

Mimmo Campanale – drums

- ✓ I matured several experiences in the land of Jazz and Pop music as a self-taught. The main interest and musical research is Jazz, since 1984.
- ✓ In 1985 I took part in the **Jazzerie's** group, with **Maurizio Quintavalle**, **Nico Stufano** feat. **Roberto Ottaviano** at the sax soprano, recording two discs for the Splas'(h) records.
- ✓ Since 1986 I took part in the **Mario Rosini Trio** with **Paolo Romano** at the electric bass guitar.
- ✓ In the 1987 I formed a trio with the double bass player **Maurizio Quintavalle** and the pianist, mourning friend, **Davide Santorsola**, recording five discs.
- ✓ Since 1988 I collaborated with the Pop group “ **Novecento**”, taking part in several tours in Italy and in the production with world famous guests, like: **Billy Preston**, **Stanley Jordan**, **Eumir Deodato**, **Al Jarreau**.
- ✓ Since 2000 I took part in the **Con Alma** trio with **Guido Di Leone** - guitar and **Vito Di Modugno** – Hammond organ recording two discs.
- ✓ In the 2007 I formed the **LmG Quartet** together with **Mario Rosini** and the front-leader of the soul/funk group **Dirotta su Cuba**, **Simona Bencini**, also with the sax alto **Gaetano Partipilo** and the double bass player **Luca Alemanno**.
- ✓ Subsequently, as the leader, I carried out two record works “...of course!” and “**Acustronica**”, the last one arrived first on the Jazz section of the Itunes Italy.
- ✓ I collaborated with Pop artists, like: *Novecento, Ron, Billy Preston, Gregg Brown, Marco Armani, Michele Marmo, Tosca, Mario Rosini, Dirotta su Cuba, Rossana Casale, Lucio Dalla and l'Orchestra della Magna Grecia directed by M°Beppe D'Onghia*, Metropolitan Symphony Orchestra of Bari, Symphony Orchestra of the Arturo Toscanini's foundation.
- ✓ I created the “**DrumStory**”.
A hundred years of drums into one long solo, in which there is a careful chronological sequence of slides of some drums players that have marked the evolution of this instrument, starting with the "*marching band*" of the first years of the last century till the drums players of today life.

Mimmo Campanale plays and underlines the style and the solos that made famous some like: *Gene Krupa, Buddy Rich, Max Roach Elvin Jones* etc...

- ✓ I took part in several Jazz festivals, like:
 - **1996** ImperoTrani Theatre with **PHIL WOODS**
 - **1998** Jazz Festival Andria with **LEE KONITZ**
 - **2000** Jazz Festival Andria with **JOHN HICKS**
 - **2002** Jazz Festival Andria with **BOBBY WATSON**

- **2003** Pulsano Jazz with **DAVE LIEBMAN Q.Tet**
- **2003** Festival della chitarra Spagna with **STANLEY JORDAN & Novecento Groove Machine**
- **2003** Philips International Jazz Festival Dubai with **STANLEY JORDAN & Novecento Groove Machine**
- **2003** Oporto Jazz Portogallo with **STANLEY JORDAN & Novecento Groove Machine**
- **2004** Jazz Festival Andria with **BENNY GOLSON**
- **2006** Multiculturita Jazz Festival Capurso **M. Campanale Qtet** "...of course!"
- **2008** Jazz Festival New York with **CON PEGGY STERN**
- **2009** Jazz Festival Molfetta with **CON LA J.S.O E EDDIE DANIELS**
- **2010** with the **J.S.O** e **RANDY BRECKER** Sheraton Bari
- **2011** with the **J.S.O** e **BOB MINTZER** Sheraton Bari
- **2012** Jazz Festival Molfetta con **VINCE MENDOZA**
- **2013** Jazz Festival Molfetta con **JOE LOVANO**
- **2014** Jazz a Molfetta con **CHRIS POTTER**
- **2014** Multiculturita Jazz Festival Capurso **Acustronica Group**
- **2015** with **Cettina Donato** Trio, Casa del Jazz, Roma
- **2016** with **L'Orchestra Sinfonica della Citta' Metropolitana di Bari**. Tour made by two concerts for the Symphony Orchestra and jazz quartet. Soloist: **Fabrizio Bosso**, trumpet.
- **2015** FESTIVAL DELLA CANZONE ITALIANA SANREMO with **Serena Brancale**
- **2015** Andria in Jazz with **Con Alma Trio** meets **Jerry Bergonzi**
- **2016** Casa della Musica – MOSCA with **STANLEY JORDAN TRIO**
- **2016** Sunset club PARIGI with **NICO MORELLI TRIO**
- **2016** Matino Jazz with the **FJO** and **DEE DEE BRIDGEWATER**
- **2016** Foggia jazz with the **F.J.O** and **DEE DEE BRIDGEWATER**
- **2016** Locomotive Jazz Festival with **SIMONA BENCINI & LMG QUARTET**
- **2016** Peperoncino Jazz Festival Roseto Capo Spulico with **AKIKO QUARTET**

- ✓ I collaborated with several Italian and foreigner musicians, like: Maurizio Giammarco, Roberto Ottaviano, Umberto Fiorentino, Tiziana Ghiglioni, Gianni Coscia, Gianni Basso, Bruno Marini, , Peggy Stern, Dario Deidda, Fabrizio Bosso, Umberto Fiorentino, Luca Alemanno, Carolina Bubbico, Gegè Telesforo, Rosario Jermano, Maurizio Caldura, Salvatore Bonafede, Franco Ambrosetti, Attilio Zanchi, Marco Sannini, Mario Rosini, Furio Di Castri, Bruno De Filippi, Rossana Casale, Vince Mendoza, Whynton Marsalis, Eumir Deodato, Al Jarreau, Simona Bencini, Emanuele Cisi, Mike Stern, Maria Pia De Vito, Vince Mendoza, Bobby Watson, Danilo Rea, Paolino Dalla Porta, Franco Cerri, Paolo Fresu, Bob Mintzer Dado Moroni, Benny Golson, Dado Moroni, Omar, Jerry Bergonzi, Phil Woods, Lee Konitz, Stanley Jordan, John Hicks, Jeff Berlin, Eddie Daniels, Stanley Jordan, Randy Brecker, Joe Lovano, Dave Liebman, Chris Potter, Jassie Davis Dee Dee Bridgewater. Suona stabilmente con il Mimmo Campanale Quartet, Nico Stufano trio, Jazzerie, Nico Morelli trio, Mario Rosini group, Jazz Studio Orchestra Simona Bencini & LMG quartet, Con Alma trio , Cettina Donato trio.

TOUR

- 1988 -1993 with the **Novecento**
- 1994 with the **Davide Santorsola** trio w/ **Phil Woods**
- 1996 with the **Davide Santorsola** trio w/Lee Konitz
- 1994 -1996 with **Marco Armani**
- 1997 – 1998 with **Toti e Tata** in “Oesais”
- 2003 – 2004 with **Stanley Jordan**
- 2005 with the **Orchestra Metropolitana della Provincia** di Bari
- 2006 with the **Sinfonica Arturo Toscanini** of Parma opera in 3 movements of **J. Lord**
- 2007 with **Eddie Daniels** and the **Jazz Studio Orchestra**
- 2004 – 2010 with **Mario Rosini**
- 2008 – Theatrical Tour with **Giancarlo Giannini** in “ Tornare a sud”
- 2012 with **Vince Mendoza** and the **Jazz Studio Orchestra**
- 2015 **Galleggiare Tour Serena Brancale**
- 2015 (December) Theatre Petruzzelli of Bari with **L’Italian Big Band** directed by **M° Marco Renzi**
- 2015 I took part in the Festival di Sanremo as drums player accompanying the singer **Serena Brancale**
- 2016 – (April) Casa della Musica di Mosca with the **Stanley Jordan trio**
- 2016 – (May) at the Sunset in Paris with the **Nico Merelli trio**
- 2016 - (June) with **Dee Dee Bridgewater** eand the **Jazz Forma Big Band**

Teaching activity

- Since **1994** I am a teacher of drums at the school "Il Pentagramma" in Bari.
- **2002** I did a seminar for the study about the techniques of Jazz drums in Campobasso.
- **2004 - 2005** I co-ordinated a musical training course at the Scuola Media Statale "Cafaro" di Andria (BA).
- **2010** I did lessons for the P.O.N. project as an expert on the matter at the scuola secondaria di 1° grado Don Luigi Sturzo di Grottaglie (TA).
- **2011 – 2012** I carried out the project of “DrumStory” in these cities: Bari, Biella, Napoli, Roma, Taranto, Brindisi.
- **2013** As rapporteur, I participated to the meeting of “I suoni dell’anima” for ASBAT.

DISCOGRAFIA JAZZ

1988 - JAZZERIE "Another Day" Splasc(h) Records

1990 - JAZZERIE "Future Memories" Splasc(h) Records

1991 - NICO STUFANO "Trace of Jazz" Gala Records

1994 – DAVIDE SANTORSOLA Trio "Tambor Sagrado" Le Parc Records

1994 - MAURIZIO QUINTAVALLE "Out of Perspective" ExtraJazz

1996 - DAVIDE SANTORSOLA & PHIL WOODS "Be Tune" Philology

1997 - STREET JAZZ UNIT "Groove Espresso" EMI

1997 - STREET JAZZ UNIT "Seein' the Light" Schema

1998 - DAVIDE SANTORSOLA trio & LEE KONITZ "To Bill Evans" Philology

1998 - ABRASILEIRADO "Terra do sol" Cristiani

1999 - QUARTETTO MODERNO "Ecco" Schema Records

1999 - PAOLA ARNESANO "Words on piano" Cristiani

2000 - CON ALMA "Con Alma" YVP

2002 - NICO STUFANO "Waiting for..." Just Jazz (distr. Sony Music)

2002 - JAZZ COLLECTION (J. Berlin - E:Gomez - T. Thielemans - B. Cobham - N.Stufano - M. Quintavalle) Just Jazz distr. Sony Music Germany

2003 - STANLEY JORDAN "Dreams of Peace" Just Groove distrib. Edel - Sony Germany

2004 - DAVIDE SANTORSOLA "Rhythm Changes" Just Jazz

2004 - JAZZ CLUB TRIO (Quintavalle, Campanale, Santorsola) J.Jazz

2004 – GIUSEPPE BASSI "My love and I" Philology

2004 – STANLEY JORDAN + NOVECENTO "Dreams of peace" Favored Nations records (USA version)

2005 - KEKKO FORNARELLI & Marco Tamburrini"Circular Thought" Wide Sound

2005 – MIMMO CAMPANALE "...of course!" J.Jazz

2006 - NICOLA ANDRIOLI Trio "Alba" Dodicilune

2006 - ANDREA SABATINO quintet "Pure soul" Dodicilune

2007 – ANTONIO TOSQUES quartet "Synopsis" Dodicilune

2008 - PEGGY STERN 4tet "Blood & Treasure" Estrella Music NY

2009 - MAURIZIO QUINTAVALLE "It's time to make a change" Jazz Engine

2009 - MARIO ROSINI " All by myself" Cafè concerto

2010 – SIMONA BENCINI & LMG 4tet " Spreading love Groove Master Edition

2011 – DEODATO & AI JARREAU " The Crossing" Nicolosi Productions

2012 – **PAOLO P & Acoustic Group** “ Due punti nel blu” Dodicilune records
2012 – **STEFANO CLEMENTE** “ The moon and sun” USR records
2012 – **BOSSO – DI LEONE – BASSI – CAMPANALE 4tet** “ Four friends in Bari” Four records
2012 – **MARIO ROSINI GROUP** “ Meridies Madrigale” Cafè Concerto records
2013 – **CAMERA SOUL** “ not for ordinary people” Azzurra Music
2013 – **MIMMO CAMPANALE** “ Acustronica” Groovemaster edition
2015 – **CETTINA DONATO** “ Third” Blue Art
2015 – **FORTHYTO** “Radio Interference” Dodicilune records
2016 – **Con Alma trio meets Jerry Bergonzi** Abeat records
2016 – **Nico Morelli** “Un(folk)ettable two” Cristal records

DISCOGRAFIA POP

1993 - **NOVECENTO** "Necessary" Baby records
1997 - **NOVECENTO** "C'è un mondo che" Crisler
1997 - **NOVECENTO** "Immagini" Compilation New Age
1998 - **BILLY PRESTON** "You and I" Crisler
1998 - **BATTISTI LATINO** Cristiani record
1998 - **BILLY PRESTON** "Gettin'on" Compilation Acid Jazz
2000 - **OSIBISA** "Collection" DW More Record
2000 – **MARIO ROSINI** - Liberi
2000 - **DIROTTA SU CUBA** "Dentro ad ogni attimo" CGD
2000 - **DELEGATION** "The best of Delegation" DW More Record
2002 - **SANTA ESMERALDA** "Lay down my love" Just Music (distr. Sony Music)
2002 - **NOVECENTO** " Featuring..." Edel
2005 – **MARIO ROSINI** "Cercando te" Cafè Concerto
2005 – **GRGG KOFI BROWN** "Togheter as one" **featuring STING** Just Groove records
2005 – **MICHELE MARMO** “Un P(o)P di Jazz Edel record

2008 - MARIO ROSINI " Volare in alto" Cafè Concerto Universal

2009 - NOVECENTO "Secret" Nicolosi Productions

2010 – DOMENIC MILLER “ Surrender” Edel Record

2011 - CAMERA SOUL “ Words don’t speak” Azzurra Music

2011 – RONNIE JONES “ Bang” Melunera Records

2012 – SPAGNA “ Four” Pull records

2015 – SERENA BRANCALE “Galleggiare” Warner Music