

# Music Resume

## Anne Sophie Luong

Anne Sophie, born in 2004 in Bad Homburg v. d. Hoehe, Germany, began playing the violin at the age of six. A year later, she received lessons from Prof. Yvonne Smeulers at the Frankfurt Conservatory, followed by Prof. Susanne Stoodt at the HfMDK Frankfurt. Currently, she is student of the Italian soloist Prof. Marco Rizzi at the Musikhochschule Mannheim, Germany.

Anne Sophie has won various prizes and awards. She is 1st prize-winner of numerous "Jugend musiziert" competitions in Germany at the national level in the category 'violin solo' and has been awarded special prizes by the Deutsche Stiftung Musikleben and Sparkasse Bremen. She is also 1st prize-winner at the international music competition "London Classical Music Competition 2022" and 2nd prize-winner at the "International Josef Micka Violin Competition 2020" in Prague.

The young violinist has performed as soloist with numerous orchestras, including the Main-Kammer-Orchester and Akkordeon-Orchester Frankfurter Berg and has previously played public concerts in the Konzerthaus Berlin, Deutsche Oper Berlin and Schlosskirche Bad Homburg. Several solo concerts with the Sinfonietta Köln and the Akkordeon-Orchester Frankfurt-Heddernheim are planned for the remaining year of 2023.

Anne Sophie took part in masterclasses by the Israeli soloist Vadim Gluzman, the conductor and violinist Christoph Poppen and the primarius from the Schumann Quartet Erik Schumann. She is also active in chamber music, including her own piano trio and through her participation in the chamber music project "Mit Musik - Miteinander" at the Kronberg Academy. Together with renowned Italian musicians such as Danilo Rossi and Alessandro Deljavan, she performed at the Livorno Music Festival 2023 in Italy.

Currently, the up-and-coming young talent is a mentor scholarship holder of the foundation Bad Homburg Schlosskonzerte and, since 2022, a scholarship holder of the International Music Academy Berlin. Since 2020, she has also been generously supported by the Hermann and Dr. Irmgard Neumann Foundation.

Anne Sophie plays on a contemporary violin by Luca Salvadori which was arranged by Maezena Plattform GmbH and kindly sponsored by the Hermann and Dr. Irmgard Neumann Foundation.