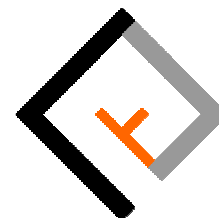


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THE ARTIST

Justin Varis (b.Cincinnati, OH 1979) is an American musician/composer living in Los Angeles. Drawing on the rich history of musique concrète while most recently exploring minimal single instrument composition, his music is one of contrast and contradiction. Abstract tendencies conjoin with basic intimate melodies. Disruptive sequencing is utilized alongside loops and repeating patterns. Meticulous audio editing creates calculated timing while improvised passages lend expressive mistakes. Ultimately working towards merging his audio with like-minded video and film artists, he is determined to create a body of work that explores the non-linear narrative while achieving accessibility to the greatest number of listeners.

The work of Justin Varis has featured on a number of compilations and his solo work (aka Claudia) was released on Frozen Elephants Music & Audiobulb Records. In addition to continuously developing/performing live sets, he is at present working on a number of collaborative projects set for release in the near future.

MOUNTAINS

"A collection of piano compositions highlighting not only evolving melody but the environment in which the instrument was recorded."

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