

# **Youn-Hee (Yuni) Bang Kim**

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## **EDUCATION**

### **Doctor of Musical Arts (D.M.A.) in Piano Performance**

Stony Brook University  
Studied with Gilbert Kalish and Christina Dahl  
Full Tuition Scholarship

### **Professional Studies Diploma**

Manhattan School of Music  
Studied with Philip Kawin  
MSM Scholarship

### **Master of Music (M.M.) in Piano Performance**

California State University, Fullerton  
Studied with Eduardo Delgado  
Alicia de Larrocha Scholarship

### **Bachelor of Music (B.M.) in Piano Performance**

Sungshin Women's University, Seoul, South Korea  
Studied with Young-joo Hong  
Sungshin Scholarship

### **Additional Study**

Mozarteum Summer Academy, Salzburg, Austria  
Studied with Alfons Kontarsky  
Certificate

## **ADDITIONAL TRAINING**

### **Chamber Music**

Emerson String Quartet, Stony Brook University

### **Master Classes**

Alicia de Larrocha; Garry Graffman; Louis Lortie; Ilana Vered; Natalia Troull; Seymour Bernstein; Oxana Yablonskaya; Enrique Graf; Igor Kipnis; Gilbert Kalish; Dina Yoffe; Norma

Fisher; Alberto Portugheis; Danielle Epstein; Olegna Fuschi; Edna Golandsky; David Dubal

### **Festivals**

Music Fest Perugia (2010, 2011)

Mozarteum International Summer Academy (1991)

International Keyboard Institute and Festival (2004)

New Paltz Summer Piano Festival (2005)

International Piano Symposium (2002)

Icicle Music Festival (2012)

Taubman Piano Festival (2012–2022)

## **TEACHING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE**

### **Adjunct Professor of Piano**

Montclair State University — John J. Cali School of Music

2012–Present

- Teach Applied Piano and Chamber Music
- Prepare students for departmental concerts and masterclasses

### **Acting Coordinator of Keyboard Studies**

Montclair State University — John J. Cali School of Music

Fall 2023

### **Adjunct Instructor**

Extension Division, John J. Cali School of Music, Montclair State University

2012–2022

- Taught private lessons
- Prepared students for studio recitals, auditions, and competitions

## **SELECTED PERFORMANCES**

### **Solo Recital**

Montclair Foundation Second Sunday Concert Series, Van Vleck House & Gardens, Montclair, NJ  
March 15, 2026 *Invited repeatedly by the Montclair Foundation since 2018 following a successful debut recital.*

- Celebratory recital marking the release of recordings featuring works by Nikolai Kapustin and Florence Price

### **Faculty Solo Recital**

Leshowitz Recital Hall, Montclair State University  
*Epic Narratives on the Piano: A Journey Through Ballades*  
Complete Ballades by Frédéric Chopin and Franz Liszt  
October 2, 2024

### **Solo Recital**

Montclair Foundation, Van Vleck House & Gardens, Montclair, NJ  
January 29, 2023

### **Faculty Lecture Recital**

“Undiscovered Hidden Gems: Florence Price”  
Leshowitz Recital Hall, Montclair State University  
October 8, 2022

- Focus on newly published works (2019–2020)

### **Faculty Solo Recital**

Leshowitz Recital Hall, Montclair State University  
February 2, 2020

- Program: Complete Frédéric Chopin Études, Op. 10; Robert Schumann Sonata in G minor, Op. 22; Jazz Suite for Piano by Mike Cornick

### **Guest Performance**

50th Anniversary Concert, Music Educators Association of New Jersey  
Drew University Concert Hall, Madison, NJ  
April 2020

### **Solo Recital**

Richter Association for the Arts, Danbury, CT  
2018

### **Faculty and Collaborative Performances**

Leshowitz Recital Hall, Montclair State University  
2014–2018

- Faculty Solo Recital (2016): Bach–Liszt Prelude and Fugue in A minor; Robert Schumann *Humoreske*, Op. 20; Isaac Albéniz *Iberia*, Book I
- Faculty Solo Recital (2014): Olivier Messiaen *Quatre Études de rythme*; Sergei Rachmaninoff Variations on a Theme by Corelli, Op. 42; Franz Schubert Sonata in B-flat Major, D. 960
- Faculty Piano Duo Recital (2017): Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart Sonata in C Major; Maurice Ravel *Mother Goose Suite*; Samuel Barber *Souvenirs*, Op. 28
- Faculty Chamber Concerts and Gala Performances (2017–2018)

- **Chamber Performance:** 20th Anniversary Albanian Culture TV Awards Night Symphony Space (2017)

## AWARDS AND HONORS

### International Competitions

- **First Prize and Best Performance Award:** Los Angeles International Liszt Competition, 2000
- **Third Prize:** Carmel International Piano Competition, 2001
- **Finalist:** Concurs Internacional de Piano d'Escaldes-Engordany, Spain, 2005
- **Semifinalist:** Virginia Waring International Piano Competition, 2003
- **Finalist:** Missouri Southern International Piano Competition, 2001
- **First Prize:** International Young Artist Peninsula Music Festival Competition, 2000

### Concerto and Performance Competitions

- **Two-Time Grand Prize:** California Music Associates Concerto/Aria Competition, 2002, 2000
- **Two-Time Grand Prize:** Keyboard Area Achievement Award, California State University, Fullerton, 2000–2003

### Scholarships and Honors (United States)

- **Pi Kappa Lambda National Music Honor Society,** Inducted 2003
- **Pi Kappa Lambda Scholarship,** 2000
- **International Piano Symposium Scholarship,** 2003
- **Mu Phi Epsilon Scholarship,** 2000

### Prizes in South Korea

- **First Prize:** National Student Music Competition, 1980
- **Prize Winner:** Samick Piano Competition, 1987