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STEFANO CARDÌ

Guitar, Music of XX and XXI Century, Ensemble

Stefano Cardì, born in Rome, completed his studies at the *Conservatorio di S. Cecilia* with Mario Gangi.

In 1985 he received first prize at the *Maria Canals* International Competition in Barcellona.

Stefano Cardì dedicates a part of his career to contemporary music, both performing as guitarist and conducting his ensemble *Freon*. He premiered music by Luis Bacalov, Mauro Cardì, Aldo Clementi, Azio Corghi, George Crumb, Luca Francesconi, Peter Maxwell Davies, Tristan Murail, Francesco Pennisi, Salvatore Sciarrino, and collaborated with artists such as José Saramago, Iannis Kounellis, Laura Morante, Susana Walton, Marisa Paredes, Maria de Medeiros, Sonia Bergamasco. Also he likes performing music of classic period on original instruments. He has recorded for Nordwestdeutscher Rundfunk, Radio France and re-recorded CDs for BMG, Stradivarius, Rai Trade and Brilliant. A cd dedicated to Paganini's music and recorded together with the violinist *Ruggero Ricci* was highly regarded by the critique.

He is Guitar Professor at the *Girolamo Frescobaldi* Conservatory in Ferrara.