Vladimír Halíček:



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Born in Czech Republic, Vladimir gained a Master's Diploma in music at Janacek Academy of Music and Performing Arts in Brno in June 2015, where he studied with Alena Vlasáková and doc. Jan Jiraský PhD. He also studied at Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance in London Master of Music (MMus) under the supervision of Deniz Arman Gelenbe and Sergio DeSimone.

Vladimir (Janacek Foundation scholarship holder) was a prizewinner in several Czech and international piano competitions. Most recently, he won 2nd Prize in the Liszt International Piano Competition for Young Pianists 2011 (Budapest, Hungary), 2nd Prize and special prize for the interpretation of a newly commissioned piece in the International Piano Competition of J. Zarebski 2011 (Warsaw, Poland), and 2nd Prize in the Musica Insieme International Piano Competition 2009 (Venice, Italy).

As a chamber musician, he performs regularly throughout the Czech Republic with cellist Lukáš Svoboda. Together they became laureates in the Martinu Competition 2012 (Prague, Czech Republic).

As a concerto soloist, Vladimir has performed with the Janacek Philharmonic Orchestra, Moravian Philharmonic Orchestra, South Moravia Chamber Orchestra, and the Janacek Conservatory Symphonic Orchestra. He worked with conductors such as Petr Vrónský, Leoš Svárovský, Stanislav Boguňa, Petr Šumník, Marek Prášil or Marek Klimeš, and in 2011, he performed in the Rudolfinum, the most prestigious concert hall in Czech Republic.

He attended masterclasses with Eugen Indjič, Clara Moniuszko, Ida Černecká, Iva Silivanová, Mark Purižinsky. In 2012, Vladimír was awarded with a grant to participate in the International Keyboard Institute and Festival in New York, where he worked with Alexander Kobrin, Eduard Zilberkant, Asaf Zohar, Avner Arad, Carlo Grante, Hae-Jeon Lee and Nikolai Demidenko.

Since August 2018 he became the director of the elementary art school in Brno, he is also organizer of piano courses in Mikulov and Mozartian Competition for the Young Piano Players up to age 11 in Brno.