



presents

Hitomi and Sabrina

in A Major

11.03.2017 7pm

St. Cuthbert Church, 50 Philbeach Gardens, Kensington, London SW5 9EB



www.wkmt.co.uk

Programme

Ludwig Van Beethoven (1770 – 1827)

Sonata for Violin and Piano op. 30 n. 1 in A major

Allegro

Adagio molto espressivo

Allegretto con variazioni

Hitomi Inujima Violin

Sabrina Curpanen Piano

Ludwig Van Beethoven (1770 – 1827)

Sonata for Violin and Piano op. 47 n. 9 in A major “Kreutzer Sonata”

Adagio sostenuto – Presto

Andante con variazioni

Presto

Hitomi Inujima Violin

Sabrina Curpanen Piano



Japanese violinist Hitomi Inujima entered the Toho Gakuen School of Music at the age of 15. In 2015 she started her MA degree with Prof. Richard Deakin at the Royal Academy of Music where she is kindly supported by the Howard Davis scholarship.

In 2010 she won the second prize at the 46th Tokyo International Association of Artists Audition. In 2012 she played Tchaikovsky's violin concerto with the Polish Silesian Philharmonic Orchestra. She was also a leader of the Toho Gakuen Orchestra at La Folle Journée music festival in Tokyo, and the Seiji Ozawa Orchestra Academy. She is also a member of Birmingham Royal Ballet Mentoring Scheme 2016-17.

As a versatile pianist, Sabrina Curpanen enjoys performing as a soloist and as an accompanist around Europe including, Margherita Theatre in Caltanissetta, Pirandello Theatre in Agrigento (Italy), Steinway Hall, Italian Institute of Culture in London, the Italian-Irish Festival in Bobbio (Italy) and Lake District (UK). Her wide repertoire includes works by J. S. Bach, W. A. Mozart, L. Van Beethoven, J. Brahms, R. Schumann, F. Chopin, R. Strauss, B. Martinů, C. Debussy, A. Copland, R. Muczynski. In 2011, she won the Second Prize at the National Competition in Viagrande (Catania) and in 2013 she was awarded the 1st Prize at the LPM International Competition for the Best Participants of the European Summer Masterclass.

Sabrina Curpanen completed her Undergraduate and Postgraduate Degrees in Piano Performance in 2005 and 2009 respectively at the Istituto Musicale "V. Bellini" in Caltanissetta, Sicily.

On summer 2016, Sabrina has successfully completed her MA in Piano Accompaniment with Distinction at the Royal Academy of Music.

