

Anna Grudskaya

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EDUCATION

New York University, New York, NY
Advanced Certificate Program, Music Education, *summa cum laude*, May 2014
Piano studies with Eteri Andjaparidze
Mannes College The New School, New York, NY
Master of Music, Piano Performance, *summa cum laude*, May 2012
Piano studies with Pavlina Dokovska and Vladimir Valjarevic
Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA
Bachelor of Arts in Music, *magna cum laude*, June 2008
Piano studies with Hans Boepple
Bachelor of Science in Psychology
Institute for European Studies (IES), *Studies Abroad Program*, Vienna, Austria, Sep - Dec 2007
Walden School, *Teacher Training Institute*, Dublin, NH, Summer 2006

SELECT PERFORMANCES

Black Box Theater, New York University, Solo Piano Music of Bach, Mozart, Beethoven, Chopin, Barber, Medtner, April 2014
Black Box Theater, New York University, Chamber Music of Schubert, Dec 2013
Black Box Theater, New York University, Piano Music of Poulenc and Hindemith, Nov 2013
Saklad Auditorium, New York University, Solo Piano Music of Bach, Poulenc and Medtner, Nov 2013
Black Box Theater, New York University, Chamber Music of Franck, May 2013
Steinway Hall, New York, 4-hand and 6-hand Piano Music of Rachmaninoff, April 2013
Loewe Theater, New York University, "Tracing Our Roots: Neuhaus and Igumnov," March 2013
Mannes College, New York, Solo Piano Music of Bach, Beethoven, Brahms, and Berg, Jan 2012
Mannes College, New York, "Mannes Piano Festival," Oct 2010-2011
Dorot Foundation, New York, Piano Music of Chopin, May 2011
Berkeley Piano Club, Berkeley, CA, Solo Piano Music of Moussorgsky and Berg, May 2009
Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA, Solo Piano Recitals, Spring 2006, 2007, 2008
Santa Clara University Mission Church, Soloist with Santa Clara University Orchestra, Fall 2005

MASTER CLASSES

Alessio Bax , March 2014	Eduard Zilberkant , July 2009
Menahem Pressler , Aug 2013	Jerome Rose , July 2009
Boris Berman , June 2013	Alon Goldstein , July 2009
Richard Cionco , May 2013	Irina Morozova , July 2009
Alexander Kobrin , Oct 2012	Heidi Williams , May 2007

FESTIVALS

Adamant Music Festival and School, Vermont, Aug 2013
NYU Summer Piano Intensive, NY, July 2013
Beijing International Music Festival and Academy, China, Aug 2012
Aspen Music Festival and School, CO, June – July 2011
Piano studies with Ann Schein
International Keyboard Institute and Festival, New York, NY, July - Aug 2009

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

Berkeley Piano Club's Dorothy Van Waynen Piano Award, Winner, Spring 2009
Santa Clara University Music Department
Concerto/Aria Competition, Winner, Spring 2005
Performer's Certificate, June 2008
Awarded on a non-periodic basis to a student demonstrating exceptional accomplishment in musical performance or composition.
Descalzi Award, June 2008
Awarded to one senior music student who best demonstrates technical and artistic growth and dedication to the art of music.
The Guido Prize, June 2008
For outstanding achievement in the study of Sight-Singing and Aural Skills
Music Honors Program, Sep 2006 – June 2008
Santa Clara University Psychology Department
Senior Award for Academic Achievement, June 2008
University Honors Program, Santa Clara University, Sep 2006 – June 2008
Dean's List, Santa Clara University, 2005, 2006

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

New York University, New York, NY, 2012 – 2014

Adjunct Piano Faculty

Teach private piano lessons for undergraduate non-music majors.

Piano School of NYC, New York, NY, 2010 – 2013

Piano Teacher

Taught group and private piano lessons for children ages 5-14 in public schools.

Community School of Music and Art, Mountain View, CA, 2008 – 2009

Classroom Music Teacher

Taught 32 classes, grades K-3, at elementary schools using the Kodaly method.

Designed and implemented lesson plans involving singing, musical reading, improvisation and composition.

Chorus Director

Directed a chorus of 50 children, grades 2-5.

Taught vocal harmony, memorization, vocal technique, and performance etiquette in preparation for public concerts.

Private Piano Studio, Fremont, CA, 2007 – 2009

Piano Teacher

Taught weekly piano lessons to children ages 7-10. Provided individual and group instruction in theory, technique, musicianship, and performance.

Musical Munchkins, Vienna, Austria, September – December 2007

Teacher Assistant

Trained in pedagogy for early childhood instruction of music through English and English through music.

Led activities and musical exercises as means of teaching English and music to children ages 1-5.

Encouraged effective participation and learning through interactions with children and parents.

Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA, March – June 2007

Teacher Assistant

Taught solfège and rhythm repertoire in a classroom of 30 college students in Ear Training course.

Prepared lesson plans for class and prepared students for exams and quizzes.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Santa Clara University Psychology Department, Santa Clara, CA 2005-2007

Undergraduate Research Assistant, Learning Lab, Matthew C. Bell, Ph.D

Pigeon Choice Behavior Research. Assisted in data collection, including running subjects and scheduling; conducted literature review; designed, programmed and executed multi-phased experiment; managed data collection activities, including data entry in Microsoft Excel and analysis in SPSS.

Research Practicum, Tracey Kahan, Ph.D

Designed and implemented an experimental study relating to memory of auditory and visual information, reported findings in APA manuscript, and presented findings of data collection at poster session.

New York University, New York, NY

Psychology of Music, Morwared Farbood, Ph.D

Designed and implemented an empirical research project relating to music cognition, presented findings orally and in a written report.

LANGUAGES

English, Russian