



Portuguese tuba player and Yamaha International Artist, **Sérgio Carolino** is one of the most acclaimed tuba players in the international scene, with a constant activity as a soloist and teacher in several music festivals, conservatories and universities all over the world (from Europe to Australia, passed through Asia and North and South America).

Since 2002 he has been involved in new and innovative music projects: the **TGB** trio with Mário Delgado and Alexandre Frazão, **2tUBAS&friends** with Anne Jelle Visser (tuba), **XL Duo & Trio** with Telmo Marques (piano) & Jeffery Davis (vibraphone), director of *The Portuguese Tuba Ensemble* **How Low Can You Go?**, **European Tuba Trio** with François Thuillier (tuba) and Anthony Caillet (euphonium), **The Postcard Brass Band**, **Tu β'Horn trio** with José Bernardo Silva (horn) and Telmo Marques (piano), the ensemble **TUBAX DUO** with Mário Marques (soprano saxophone), the **COLOR WHEEL ENSEMBLE** with Mário Marques, Telmo Marques & a String Quartet, **Mr SC & The Wild Bones Gang**, the **TUBAB Duo** with drummer Jorge Queijo, **Surrealistic Discussion** with accordionist João Barradas, his ensemble **Hanging' from the Strings** (tuba & string quintet), the **Funky Bones Factory!** with Paulo Perfeito, Ruben da Luz, Daniel Dias and Rui Bandeira (trombones), Acácio Salero (drums) & Miguel Moreira (guitar), **Conical Brass** with Jeff Nelsen (horn), **TUBA&DRUMS DOUBLE DUO** with Oren Marshall (tuba) and Alexandre Frazão and Mário Costa (drums). More recently Sérgio formed the duo **Moderato Tangabile** with Argentinian pianist/composer **Daniel Schvetz**, **SubWoof3r trio** with Gil Gonçalves (tuba) & Miguel Moreira (drums), the **DUO AR.** with international acclaimed jazz singer **MARIA JOÃO**, member of the **CROSSFADE Ensemble** leading by Daniel Bernardes (piano) with Jeffery Davis (vibraphone), João Barradas (accordion), Ricardo Toscano & Mário Marques (saxophones), Hugo Assunção (trombone), the **TransAtlantic Tuba Connection** with Mike Forbes (tuba) and Pedro Silva (drums), **YAMAHA TUBA DUO** with Shimpei Tsugita (tuba) and a the project **"T'NT" Tuba 'N Tuba** with **GENE POKORNY** (principal tuba of The Chicago Symphony Orchestra).

Sérgio is, since 2002, principal tuba with the **Orquestra Sinfónica do Porto Casa da Música** and professor of tuba, artistic director and founder of the **Portuguese Youth Brass Ensemble MASSIVE BRASS ATTACK!** at the **Porto Superior School of Music and Arts (ESMAE)**. Since 2010 he is also artist director of **GRAVÍSSIMO!** - Alcobaça International Summer Low Brass Academy & Festival.

Sérgio received for Four times the **Roger Bobo Award Prize for Excellence in Recording** for his CDs: *Steel aLive!* (2008, Afinaudio Records), his debut solo album; *Agreements & Disagreements* (2010, TwoTubas Records), with the project 2tUBAS&friends with Anne Jelle Visser and *Pop&Roll* (2012, Loft Records), with his group The Postcard Brass Band and recently for his first double album with the project *Sérgio Carolino presents Mr. SC & The Wild Bones Gang* (2014, Afinaudio Records). In Portugal he has received the **Award for the 2004 Emerging Jazz Artist** by jazz critic José Duarte, and the **Carlos Paredes Prize** for the first disc with his jazz trio *TGB - TubaGuitarra&Bateria* (Clean Feed Label).

In February of 2013, Sérgio won the **SPA Award 2013 - Classical Music Category** (Portuguese Author's Society) for the works published in 2012 and for promoting Portuguese music through the World. The award ceremony was broadcasted on RTP1 (Portuguese TV Chanel).

Mr Carolino was soloist with the Orquestra Sinfónica do Porto Casa da Música, making the World Premiere of Portuguese composers **António Victorino D'Almeida** "*Concerto for Tuba and Orchestra, Op. 144*" (specially dedicated to him) and **Paulo Perfeito's** "*Concerto for Tuba and Orchestra - Impermanentia*" (also dedicated to him), this last one, conducted by Christian Lindberg. Sérgio has been guest soloist at the Melbourne International Festival of Brass 2006 premiering **Paulo Perfeito's** "*Hanging' from the Strings - Fantasy for Tuba, Strings and Harp*" with the Melbourne University Chamber and then later in 2007 with the Algarve Orchestra. Sérgio premiered "*SoNotas - Concertino for Tuba & String Orchestra*" by composer **Francisco Loreto** at the Guimarães 2012 - European Capital of Culture, soloing with the Fundação Orquestra Estúdio and more recently **Jorge Salgueiro's** "*cONCERTO fOR tUBA, Op. 139*" with the Santa Fé Municipal Symphony Orchestra (Argentina) at the international festival TrombOnanza.

As Guest soloist, Sérgio performs, records and premiere new works regularly with the Portuguese world class ensemble **Banda Sinfónica Portuguesa** (BSP) (Portuguese Symphonic Wind Band): **Jorge Salgueiro** "*cONCERTO fOR tUBA, Op. 139*", **Telmo Marques** "*Guide to the Glory*", **Luís Cardoso** "*Double Concertino for Tenor Saxophone, Tuba & Band*" (with Mário Marques), **Daniel Martinho** "*Constellations*" concerto for low orchestral brass solo & band, **Daniel Moreira** "*Flashback*", **Samuel Pascoal** "*Double Concertino for Euphonium, Tuba and Band*" (with Ricardo Antão), **Andrew Batterham** "*Concertino for Tuba and Band*" & **Frank Stecker** "*Les Trois Mousses de Terre*" for three jazz tubas and concert band (with the European Tuba Trio).

Sérgio enjoys going to the cinema, fishing crabs and octopus, spending time with his good friends and since three years, with his loyal friend **SPARKY** - the Basset Hound.

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