

# **MARIO VAIRA**

composer for film and television

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#### **QUICK HIGHLIGHTS:**

CEDAR COVE (Hallmark series), MARRIED BY MISTAKE (E! Entertainment Television), HELLO GOODBYE (CBC Series), HOW I GOT HERE (CBC series), AURORA TEAGARDEN MYSTERIES: (Hallmark Movies & Mysteries), THE OLAND MURDER (Entertainment One)

### **AWARDS/NOMINATIONS**

Leo Award nomination	2021	Best Musical Score in a Short Drama (Murphy's Law)
Juno Award nomination	2015	Children's Album of the Year (Bobs & Lolo)
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Western Canadian Music Award nomination	2011	Children's Recording of the Year (Will Stroet)
Kids Music Awardwin	2011	Best Album (Walk & Roll)
Western Canadian Music Award nomination	2010	Children's Recording of the Year (Dans mon jardin)
Juno Award nomination	2010	Children's Album of the Year (Bobs & Lolo)
Western Canadian Music Awards win	2009	Children's Recording of the Year (Bobs & Lolo)
Parent's Choice Awards gold honors award	2009	(Action Packed)
Canadian Indie Award nomination	2009	Favorite Children's Artist
Children's Web Award win	2008	Best DVD for Preschoolers (On Your Feet)
Parent's Choice Awards gold honors award	2008	(On Your Feet)
Parent's Choice Awards silver honors award	2007	Parent's Choice Awards (Musical Adventures)
Western Canadian Music Awards win	2007	Children's Recording of the Year

#### **FEATURE FILMS & TV MOVIES**

TIPLINE MYSTERIES: DIAL 1 FOR MURDER Timeless Pictures, Hallmark Mystery	2024	B.C. Silverman, M. Goldstein, prod. Cynde Harmon, Jessica Harmon, dir.
A CHRISTMAS LESS TRAVELLED  Candyrock Entertainment, Great American Family	2024	C. Bure, E. Jarboe, J. Brooks, prod. Heather Hawthorne Doyle, dir.
THE CASES OF MYSTERY LANE: DEATH IS LISTENING Two 4 The Money Media, Hallmark Movies & Mysteries	2023	K. Arnott, K. Gajdosik, M. Spencer-Phillips, prod., Mike Rohl, dir.

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MS. MATCH Timeless Pictures, E! News, W Network	2023	G. LaPlante, B.C. Silverman, A. Coscas, J. Goetz, prod., Lucie Guest, dir.
BRINGING CHRISTMAS HOME GAC, Super Channel	2023	S. Belzberg, A. Boisvert, A. Epp, P. Greene, A. Krell, B. Krevoy, L. Nardini, J. Parker, M. Rohl, J. Wagner, prod., Mike Rohl, dir.
MARRIED BY MISTAKE All Canadian Ent., Brad Krevoy Television, MPCA	2023	B. Krevoy, A. Phillips, S. Belzberg, M. MacKay, B. Goodman, M. Rohl, prod., Mike Rohl, dir.
GIRL IN ROOM 13 Johnson Production Group, Lifetime Television	2022	T. Johnson, O. De Caigny, N. Soofi, S. Mandelberg, prod., Elisabeth Röhm, dir.
A SPLASH OF LOVE Hallmark, Johnson Production Group	2022	O. De Caigny, T.O. Johnson, N. Soofi, prod. Heather Hawthorn Doyle, dir.
ROMANCE TO THE RESCUE Hallmark, Johnson Production Group	2022	T.O. Johnson, G. O'Kane, prod. Heather Hawthorn Doyle, dir.
GREED: A SEVEN DEADLY SINS STORY Lifetime, RobinHood Prods., TDJ Enterprises	2022	T.D. Jakes, S. Robinson, D. Williams, prod. Troy Scott, dir.
THE NINE KITTENS OF CHRISTMAS The Hallmark Channel, Bauman Entertainment	2021	T. Bauman, T. Berry, J. Head, S. Battro, D. Knight, prod., David Winning, dir.
LOVE ON THE WINGS OF EAGLES  Johnson Production Group, The Hallmark Channel	2021	Darren Robson, Navid Soofi, prod. Lucie Guest, dir.
AURORA TEAGARDEN MYSTERY: HONEYMOON, HONEY MURDERER Hallmark Movies & Mysteries	2021	Jim Head, John MacCarthy, prod. Martin Wood, dir.
AURORA TEAGARDEN MYSTERY: TILL DEATH DO US PART Hallmark Movies & Mysteries	2021	Jim Head, John MacCarthy, prod. Martin Wood, dir.
AURORA TEAGARDEN MYSTERY: COLD FEET AND A COLD CASE Hallmark Movies & Mysteries	2021	Jim Head, John MacCarthy, prod. Martin Wood, dir.
WEDDING CAKE DREAMS BRB Pictures, Principle Productions	2021	G. Boyd, J. Bailey, J. Baynham, K. McNeeley, C. Ransen, V. Shapiro, prod., B. Nevin, dir.
AURORA TEAGARDEN MYSTERY: HOW TO CON A CON Hallmark Movies & Mysteries	2021	Jim Head, John MacCarthy, prod. Tony Dean Smith, dir.
<b>BEVERLY HILLS WEDDING</b> Front Street Pictures, Hallmark Channel	2021	C. Cooper, R.M. Murphy, M. Shepard A. Lewis, S. Stabler, prod., Paul Ziller, dir.
LONESTAR CHRISTMAS BRB Pictures, Principle Prods., Lifetime Television	2020	S. Astaneh, J. Bailey, J. Baynham, C. Ransen, K. McNeeley, V. Shapiro, prod., L. Guest, dir.
AURORA TEAGARDEN MYSTERY: REUNITED AND IT FEELS SO DEADLY Hallmark Movies & Mysteries	2020	J. Goehring, J. MacCarthy, S. Williamson, J. Head, C.C. Bure, prod., Martin Wood, dir.
IT'S BEGINNING TO LOOK A LOT LIKE CHRISTMAS The Hallmark Channel	2019	Jim Head, Eric Mabius, J. MacCarthy, prod. David Weaver dir.
SENSE, SENSIBILITY & SNOWMEN Sedona Films, The Hallmark Channel	2019	Greg Malcolm, Vicki Sotheran, prod. David Winning, dir.

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A CHRISTMAS MIRACLE Hallmark Movies & Mysteries, W. Network	2019	H. Kahn, A. Lewis, D. Jackson, S. Germain, B. Versteeg, prod., Tibor Takacs, dir.
WEDDING MARCH 5: MY BOYFRIEND'S BACK Brightlight Pictures, The Hallmark Channel	2019	Marybeth Sprows, Jimmy Townsend, prod. Mike Rohl, dir.
JINGLE AROUND THE CLOCK Brightlight Pictures, The Hallmark Channel	2018	J. Goering, J. McCarthy, K. McNeeley, Shawn Williamson, prod., Paul Ziller, dir.
FROZEN IN LOVE (w/Jeff Tymoschuk) Muse Entertainment, The Hallmark Channel	2018	Jim Head, Trevor McWhinney, prod. Scott Smith, dir.
MR. MIRACLE Unity Pictures Group, The Hallmark Channel	2014	Connie Dolphin, Ron French, Stephen Harmaty, prod., Carl Bessai, dir.
WHAT COULD HAVE BEEN Centurion Pictures	2011	Dorothy Szymanska, Alex Galanis, prod. Shea Wageman, dir.

#### **TELEVISION SERIES**

MIA & CODIE (series) Epic Story Media, Relish	2024-2025	Kramer Hoehn, Allan Joli-Coeur, prod. Ali Lynette-Krech, Don Moody, dir.
HOW I GOT HERE (Season 1) Legacy One Prods, Forté Entertainment	2022	A. Gabourie, M. Gabourie, S. Watts, prod. Mitch Gabourie, dir.
<b>OUR WAR</b> Lark Productions	2022	E. Haskett, A. Vogel, R. Nanda, T. Antonucci, J. Parsons, prod., Z. Williams, M. Bourquin, dir.
NARCOLEAP (6 episodes) KGP Films	2020	K. Green, E. Keller, D. Schmidt, R. Vivian, J. Cooksey, prod., Kate Green, dir.
<b>THE OLAND MURDER</b> (documentary mini-series) Entertainment One	2020	L. Case, T. Hodgson, S.L. King, C. Gold, prod. Deb Wainwright, dir.
HELLO GOODBYE (Seasons 1-3) Pivotal Media, CBC	2015-2017	A. Gabourie, M. Gabourie, S. Watts, prod. Mitch Gabourie, dir.
<b>ACTION PACKED WITH BOBS &amp; LOLO</b> (Seasons 1-2) Turtlebox Productions, Bobolo Productions, Telus	2016-2017	M. Vaira, Robyn Hardy, Lorraine Pond, prod.
CEDAR COVE (Seasons 1-3) Unity Pictures Group, The Hallmark Channel	2013-2015	S. Harmaty, C. Dolphin, Ron French, prod. Various, dir.
<b>THE AUDIENCE</b> (North American Version) Force Four Entertainment, W Network	2014	D. Wainwright, Dana Johl, Various, prod. Tara Shortt, Various, dir.
<b>LEAPFROG: LETTER FACTORY ADVENTURES</b> (Seasons 1-4) Bardel Entertainment, Leapfrog, Lionsgate Releasing	2014-2016	Delna Bhesania, prod. Craig George, dir.
SING, DANCE AND PLAY WITH BOBS & LOLO Playground Media, Treehouse TV	2013	M. Vaira, Robyn Hardy, Lorraine Pond, prod. Robert Turner, dir.
ROSIE THE BARBER (360 Comedy Pilot) headspace Entertainment	2012	Connie Dolphin, Kirk James, prod.

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BUY-O-LOGY (Main Title Theme) World Wide Bag Media / Oprah Winfrey Network	2012	Heather Hawthorn-Doyle, Linda Hay, prod.
URBAN SUBURBAN 2 (episodic music) Force Four Entertainment	2012	Deb Wainwright, Dana Johl, prod.
URBAN SUBURBAN (Main Title Theme) Force Four Entertainment	2011	Deb Wainwright, Dana Johl, prod.
WORD TRAVELS (Documentary Series) Omni Film / National Geographic Adventure / OLN	2009-2010	Michael Chechik, Brian Hamilton, Heather Hawthorn-Doyle, Deb Wainwright, prod.
DOCUMENTARIES		
<b>TOXIC</b> Diamondhead Films, Mt. Pleasant Films	2022	J. Baynham, C. Canaan, R. Colbourne, K. Rigney, prod., Robert Colbourne, dir.
VIDEO GAME TRAILERS		
ALIENS: COLONIAL MARINES (Trailer) Waterproof Studios	2013	Shea Wageman, prod.
COMPANY OF HEROES 2 (Trailer) Waterproof Studios	2013	Shea Wageman, prod.
DARKSIDERS 2 (Trailer) Waterproof Studios	2013	Shea Wageman, prod.
GODFATHER (Trailer) Waterproof Studios	2013	Shea Wageman, prod.
METRO LAST NIGHT (Trailer) Waterproof Studios	2013	Shea Wageman, prod.
MUSICAL THEATRE		
POST SECRET: THE SHOW Blumenthal Performing Arts North American Tour	2014-2017	Frank Warren, Justin Sudds, Kahlil Ashanti, TJ Dawe, creators.
SHORT FILMS		
ARE HER DIGITS WORTH IT? Diversey Films	2021	G. Tsakiridis, R. Woodbury, prod. George Tsakiridis, dir.
SONGBIRD InAVision Productions	2020	Sarah Surh, prod. Heather Hawthorn Doyle, dir.
MURPHY'S LAW KGP Films	2020	Kate Green, Kerrington Harper, prod. Kate Green, dir.

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MELTING STARS KGP Films	2017	Kate Green, prod. Kate Green, dir.
NOT A STRANGER KGP Films	2015	Kate Green, Patricia Beckerman, prod. Kate Green, dir.
<b>LEAVE US ALONE</b> Wandering Worx Films	2013	H. Baptiste, R. Davidson, R. Geoffery, R. Pointner, prod., Nicholas Treeshin, dir.
KODIAK: THE MOVIE Ninelight Pictures	2007	Darlene Choo, Sheri Mayervich, prod. Andrew MacLeod, dir.
BOAR ATTACK	2006	Jay White, prod. Jay White, dir.

#### **BIOGRAPHY**

Juno nominated composer, songwriter, producer and multi-instrumentalist, Mario Vaira has had his music featured in big theatres and small living rooms in over 40 countries worldwide. Mario is constantly striving to bring honestly and truth to his compositions, and his scores have been featured in many film and television productions including CBC's series *Hello Goodbye*, the Hallmark series *Cedar Cove* and multiple TV movies for *Lifetime Television* and *The Hallmark Channel*.

A special focus for Mario's career has been music for children, as early mentorship in music had a profound effect on him at a young age. As sole producer and co-writer for the acclaimed musical duo **Bobs & LoLo**, he's been credited with three Juno nominations. He's received Western Canadian Music Awards and Parent's Choice Gold Medals and has been a featured performer at the Vancouver International Children's Festival, the PNE, The Calgary Stampede, Juno Award Week, and The Pemberton Festival. He's shared the stage with Charlotte Diamond, Fred Penner, The Kerplunks, and Norman Foote.