

# FLORENT SCHMITT

## COMPLETE ORIGINAL WORKS FOR PIANO DUET AND DUO • 4

Florent Schmitt was one of the most important of all French composers, an individualist who defies the simplicities of classification. The last of this four-disc series explores Schmitt's *Humoresques*, Op. 43, a cycle full of unexpected and witty twists, as well as the visionary *Lied et scherzo*, Op. 54. His gift for characterisation is always evident, not least in *Trois pièces récréatives*, Op. 37 which is strongly spiced with humour.

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| <b>1-6</b>   | Humoresques, Op. 43                            | 17:27 |
| <b>7</b>     | Lied et scherzo, Op. 54 *                      | 10:59 |
| <b>8-10</b>  | 3 pièces récréatives, Op. 37 *                 | 04:26 |
| <b>11-17</b> | Une semaine du petit elfe Ferme-l'oeil, Op. 58 | 23:37 |

\* *World Première Recordings*

**TOTAL PLAYING TIME: 56:29**

**"Schmitt's extensive oeuvre for two pianists could have no better musicians..." – *American Record Guide***



THE INVENCIA PIANO DUO



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