Dan Riordan** - Acting coach, actor in television and feature films, voice over for commercials, animation

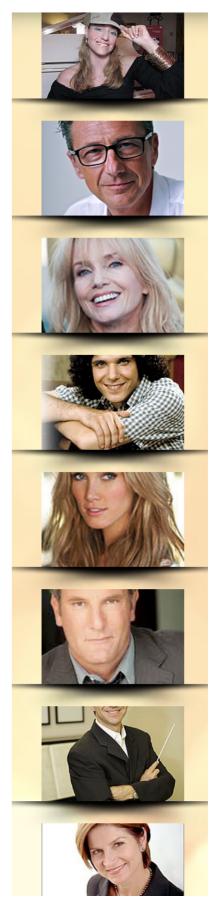
**Emmanuel Fratianni and Laurie Robinson** - Music composers, Song writers, and orchestra conductors for video games.

**Mike Lang** - pianist for Ray Charles, Natalie Cole, Ella Fitzgerald, Aretha Franklin, Marvin Gaye, Vince Gill, InSync, Milt Jackson, Lee Konitz, Diana Krall, John Lennon, Arturo Sandoval, Barbra Streisand and Frank Zappa.

**Half Clausen** - Orchestra conductor and composer of "The Simpson" cartoon sound track among many others.

**Dario Forzato** - Award-winning composer, guitarist, producer for film, TV, commercials, video games, trailers, sport teams, artists and much more.

**Karl Vincent** - bassist for Alicia Keys, Sting, Stevie Wonder, Tony Bennett, Beyoncé, Mary J. Blige, Queen Latifah. Also in the sound-tracks of major productions such as "Lost", "Spiderman 3", "Ratatouille"



**Andrea Morricone** - Oscar award wining composer for "Nuovo Cinema Paradiso".

**Adam Taylor** - president of APM. APM produces and represents the world's greatest production music libraries. It is the largest, deepest, and broadest music collection in the industry.

**Claudio Dentes** - Italian music producer of internationally acclaimed bands and singers

Carlo Siliotto - Golden Globe winning movie music composer.

**Cheryl Cecchetto** - With her outstanding team at Sequoia Productions, Cheryl produces, manages and directs some of the most prestigious and buzzed about one-of-a-kind events — including the Emmy® Awards Governors Ball (16 years), the Academy Awards® Governors Ball (25 years), G'DAY USA Australia Week, (10 years) and the Tournament of Roses Opening Ceremony, to name a few.

Roberto Montero - chitarrista, compositore, cantante Roberto si e' esibito in tutto il mondo con il Vincitore di molti Grammy Award Sergio Mendes e con Tiziano Ferro il cantante nominato 4 volte ai Grammy European MTV Award's come miglior artista italiano.

Julia Cunningham - l'arpista delle star, da Pavarotti a Oprah Winfrey. Ha suonato l'arpa nei piu' grandi festival del mondo inclusa una tappa al vaticano. La sua passione per lo studio l'ha portata ad esplorare il mondo dello yoga e si e' certificata insegnante Bikram al Santa Barbara Evolation Center. Ha sperimentato delle classi che uniscono la respirazione ed i movimenti yoga



#### STEPS FOR APPLICATION

- ♦ Please fill out the following MODULO VVA application and please read carefully and sign before forwarding to: infocrox@gmail.com
- ♦ Be sure to choose between packages of the Masterclass or the Masterclass with Accommodations.
- ♦ Payment can be made by Paypal using the email infocrox@gmail.com or a direct bank wire using the information provided below.

#### **PACKAGES:**

Participants can choose from 2 options

Master Class with Accommodations (accommodation will be in hostel. We will also suggested <a href="https://www.airbnb.com">www.airbnb.com</a> solution based on better location for the Campus) includes:

- All above mentioned classes
- Master Class Certificate Celebration
- Hostel in dorms, double or triplet room

Please note: airfare and all other transportation is not included.

Dwellings are all located in the Venice Beach/Santa Monica area\*Participants under the age of 18, which will book the Master Class with accommodations are required to be attended by a parent or Legal guardian. We can also accommodate, upon request a family.

#### **Summer Master Class without accommodations:**

includes:

- All above mentioned classes
- Master Class Certificate Celebration



For more information please visit www.venicevoiceacademy.com

## **COSTS**

# APRIL 6th-12th, 2020

#### **CLASSES**

- ♦ applied on or before Jan 31st, 2020 € 480
- $\Diamond$  applied on or before Feb28th, 2020  $\in$  580
- $\Diamond$  applied last minute  $\in$  650

CLASSES + ACCOMMODATION
Please write us to check availability

# AUGUST 10th-17th, 2020

#### **CLASSES**

- ♦ applied on or before Jan 31st, 2020 € 580
- ♦ applied on or before Jun 1st, 2020 € 680
- ♦ applied last minute
  € 750

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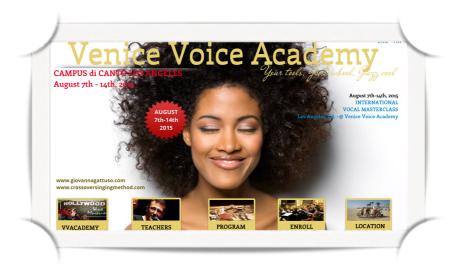
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Please note: application Fee is included in enrollment cost and non refundable = <u>Euro 180.00</u>

| TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
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| <ul> <li>You will be notified via email after your application and payment has been processed. Please make sure your email addresses on page 1 of this application is correct and legible.</li> <li>All balances are due in full and please provide verification of payment in email form.</li> <li>For your convenience, we accept paypal payments</li> </ul> |
| Please use the address infocrox@gmail.com                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| By signing this application, I agree to abide by the rules of the Venice Voice Academy and supply neces sary forms as requested. I understand that no deductions or refunds will be made for late arrival, early departure, and or expulsion for disciplinary reasons.                                                                                         |
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| Parent / Guardian Signature Date                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| Applicant's Signature Date                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

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Parent / Guardian Signature Date



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