

Autobiography

Baló István (1954)

Studies:

Béla Bartók High School Jazz Department / vocational training (the highest qualification in 1978)
Kodolányi János Főiskola / college

Current musical activities:

Dresch Quartet
Borbély Műhely
Nigun
Lukács Miklós „Cimbiózis”
Baló István Projekt (established in 2015, a CD recording is going to be made in July)

Several CDs were recorded with the mentioned bands of which some received „The best hungarian jazz recording of the year ” award over the past years.

In 2016 each band published a CD recording moreover, Dresch Quartet also recorded one with the american Chris Potter (tenor sax).

Teaching:

I am a teacher at Kodolányi János University and at an elementary music school supported by the foundation „Dallam”.

Over the past years (30 years of teaching), based on my own experiences I have created a drumming method for teaching which is renewable, opened for changes and creativity, improvisation skills play a big part in it.

Masterclass : „ A madár röpte” 2012 („As a bird flies”)

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/dob.ibalo>

<https://www.facebook.com/baloprojekt/>

Videos:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=coN-ApJ-yCU&t=34s>

Baló István szóló koncert 2017

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zvsiwxkr3FU>

Baló István Mesterkurzus a Liszt Ferenc Zeneakadémián 2015

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YmBt9X2w-vw>

Dresch Q Gödör klub

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tgZ7fUoHZGo&t=481s>

Szegedi Jazz Napok 2015

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tgZ7fUoHZGo&t=481s>

Nigun zenekar lemez bemutató 2016

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tgZ7fUoHZGo&t=481s>

Nigun band at the Bansko Jazz Festival 2014

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yjjhRKDkwe0>

BJC jazz klub 2014

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bYS1QncE8oo>

„Cimbiózis” trió OPUS jazzklub 2016

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=plfFmQvDE8>

Borbély Műhely Villók tánca 2010