

MELISSA MERRAN CV

Skills:

Swinging Trapeze
Static Trapeze
Silks/Tissu
Aerial Hoop
Cordelisse/Web
Acrobalance/Adagio
Ice Skating(Adagio Pair & Corps de Ballet)
Dance
Acrobatics

A short Biography:

Melissa began her performing career as an Ice Skater and toured worldwide with International Ice Show "Holiday on Ice", as the principal Adagio Pair.

Later she turned her skills to the Trapeze and Aerial Silks /Tissu. As an Aerialist and Ice Skater Melissa has performed in Galas, Corporate Events, Circuses, Theatres and also on Television.

As well as performing, Melissa is also a highly qualified teacher in all her Aerial skills and also has numerous teaching qualifications, which include Ice skating, fitness and gymnastics.

CORPORATE

Chelsea Arts Club Ball.1998.Double Static Trapeze.

SomerfieldBall.Grosvenor House Hotel.1998.Solo Static Trapeze.

Paul Mitchel Hair Show.Wembley Exhibition Centre.1998.Solo Static Trapeze.[TRADE SHOW.](#)

Vignette Xmas Ball.Trinity Wharf.2000.Syncro Tissu.

Christina Noble Ball.Dublin.2001.Syncro Tissu.

Minster Court.London.2001.Syncro Tissu.

Westway Studios.London.2001.Syncro Tissu.

Ray Massy Studios.London.2001.Syncro Tissu.

Loch Lomond Centre-Opening.2002.Solo Tissu.

Tesco Charity Ball.Billingsgate Market.2003.Tissu Hangabout.

Promotion for Cirkus Princessen,Bronett Bros.Stockholm.2003.Solo Tissu.(Hanging from crane-Outdoors).

Mercedes,Southampton.2003.Syncro Tissu.

Eurostar,Waterloo.2003.Syncro Tissu.

Braun Epilator-Product Launch.Dubai.2003.Solo Tissu.

SKA Exhibition.Sweden.Bronett Bros.2003.Solo Tissu.[TRADE SHOW.](#)

Efteling Theme Park.Holland.2003.Tissu Hangabout.

Shopping Centre Opening.Istanbul.2003.Syncro Tissu.

Royal Bank of Scotland/Halifax Xmas Party.Birmingham NEC.2003.Syncro Tissu.

Lex Convention.Euro Disney,Paris.2004.Syncro Tissu.

Budweiser Party.Billingsgate Market.2004.Solo Swinging Trapeze.

5th Anniversary/Serpentine Green Shopping Centre.Peterborough.2004.Syncro Tissu.

Hotel Ball.Excel,London.2004.Tissu Hangabout.

Private Party.Bridges Wharf,Battersea.2004.Syncro Tissu.

Ernst & Young Corp Party.Billingsgate Market.2004.Syncro Static Trapeze.

Corp Show Case.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Syncro Tissu & Static Trapeze Hangabout.

Legal Week Corp Party.St Andrews Bay Hotel,Scotland.2004.Syncro & Hangabout Tissu.

Around the World in 80 Days Film Premier Party.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Syncro Tissu & Static Trapeze Hangabout.

Olympic Torch Run.Island Gdns.London.2004.5 Girl Syncro Hoop Act.(Outdoors).

Dior Perfume Launch.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Static Trapeze.

Cat Woman Film Premier Party.Sketch.London.2004.Tissu Hangabout.

Olympic Bid.Trafalgar Square,London.2004.5 Girl Syncro Hoop Act.(Outdoors).
Royal Opera House,Corp.Floral Hall.London.2004.Syncro Tissu.
Corp Party.Sketch.London.2004.Solo Tissu & Hangabout.
Wella Hair Show/Comp.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Syncro Tissu & Static Trapeze Hangabout.
Corp Party.Vinapolis,London.2004.Syncro Tissu.
Corp Party.Hilton Hotel,London.2004.Syncro Tissu.
Valentino Perfume Launch.Palm Beach Casino,Cannes,France.2004.Syncro Tissu.
International Conference.Malta.2004.Syncro Tissu & Acrobatic Walkabout.
Royal Bank of Scotland (Heaven & Hell Theme) Party.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Syncro Tissu & Static Trapeze Hangabout.
Samsung Launch.Delhi,India.2004.Solo Tissu.(Outdoors).
Horse of the Year Show.Odessa Arena,Belfast.2004.Syncro Tissu.
Earls Court and Olympia Xmas Party.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Static Trapeze Hangabout.
Pre Mary Poppins Party.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Static Trapeze Hangabout.
Channel 4 Xmas Party.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Static Trapeze Hangabout.
Arcadia Xmas Party.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Static Trapeze Hangabout & Syncro Tissu.
VCI Xmas Party.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2004.Static Trapeze Hangabout & Syncro Tissu.
Financial Award Ceremony.Grosvenor House Hotel,London.2005.Aerial Hoop Hangabout & Syncro Tissu.
Russian New Year Event.Trafalgar Square,London.2005.Solo Tissu.(Outdoors).
Microsoft Mid-Year Party.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2005.Static Trapeze Hangabout & Syncro Tissu.
Private Party.Ashford,Kent.2005.Syncro Tissu.
London Edge.Business Design Centre,London.2005.Syncro Tissu.[TRADE SHOW.](#)
AFL Live Showing/Party.CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2005.Syncro Tissu.
Private Party,Wroxham Hall.2005.Syncro Tissu & Hangabout.
Film Premier Party of "Be Cool".At CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome.2005.Hoop Hangabout.
Barclays Corporate Party.Excel,London.2005.Swinging Trapeze and Syncro Tissu & Hangabout.
Doctor Carnival.Hackney Empire,London.2005.5 Girl Syncro Hoop Act.
Vivid Diamonds,Russian Rhapsody.Royal Albert Hall.2005.Syncro Tissu.
O2 Promotion.Covent Garden,London.2005.Solo Tissu.
Nokia new series launch.Amsterdam,Holland.2005.Syncro Tissu & Hangabout.
Wales Open Golf Party.Newport.2005.Syncro Tissu & Hangabout.
Bookers Awards.Millbrook.2005.Syncro Tissu.
Amway Conference.Wembley,London.2005.Syncro Tissu.
Amway Gala Show.Excel,London.2005.Syncro Tissu.
Fujitsu(New Building)Opening.Mancester.2005.Syncro Tissu.(Outdoors-off of Building).
HSBC Conference.Jersey.2005.Solo Tissu.
Asian Business Awards.Hilton Hotel,London.2005.Synrco Tissu.
Napp Conference.Corn Exchange,Cambridge.2005.Syncro Tissu.
Corporate Xmas Party.Billingsgate Market.2005.Syncro Tissu.
Virgin Active Awards.Milten Keynes Theatre.2005.Syncro Tissu.
Private Party.Mount St John,Yorkshire.2005.Syncro Tissu.
Furniture Awards Ceremony.Birmingham NEC.2006.Syncro Tissu & Hangabout.
Butlins,Bogna Regis.Circus Clown Festival.2006.Syncro Tissu.
Ipex 2006.Trade Show,Birmingham NEC.2006.Syncro Tissu.[TRADE SHOW.](#)
Scottish Touring Board Party.Glasgow.2006.Tissu Hangabout.
The Icespace.London.2006.Solo Tissu and Solo Static Trapeze.(Working at minus 5 degrees).
Wembley Conference Centre.2006.Synro Tissu.

Private Wedding Party.(Banana Split).Surrey.2006. Syncro Tissu and Hangabout.(Working with Cirque du Soleil).
Corporate Party,Billingsgate Market.2006. Tissu Hangabout.
Corporate Lunch Party,Chiswick Park.2006. Solo Static Trapeze.(Outdoors).
IMIE British Motor Show.Excel,London.2006. Solo Swinging Trapeze, Solo Hoop, Syncro Web and Harness work on car.(Outdoors-off of Cranes,JCB's). [TRADE SHOW](#).
Canon Corporate Party.Brick Lane.London.2006. Syncro Tissu.
Spitalfields Anniversary.London.2006. Syncro Tissu.
XBOX Launch.India.(MTV Live).2006. Syncro Tissu.
Corp Party.Iceland.2006. Syncro Tissu.
Corp Party/Launch.Norway.2006. Solo Swinging Trapeze.
Indian Corp.Grosvenor House Hotel,London.2006. Syncro Tissu.
Private Barmitzva.(Banana Split).KO KO's,London.2006. Tissu Hangabout.
MOVE Book Launch.Ko Ko's,London.2006. Solo Tissu.
Private Party.Round House,London.2006. Syncro Tissu.
Xmas Corp Party.Theobalds,London.2006. Syncro Tissu.
International Horse Show.Olympia,London.2006. Syncro Tissu.
Xmas Corp Party.Billingsgate Market.2006. Syncro Tissu.
Conservative Party Black and White Ball.London.2007. Syncro Tissu.
Akzo Nobel Corporate Event.Amsterdam.2007. Syncro Tissu.
IKEA Print Launch.Trocadero,London.2007. Syncro Tissu.
Private Party.Dyson.Bath.2007. Syncro Tissu.
British Telecom Gala.Birmingham NEC.2007. Syncro Tissu and Hangabout.
NHS Gala.Hippodrome,London.2007. Syncro Tissu.
Corporate Party,Billingsgate Market.2007. Tissu Hangabout.
Ins Company Fun Day,London.2007. Solo Trapeze Hangabout.
Private Barmitzva,KoKo's,London.2007. Syncro Tissu.
Monsoon & Accessorise Corporate Party,Hippodrome,London.2007. Syncro tissu.
Corporate Party.Bath.2007. Syncro tissu.
Circus Show Down.Hackney Empire.2007. Syncro Hoop.
Corporate Party.Newbury Race Course.2007. Syncro Hoop.
Private Party.Opera House,Jersey.2007. Syncro Hoop.
International Advertising Awards,Hippodrome,London.2007. Syncro Tissu.
DFS Conference.Telford.2007. Syncro Tissu.
Private Birthday Party,(Banana Split),Pentland Centre,Finchley.2007. Tissu Hangabout.
Corporate Party.Hilton Hotel.London.2008. Tissu Hangabout.
Corporate Party.Farnborough Aero Space.2008. Tissu Hangabout.
Citreon Car Show.Barcelona,Spain.2008. Syncro Tissu.
Corporate Event.Hippodrome.London.2008. Solo Swinging Trapeze.
Coventry Shopping Mall.Fun Day.2008. Solo Swinging Trapeze.
Gala Dinner.Maritime Museum.London.2008. Syncro Tissu.
Corporate Party.Science Museum.London.2008. Tissu Hangabout.
Corporate Charity Event.Big Top,Surrey.2008. Solo Swinging Trapeze.
Corporate Event.Cameron House,Scotland.2008. Syncro Hoop.
Corperate Party.Science Museum,London.2008. Tissu Hangabout.
"Loose Women" 10 year Party.Cafe de Paris,London.2009. Tissu Hangabout.
Bournemouth Airport Departure Lounge Opening.2010. Syncro Tissu and Hangabout.
"The Bill" Wrap Party.London.2010. Solo Tissu and Hangabout.
Man Deisel Inauguration of new building.Stockport.2010. Solo Hoop Hangabout.
Pizza Express Awards.The Round House,London.2010. Solo Swinging Trapeze.
DIVA DIVO Dance competition.Bridlington Spa.Yorkshire.2011. Syncro Tissu.

[AERIAL/CIRCUS SHOWS BOOKED AND ORGANISED](#)

Opening of CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome. April,2004.
Corporate Show Case at CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome. May,2004.

Around The World in Eighty days Premier.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.June,2004.
Pure Poison/Christian Dior Perfume Launch.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.June,2004.
Wella UK Hair Show/Comp.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.Sept,2004.
Royal Bank of Scotland Party.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.Nov,2004.
Citi Group Party.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.1st and 2nd Dec,2004.
Earls Court and Olympia Xmas Party.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.Dec 2004.
Pre Mary Poppins Party.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.Dec 2004.
Channel 4 Xmas Party,At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.Dec 2004.
Arcadia Xmas Party,At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.Dec 2004.
VCI Xmas Party.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.Dec 2004.
Microsoft Mid-Year Party.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.Jan 2005.
AFL Live Showing and Party.At CIRQUE at The London Hippodrome.Feb 2005.

Choreographer/Rehearsal Director

Gala Dinner(60 years independence India/Pakistan).Park Lane Hilton,London.2007.

TELEVISION CREDITS

Pulsar Watch Commercial.1987.Pair Skating.
Russ Abbot Xmas Show.1988.Chorus Skating.(plastic ice)
Girls Sketch Show.1998.Pair Skating.
BBC 1 Ident.2002.Group Tissu.
Granada TV,Stars in their Eyes.(Euro).2002.Syncro Tissu.
BBC 1.Rolf Harris 50yrs in Show Business live at the Royal Albert Hall.2003.Syncro Tissu.
Granada TV,Stars in their Eyes.(Live Kids Final).2006.Syncro Tissu.
Granada TV,Stars in Their Eyes.(Celebs).2006.Syncro Tissu.
ITV Dancing on Ice.2010.Teaching Torvil and Dean aerial silks for ice/silks "Bolero"2010.

PHOTOGRAPHIC CREDITS

Hilary Shedal.1997.Acrobatics.
Hilary Shedal.1998.Acrobatics.
The Team.1998.Double Static Trapeze.
Micheal Dunning.1998.Cradle.
Butlins.1998.Double Static Trapeze.

CIRCUS & FESTIVALS

Peter Jays Circus & Water Spectacular,Great Yarmouth Hippodrome.Summer season 2000.Synchronised Swinging Trapeze,web.(Also worked from under water combining aerial work).
Circus Williams.(Eduado Raluy).Palma,Majorca.2000.Solo Swinging Trapeze & Solo Tissu.
Circus Williams.(Eduado Raluy).Palma,Majorca.2001.Solo Swinging Trapeze.
Circo Raluy. (Carlos Raluy).Touring Spain & Reunion Island,Nov 2001-Feb 2003.Solo Swinging Trapeze & Solo Tissu.
Cirkus Princessen.The Globen,Stockholm,Sweden.(Bronett Bros.).2003.Solo Tissu.TELEVISED OVER EUROPE.
Circo Raluy. (Carlos Raluy).Girona,Spain.2006.Solo Swinging Trapeze & Solo Tissu.

Tunbridge Wells Xmas Festival.1997.Double Static Trapeze.
Glastonbury Festival.1998.Double Static Trapeze.
Glastonbury Festival.2000.Synchronised Swinging Trapeze.
London Embankment Summer Festival.2000.Solo Static Trapeze.
Orkney Islands Music Festival.2001."The Flying Dudes"-Beings of Light Show.Solo Swinging Trapeze,Solo Tissu & Flying Trapeze.
Stockton Xmas Festival.2008.Syncro Tissu.
Singapore Arts Festival.2009.Solo tissu.(The Diamond-The Dream Engine).
Henley Arts Festival.2009.Solo tissu.(The Diamond-The Dream Engine).

Etisalat Summer Festival, Alexandria, Egypt. 2011.5 girl Tissu Act and Hangabout.

THEATRES

Lewisham Theatre. 1998. Solo Static Trapeze.

Fortune Theatre, Scarborough. 1998. Solo Static Trapeze.

Casino Solverde, Espino, Portugal. 1999. Solo Static Trapeze, Cordelisse, Acrobatics & Dance.

Mumford Theatre, Cambridge. 1999. Solo Static Trapeze.

Royal Opera House, Covent Garden. 2000. Aerial & Dance. (Die Meistersinger).

City Varieties Music Hall, Leeds. "The Good Old Days". 2002. Solo Tissu.

City Varieties Music Hall, Leeds. "The Good Old Days". 2003. Solo Tissu.

Wimbledon Theatre. "The Good Old Days". 2003. Solo Tissu.

Pavillion Theatre, Cromer, Norfolk. "Seaside Special". Summer Season, 2003. Solo Tissu, Solo Static Trapeze, Singing & Dance.

Mermaid Theatre, London. Saga Holidays Xmas Party. 2003. Static Trapeze Hangabout & Syncro Tissu.

Pavillion Theatre, Cromer, Norfolk. 2004. Midnight Matinee. Solo Tissu.

City Varieties Music Hall, Leeds. "The Good Old days". 2006. Solo Tissu.

City Varieties Music Hall, Leeds. "The Good Old Days". 2008. Solo Tissu.

Wimbledon Theatre. "The Good Old Days". 2009. Solo Tissu.

NIGHT CLUBS & CABARET

Circus Space Cabarets. London:

1998-Solo Static Trapeze.

1998-Double Static Trapeze.

1998-Solo Static Trapeze.

2000-Double Static Trapeze.

2000-Solo Swinging Trapeze.

2001-Solo Tissu.

2004-Solo Swinging Trapeze.

2005-Solo Swinging Trapeze.

Archaos Night Club, Glasgow. 1998. Double Static Trapeze.

Forum, London. 1999. Solo Static Trapeze.

Archaos Night Club, Glasgow. 2000. Double Static Trapeze.

Clapham Grand, London. 2000. Solo Static Trapeze.

Manumission @ Privilage, Ibiza. 2001. Solo Swinging Trapeze, Web & Harness work.

CIRQUE at the London Hippodrome. April 2004- March 2005. Set up and Creator of Aerial Aspect. Artistic Director/Booker and also performing: Swinging Trapeze, Static Trapeze, Aerial Hoop, Web and Tissu.

Heaven Night Club, Dublin, Ireland. 2005. Solo Tissu, Solo Cordelisse and Hoop Hangabout.

Heaven Night Club, Dublin, Ireland. 2006. Solo Tissu, Solo Cordelisse and Hoop Hangabout.

Shunt. London Bridge. 2008. Solo Tissu.

Shunt. London Bridge. 2008. Solo Tissu.

ICE SHOWS – Including some Aerial work.

Ice Follies. Bournemouth Summer Season. 1979. Chorus & understudy.

Holiday on Ice. Touring Europe & Far East. 1980-88. 5yrs Chorus & 3yrs Principal Adagio Pair.

Paradise on Ice. The Sporting Club, Monte Carlo. 1988/89/90/91/97/98. Principal Adagio Pair & Chorus.

Paradise on Ice. Deauville Casino, France. 1990. Chorus.

Paradise on Ice. Chateau Roux, France. 1990. Principal Adagio Pair.

Paradise on Ice. Greece. 1991. Principal Adagio Pair & Chorus.

Holiday on Ice. English Tour. 1992 & 94. Chorus.

Sobell Xmas Ice Show. London. 1997. Double & Solo Static Trapeze.

Paradise on Ice. Italian Theatre Tour. 1998. Double Static Trapeze & Chorus.

Paradise on Ice. La Perla Casino, Slovenia. 1999. Principal Adagio Pair. (Plastic Ice).

Sobell Xmas Ice Show.London.2000.Solo Tissu.

Paradise on Ice.Spy Casino,Belgium.2001.Solo Tissu.

Ayr Ice Arena.Scotland.2001.Solo Tissu.

Sobell Xmas Ice Show.London.2005.Solo Tissu.

Ice Shows Unlimited.Scotland.2007.Solo Tissu with Skating.

Ice Shows Unlimited,Scotland.2008.Solo Cordelisse and web with Skating.

Ice Shows Unlimited,Scotland.2009.Syncro Tissu with Skating.