

## **Justin Shave – Composer/ Music Producer at Uncanny Valley**

'Shave', as he is more affectionately known in the industry, has been producing since he was 19. Coming from a classical piano background into pop and jazz keys, he moved gradually into programming, production and writing. He now has over 15 years of international credits in the pop, dance, television and film industries. His current projects include writing and producing new material for Darren Hayes (of 25 million selling duo, Savage Garden), Sydney's 'the Potbelleez' and UK dance artist, Sam Obernik.

Shave prides himself on delivering sonic solutions to the toughest of briefs and has run up an impressive list of compositions for TV commercials doing just that, including: Bacardi, KFC, AT&T, Toyota and Chrysler. He has also been associated with major sonic branding for television stations such as MTV, Network Ten and the ABC as well as mainstream brands and fashion labels.

Shave has recently returned to Sydney after 5 years in London producing and running his own record label and during that time collaborated with the likes of Shapeshifters, Fatboy Slim, Darren Hayes, Mutya Buena (ex-Sugarbabes), Cerrone, Antigone and Etherfox. With many strings to his bow, Shave has also custom-built a music making soft-synth-come-physical-instrument, the extraordinary Okkam 01, an invention that recently won him an endorsement by pioneering German company Native Instruments...check it all out at: [www.uncannyvalley.com.au](http://www.uncannyvalley.com.au)