

Qi Xu

Pianist

Qi Xu

60 Lincoln Center Plaza
New York, NY 10023

Phone: +1 914-498-4105

Email: qi.xu@columbia.edu

Personal Website: www.qixumusic.com

Education

The Juilliard School / DMA

Sep 2017 - May 2022, New York, NY

Doctor of Musical Arts in Piano Performance

The Juilliard School / MM

Sep 2015 - May 2017, New York, NY

Master of Music in Piano Performance

Cambridge University, Robinson College / Visiting Scholars Program

Oct 2014 - June 2015, Cambridge, United Kingdom

Oxbridge Scholars Program in Mathematics

Columbia University, Columbia College / BA

Sep 2012 - May 2016, New York, NY

Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics

John Jay Scholar

Dean's List (2012-2013)

The Juilliard School / Exchange Program

Sep 2012 - May 2016, New York, NY

Columbia-Juilliard Exchange Program in Piano Performance

Music Experience (Selected)

Music Academy of the West

Summer 2016, Santa Barbara, CA

Pianofest in the Hamptons

Summer 2014, East Hampton, NY

Solo Album Recording

November 2013, Warsaw, Poland

- Recorded the first solo album under the sponsorship of Arte90
- Works include Beethoven, Liszt, Chopin, and Stravinsky

Aspen Music Festival

Summer 2011, Aspen, CO

- Participated with full scholarship

Morocco International Piano Competition

March 2011, Casablanca/Rabat, Morocco

- Won the first prize as well as the orchestra prize
- Was the youngest winner in the history of this competition

Ettlingen International Piano Competition

August 2008, Ettlingen, Germany

- Won the second prize
- Was the youngest contestant in the competition category B (age up to 20) in which I participated

Krainev Piano Competition

March 2008, Kharkiv, Ukraine

- Won the first prize in the junior category
-

Teaching Experience (Selected)

HDG Ambassador

2021, China

- Ambassador of the HDG teaching series, which focuses on a new approach to pedagogy of beginner-level piano playing
- Gave lecture series to teachers by presenting detailed interpretation and usage of the teaching material
- Gave non-profit presentations on music appreciation to high school students

Morse Teaching Fellow

2020 - 2021, The Juilliard School

- Music aesthetics course at George Jackson Academy, a middle school serving underserved communities

Teaching Fellow

2019 - 2020, The Juilliard School

Music Theory III/IV

Writing Tutor

2015 - 2020, The Juilliard School

English and Liberal Arts

Academic Experience (Selected)

Musical Arrow of Time - The Role of Temporal Asymmetry in Music and Its Organicist Implications

2022, The Juilliard School

DMA dissertation

Reconciling unity and variety - Revisiting "Variations and Fugue on a Theme by Handel, Op. 24" by Brahms

2021, The Juilliard School

DMA lecture-performance