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Czech violinist and producer Vit Mužík (b. 1972) is one of the most multifaceted musicians working on the contemporary classical music scene. His abilities both as a performer on the concert stage and in the recording booth have led to appearances on more than 60 recordings in the Navona catalog, making him one of PARMA Recordings' most frequent collaborators.

Mužik studied under Prof. Ladislav Gořula at the Janacek Conservatory of Ostrava in his native Czech Republic, and his pursuit of advanced studies on the violin later brought him to Mannes College at The New School for Music in New York NY, the College Conservatory of Music at the University of Cincinnati OH, and the Mozarteum University in Salzburg, Austria under Sándor Végh. Since 2004, Mužik has served primarily as the Concertmaster for the world-renowned Moravian Philharmonic Orchestra, frequently serving also as a producer for recording sessions held at Reduta Hall in the ensemble's home base in the historic city of Olomouc.

As a performer, his talents both as a chamber musician and as a soloist on the violin have brought him to concert stages across Europe and North America. PARMA Recordings is proud to present this collection of recordings that feature Mužik's facility and versatility as a violinist in this digital collection.

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#### 1 Soliloquy Lionel Sainsbury

Vít Mužík, violin

Recorded July 10, 2011 at Reduta Hall in Olomouc, Czech Republic Session Producer Richard Mlynář Session Engineer Richard Mlynář

Soliloguy is available on **SLICES** (NV5874)

## String Quartet No. 2 Osias Wilenski

Vít Mužík, violin; Igor Kopyt, violin; Dominika Hanova, viola; Marian Pavlik, cello

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- 5 IV

Recorded September 14-15, 2009 in Olomouc, Czech Republic Session Producer Vít Mužík Session Engineer Richard Mlynář

String Quartet No. 2 is available on **TRIPTYCH** (NV5824)

## 6 Prelude & Fugue for string quintet Hans Bakker

Vít Mužík, violin; Igor Kopyt, violin; Dominika Hanova, viola; Marian Pavlik, cello

Recorded March 2010 at Reduta Hall in Olomouc, Czech Republic Session Producer Vít Mužík

Prelude & Fugue for string quintet is available on THE UNNAMED SOURCE (NV5832)



### **Encomiums** Scott Michal

Moravian Philharmonic Orchestra | Petr Vronský, conductor Vít Mužík, violin

- 7 I. Hindemith
- 8 II. Bach
- 9 III. Prokofiev

Recorded September 7–8, 2010 at Reduta Hall in Olomouc, Czech Republic Session Producer Richard Mlynář

Encomiums is available on **DIVERGENCE** (NV5858)

# 10 Variations on "Ongiara" Gregory Hall

Vít Mužík, violin; Michal Mares, violin; Pavel Hana, viola; Marian Pavlik, cello; Pavel Harnos, double bass

Recorded March 2009 at Reduta Hall in Olomouc, Czech Republic Session Producer Vít Mužík Session Engineer Richard Mlynář

Variations on "Ongiara" is available on **HARMONIOUS DISSONANCE** (NV5830)

#### Duo voor viool en klarinet Hans Bakker

Vít Mužík, violin; Aleš Janeček, clarinet

- 11 deel l
- 12 deel II
- 13 deel III

Recorded March 3, 2011 in at Reduta Hall in Olomouc, Czech Republic Session Producer Richard Mlynář

Duo voor viool en klarinet is available on **SLICES** (NV5874)



# String Quartet No. 1 Gregers Brinch

Vít Mužík, violin; Igor Kopyt, violin; Pavel Hana, viola; Marian Pavlik, cello

- 14 1st Movement
- 15 2nd Movement
- **16** 3rd Movement
- 17 4th Movement

Recorded June 11, 2009 at Reduta Hall in Olomouc, Czech Republic Session Producer & Engineer Vít Mužík

String Quartet No. 1 is available on **HARMONIOUS DISSONANCE** (NV5830)

#### Sonata for Solo Violin Osias Wilenski

Vít Mužík, violin

- 18 Praeludium
- 19 Salmodia
- 20 Alla Ludwig van

Recorded September 23, 2011 at Reduta Hall in Olomouc, Czech Republic Session Producer Richard Mlynář Session Engineer Zdeněk Slavotínek

Sonata for Solo Violin is available on LA LEYENDA DEL KAKUY (NV5882)



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