

BALMAIN

PARIS

Balmain Hair International Creative Hair Team

Chef-de-Cabin

Olivier De Vriendt

Olivier de Vriendt studied hairstyling in Paris for 3 years and obtained his diploma in 1992. He worked as a hairdresser for many years in Mod's Hair salons. From November 1995 to December 1996 he was co-manager of Mod's Hair salon in Paris IX. After being a trainer at Mod's Hair Training Centre, he practiced as manager of the centre from 1998 to 2002.

Since 2002 he works as a studio stylist and artistic director for magazines like Vogue Gioiello, Nouvel Observateur, Elle, Oyster, Surface, Wallpaper and many others.

He also does a lot of backstage work on catwalkshows a.o. for Junya Watanabe, Kenzo, Louis Vuitton, Viktor&Rolf and Helmut Lang (*in total more than 100 shows*).

Olivier worked as an artistic director on different projects such as the Cannes Film Festival and created hairstyling for various opera and theatre productions. He is often asked as a stylist for shows in many countries (*Tokyo, Paris, Chicago, London, Moscow, Milano, New York*), where he is in charge of the creation of hairstyles.

Team members

Sean James – United States of America

Marja Verschure – The Netherlands

Mariann K. Ivansdottir – Farao Islands

Ekaterina Garus – Russia

Yvonne Kuhl – Germany

Stephane Motte – France

Somporn Tirin - Thailand