

Jianing Zhao

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School Education

09.2024 - 09.2025	Post-Masters level 8 Advanced Postgraduate Diploma in Piano Professional Performance in Royal Birmingham Conservatoire in United Kingdom
04.2021 - 02.2023	Graduated from the Folkwang Universität der Künste Essen in Germany Major in Piano Professional Performance for the Master's degree
04.2016 - 10.2020	Graduated from the Hochschule für Musik Hanns Eisler Berlin in Germany Major in Piano Professional Performance for the Bachelor's degree
09.2014 - 07.2015	Studied at the Xi'an Conservatory of Music undergraduate Major in Piano Professional Performance for the Bachelor's degree
09.2011 - 07.2014	Graduated from the High School affiliated to Xi'an Conservatory of Music
09.2008 - 07.2011	Graduated from the Middle School Affiliated to Shaanxi Normal University
09.2002 - 07.2008	Graduated from the Cuihua Road Primary School in Xi'an

Art Education

Postgraduate Diploma 09.2024 - 09.2025	Post-Masters level 8 Advanced Postgraduate Diploma in Piano Professional Performance in Royal Birmingham Conservatoire under the guidance of Professor Pascal Nemirovski and Alasdair Beatson
Master's degree 05. 2021-02.2023	Master's degree with a major in piano Professional Performance at the Folkwang Universität der Künste Essen under the guidance of Professor Evgeni Bozhanov
During covid period	Admission notifications and successful entrance exams for the Master's degree in piano were as follows: --Hochschule für Musik FRANZ LISZT Weimar with Professor Grigory Gruzman (Admitted, but withdraw after the first semester due to Professor Gruzman's illness) --Hochschule für Musik und Theater Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy with Professor Christian Pohl (Received an offer but declined) --Hochschule für Musik und Darstellende Kunst Frankfurt am Main with Professor Florian Hölscher (Passed the entrance exam). --Folkwang Universität der Künste Essen with Professor Evgeni Bozhanov (Admitted)
From 4.Sem to Bachelor graduation 10.2017--10.2020	Completed the Bachelor's degree with a major in piano Professional Performance under the guidance of Professor Birgitta Wollenweber at the Hochschule für Musik Hanns Eisler Berlin, who serves as the Head of Piano Department.
Bachelor Study in Berlin 1.Sem 04.2016	Pursued the Bachelor's degree with a major in piano Professional Performance under the guidance of Professor Susanne Gruetzmann at the Hochschule für Musik Hanns Eisler Berlin.(recommended by Professor Pi-hsien Chen who is the Professor at the Hochschule für Musik Freiburg and Cologne)
First time in Germany 10.2015--02.2016	Piano lessons with Mrs. Su Li-Chun. (Su works at Universität der Künste Berlin)

Xi'an Conservatory of Music Piano Department for the Bachelor's degree 09.2014--07.2015	Pursued the Bachelor's degree with a major in piano Professional Performance under the guidance of Professor Vladimir Zanin, a Russian specialist working at the Xi'an Conservatory of Music. Simultaneously studied under Chun Pan in Beijing.
High School affiliated to Xi'an Conservatory of Music	From 2012 to 2014 studied and graduated with a major in piano Professional Performance under the guidance of Professor Jinzhe Wang(Prof.Wang serves as a professor in the Piano Department at the Xi'an Conservatory of Music.He graduated from the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire in 2005 and the Royal College of Music in 2006 under the guidance of Professor Andrew Ball and Professor Vanessa Lata arche) During 2013 to 2015 continued the studies with Professor Chun Pan in Beijing(Prof.Pan serves as a professor in the Piano Department at the Beijing Central Conservatory of Music. He completed his Bachelor's, Master's, and Artist Diploma at the Moscow Tchaikovsky Conservatory under the instruction of S. Dorensky and O. Ivanov)
4 years old	Learning piano with the national pianist Mrs. Li Lanjia, who works as a solo pianist in the Xi'an orchestra.

Award / Main Project

02.05.2025	Advanced Postgraduate Diploma Chamber Concert 2
25.03.2025	Advanced Postgraduate Diploma Piano Solo Recital 2
07.03.2025	Advanced Postgraduate Diploma Chamber Concert 1
28.01.2025	Advanced Postgraduate Diploma Piano Solo Recital 1
02.2023	Master's degree concert at Folkwang Universität der Künste Essen Campus Duisburg
12.2022	Concert at Hinokko Hall, Hiroshima, Japan
11.2022	CD production under the Deutsche Musikrat Scholarship
05.2022	Recipient of the Deutsche Musikrat Scholarship, 5000 Euros
10.2020	Bachelor's degree concert at Hochschule für Musik Hanns Eisler Berlin
02.2020	For the 125th birthday of Erwin Schulhoff, conducted by Prof. Birgitta Wollenweber https://www.hfm-berlin.de/veranstaltungen/veranstaltungskaender/detail/event/1277-klavierforum-im-studiosaal/tid/1330/ (Hochschule für Musik Hanns Eisler Berlin)
12.2019	Die Hörende Hande - Neue Klavier Musik Conducted by Prof. Catherine Vickers (Hochschule für Musik Hanns Eisler Berlin)
12.2017	Concert at the Embassy of the Czech Republic, Berlin, conducted by Prof. Birgitta Wollenweber (Hochschule für Musik Hanns Eisler Berlin)
12.2011	Won first place in the high school-intermediate group at the second artistic etude competition for piano held at the Xi'an Conservatory of Music
04.2010	Won second place in the 8th 'Shaan Xi Chunya Cup' artistic piano playing competition
04.2008	Won first place in the 6th 'Shaan Xi Chunya Cup' artistic piano playing competition
08.2007	Won the Gold Prize at the '2007 CCTV Sunshine' Youth Artistic Piano Competition
07.2005	Won the Silver Prize in the Shaan Xi Music Instrumental Performance competition

Repertoire

Bachelor's degree in Hochschule für Musik Hanns Eisler Berlin in Germany

1+2 Semester (Main Subject Class Prof.Susanne Grützmann)

Bach English Suite No.4 F-Dur BWV 809

Bartok Suite

Rachmaninov Etude Op.39 , No.1 / No.6

Bach Präludium und Fuge WK II C-Dur BWV 870

Mozart Violine Sonate K.305 (Chamber Music Class Prof.Hinrich Alpers)

3+4 Semester (Main Subject Class Prof.Birgitta Wollenweber)

Chopin Sonate No.2

Beethoven Violine Sonate Op.30 No.2

Bach Präludium und Fuge WK II g-Moll BWV 885

Chopin Polonaise Fantasie Op.61

Beethoven Sonate Op.2 No.2

Weber Klavier Trio Op.63 (Chamber Music Class Prof.Wayne Foster-Smith)

5+6 Semester (Main Subject Class Prof.Birgitta Wollenweber)

Mozart Sonate KV310

George Aperghis aus Les secrets Elementares No.12 / No.13

Scarlatti Sonate K.13 / K.454 / K.476 / K.427 / K.443 / K.380

Chopin Etude Op.25 No.10

Chopin Etude Op.10 No.2

Beethoven Klavier Trio Op.11(Chamber Music Class Prof.Wayne Foster-Smith)

7+8 Semster (Main Subject Class Prof.Birgitta Wollenweber)

Chopin Etude Op.10 No.1

Rachmaninov Etude Op.39 No.5

Bach Präludium und Fuge WK I Fis-Dur BWV 858

Gershwin Drei Perludes

Luciano Berio Brin

Beethoven Sonate Op.22 No.11

Bach Partita No.2

Liszt Ballade No.2

Brahms Klavier Quartet No.3 c-Moll Op.60 (Chamber Music Class Prof. Jonathan
Aner)

Master's degree in Folkwang Universität der Künste Essen in Germany

(Main Subject Class Prof. Evgeni Bozhanov)

Chopin Sonate No.3

Debussy Images Book I

Mendelssohn Klaviertrio No.1 d-Moll Op.49 (Chamber Music Class Matthias Diener)

Händel Violine Sonate No.4 D-Dur HWV 371

Saint Saeans Variationen über ein Thema von Beethoven für zwei Klaviere Op.35

Honegger/Rapsodie für zwei Violin, Viola und Klavier (Chamber Music Class
Prof. Thomas Hoppe)

Mozart Klavier Duo D-Duo K488

Schumann Klavier Quintet Op.44 E-Dur (Chamber Music Class Prof. Thomas Hoppe)

Beethoven Violine Sonate No.1 Op.12 D-Dur

Beethoven Sonate Op.14 No.1

Bach Partita No.1

Chopin Etude Op.25 No.6

Advanced Postgraduate Diploma Repertoire in 2025

Beethoven Klavier Sonate Op.109

Beethoven Klavier Sonate Op.110

Liszt Sonate h-moll

Beethoven Klavier Trio Op.97

Recording Portfolio

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Bachelor Studium

1+2 Semester

Mendelssohn Variations sérieuses, Op.54

<https://youtu.be/tH9CrC11kQI>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV11q4y177Pv/>



Rachmaninov Etude Op.39 , No.1 / No.6

<https://youtu.be/Kx49kVsKQlc>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1nQ4y1o7wG/>



3+4 Semester

Weber Flute Trio in G minor Op.63

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1DE411x7ZM/>



Chopin Sonate No.2

<https://youtu.be/bpLRcJYXX30>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1hL411L7Y5/>



Beethoven Violine Sonate Op.30 No.2

<https://youtu.be/QOSllfrJ38s>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1bE411j7nA/>



Bach Präludium und Fuge WK II g-Moll BWV 885

<https://youtu.be/MyN12262Jcc>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1hA411G7F2/>



5+6 Semester

Beethoven Klavier Trio Op.11

https://youtu.be/PGLaNmylv_I

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1sE411j7mr/>



Scarlatti Sonate K.427

<https://youtu.be/nlxZ-qeghg4>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1pE411j7SR/>



Erwin Schulhoff Inventionen

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV197411N7jV/>



7+8 Semester

Brahms Klavier Quartet No.3 c-Moll Op.60

<https://youtu.be/XcWnFhMYNkM>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1E7411n7Sm/>



Rachmaninov Etude Op.39 No.5

<https://youtu.be/57IVuCy4JYI>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1bA411c7KR/>



Bach Präludium und Fuge WK I Fis-Dur BWV 858

<https://youtu.be/CYztk1RwRKU>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1YJ411W7hD/>



Beethoven Sonate Op.22 No.11

https://youtu.be/mW_mC-Y2FDI

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1WZ4y1S7m4/>



Bach Partita No.2

<https://youtu.be/pa1aGAhbaAo>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1SJ411k7sP/>



Liszt Ballade No.2

https://youtu.be/_cl1SevGuXw

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1EY411a7Fw/>



Prokofiev Sonate No.3

<https://youtu.be/Fn0MWtdudw>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1eM4y1F7JC/>



Master Studium

Authur Honegger Rapsodie Klavier Quartett

<https://youtu.be/3zvc4heYLbQ>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1144y1Q7oP/>



Chopin Sonate No.3

<https://youtu.be/Z6YhfivhGqQ?si=BtNGhLWd-WrthGn6>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1PHqUYCE7m/>



Debussy Images Book I

<https://youtu.be/4yBZsogYi54>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1314y1p7qW/>



Mendelssohn Klaviertrio No.1 d-Moll Op.49

https://youtu.be/SJegh_eGZnA

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1KP4y137ug/>



Händel Violine Sonate No.4 D-Dur HWV 371

https://youtu.be/s0-3nHM3O_Q

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1ji4y1R788/>



**Saint Saeans Variationen über ein Thema von
Beethoven für zwei Klaviere Op.35**

<https://youtu.be/A5NRqbb4V98>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV18G4y147Wf/>



Mozart Klavier Duo D-Duo K488

<https://youtu.be/F-7QAQhQj1o>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1kM411x7ed/>



Beethoven Violine Sonate No.1 Op.12 D-Dur

<https://youtu.be/uAq0J6lygOQ>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1Gv4y127ym/>



Beethoven Sonate Op.14 No.1

https://youtu.be/wZdni1iGqr4?si=g3TpEoCsNf_1S0Uf

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1ankyYxE79/>



Bach Partita No.1

<https://youtu.be/Aqni5VurAkk>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1sM4y1d7EY/>



Chopin Etude Op.25 No.6

<https://youtu.be/45GRI-tIYgs>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1Bg4y1E7Zk/>



Luciao Berio -Brin

<https://youtu.be/5ev-zmkRn54>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1rL411S7SW/>



Chopin Etude Op.10 No.1

<https://youtu.be/PK51zJOdtqY>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1ng4y1J75Z/>



Professional Performance - AdvPgDip (post-Masters level 8)

Studium

Beethoven Klavier Sonate Op.109 No.30

<https://youtu.be>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1egAPeYE6a>



Beethoven Klavier Sonate Op.110 No.31

<https://youtu.be>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV18MAaeBEam/>



Liszt Klavier Sonate

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1j8VVz7Eu4/>



Beethoven Klavier Trio B-Dur Op.97

Erzherzog/Archduke

<https://youtu.be/EJdJPqr8A6E>

<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1erbxzHEfU/>

