

## Personal information:

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## Education:

2018- Accademia di Musica (Pinerolo IT) (post-grad)  
2014-2017 Hogeschool Zuyd (Maastricht, NL) (Bachelor-Master)  
2014-2015 Accademia Santa Cecilia (Bergamo, IT)  
2011-2012 Long Island conservatory (Albertson, NY, USA) (Bachelor)  
2007-2010 Prins Claus conservatory (Groningen, NL) (Propedeuse)

## Future plans:

2019 Masterclass Garda-lake (IT) Lukas Hagen  
2019 Completion of Sarasate 'The Spanish Spirit' Documentary  
2019 Concerts in Maine USA  
2020 Complete Beethoven cycle, Cuneo (IT)

## Musical history:

2017 Grand Prix winner (Duo) of the 'Musical Fireworks International Competition' Baden-Württemberg (DE)  
2016 Integral performance of all the Beethoven violin sonatas at the "Music without borders Festival" (USA)  
2014 Multiple masterclasses with Konstantin Bogino  
2013 Masterclasses and concert for 2 piano's with Jean François Bouvery  
2012 Concert at Merkin Hall, Lincoln Centre (NY, USA)  
2010-2016 Multiple concerts at the 'Steinway concert series' Gould academy (ME,USA)

## Summerschool:

1. LISMA Foundation International music festival (NYC, USA) (2007)
2. Music without Borders 1st International piano festival at Gould Academy, Bethel(ME, USA) (2007/2009/2010)
3. Portland (ME, USA) international piano festival (2007/2010)
4. Peter de Grote Festival (NL) (2007/2008)
5. Kuhmo Chambermusic festival (FL) (2013)
6. Raudaskyla winter masterclass (FL) (2014)
7. Accademia Santa Cecilia masterclass (IT) (2014)
8. 'Musica L'estate' Bardonecchia (IT) (2017-2018)
9. Ferrara piano festival (IT) (2017)

## Masterclasses:

- Konstantin Bogino (2013/2014)
- Jean François Bouvery (2013)
- Tamara Poddubnaya (2011/2015/2016)
- Jacques Ogg (2015-2017-2018)
- Lukas Hagen (2018-2019)
- Frank Glazer (2007/2010)
- Vladimir Tropp (2009)
- David Wilde (2007)
- Enrico Pace (2016-2017-2018)
- Trio di Parma (2019)

## Press:

'Enthousiastic piano lion' Friesch Dagblad (2013)  
'Beautifully and very attentive accompaniment' Friesch Dagblad (2014)  
'topmusicians' Nieuwsblad Noordoost-Friesland (2019)