



THORWALD JØRGENSEN

Thorwald Jørgensen is a leading Dutch classical thereminist. He started his musical career as a classical percussionist, but took up the theremin as a logical progression—this instrument also requires a skilled coordination of the left and right hand. He studied with Werner Otten, Hans Zonderop, Johan Faber and Peter de Vries, and graduated with a master's in music as a student of Arnold Marinissen. Mr. Jørgensen has played to great reviews as a chamber musician, soloist and orchestral thereminist in Europe and North America. He plays regular duos with both pianist Thijn Vermeulen and harpist Renske de Leuw and is a member of the Electrio, a unique ensemble consisting of theremin, theremin-cello and piano. He has collected an extensive library of original music for the theremin, and several composers have written pieces for him. This rich and varied repertoire serves to demonstrate that the theremin can offer so much more than dramatic or scary effects in horror movies.