

Sylvie Courvoisier

Swiss Born Composer/improviser Sylvie Courvoisier is one of the most creative and imaginative pianists in new music.

She has performed and toured internationally at numerous festivals and concert series, and has worked with John Zorn, Tony Oxley, Yusef Lateef, Joëlle Léandre, Ikue Mori, Tim Berne, Joey Baron, Herb Robertson, Fred Frith among others.

Since 1997, she performs regularly in solo and in Duo with violinist Mark Feldman.

She is a member of Mephista ; co-leads the Courvoisier/ Feldman Quartet and is the leader her own quintet "Lonelyville" .Since 2010, she has been working with the new project of the flamenco dancer Israel Galvan "la Curva" .

Her latest releases as a leader are:

ABATON with Mark Feldman and Erik Friedlander - ECM Records (2004),
LONELYVILLE with her quintet - Intakt Records (2007)
SIGNS AND EPIGRAMS (solo piano) - Tzadik Records (2007)
TO FLY TO STEAL - Intakt Records (2010) Courvoisier- Feldman Quartet
"OBLIVIA" Tzadik Records (2010) a Duo Recording with Feldman
HOTEL DU NORD-Intakt Records (2011) Courvoisier- Feldman Quartet

| Awards include Switzerland's
1996 Prix des jeunes créateurs
Zonta Club's 2000 Prix de la Création
2010 le grand prix du canton de Vaud