



PROFFESOR MARINA BELASHUK – pianist

Ms Belashuk was born in Grodno, Belarus. She attended the Gniesini music school in Moscow. Then she continued studying piano playing at the Gniesini Academy in Moscow, at Professor Zveryev piano class. After graduating, Ms Belashuk undertook and completed post-graduate studies at Professor Zveryev's class.

Marina Belashuk is the winner of numerous international competitions, both as an accompanying pianist and as a soloist.

At present, the artist works at the Academy she is the graduate of, in the position of an assistant professor.

She co-operates with music centres in Poland, Russia, Norway, Germany, France. She made artistic tours across Finland, Poland, Belarus and Russia. In 2008 she took part in the concert "From Chopin to Górecki", organized by the Polish Embassy and the Ministry of Culture and Science in Moscow.

She performed in the duet with Dymitr Grinich and with a Polish flute player, Edyta Fil.

In December, 2008, she performed 5th Concert by L. van Beethoven with the orchestra Grodno Capella under the baton of Vladimir Bormotov, in Grodno, Belarus.

In April, 2009, the pianist took part in a series of recitals entitled "Pictures of Russian Music" in numerous towns of Russia.

In May, 2009, together with a violist Sergey Brukin, Ms Belashuk took part in G. F. Haendel Festival in Aleksandrów.

From 2005 to 2011 she took part, both as a chamber music player and as an accompanying pianist, in the Vocal Courses tutored by Professor Jadwiga Rappé, in Suwałki, Poland; from 2011 – in the Vocal Courses – Opera Workshop tutored by Professor Bogdan Makal; from 2014 – in the workshop for singers and pianists at the Opera Academy at The Great Theatre – National Opera in Warsaw, tutored by Professor Izabella Kłosińska.

In 2015, Ms Belashuk won two Laureate Prizes for the Best Pianist: in May - at the Ada Sari International Vocal Competition, and in July, in Montenegro – Grand Prix at the International Competition "Romanticism. Sources and Horizons".