

Dr. MARIE-THAÏS LEVESQUE OLIVER

Violoncello

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EDUCATION

Cleveland Institute of Music Doctorate of Musical Arts Degree Major teacher: Desmond Hoebig and Richard Aaron	Cleveland, Ohio	2003-2006
Master of Music Degree Major teacher: Richard Aaron		2001-2003
Conservatoire de Musique de Montréal Undergraduate Degree Major teacher: Denis Brott	Montréal, Québec	1998-2001

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Private studio	Rockwall, TX	2009-present
Greenville ISD Suzuki cello teacher	Greenville, TX	2009-2010
Cleveland Heights High School Chamber music – cello coach	Cleveland Heights, Ohio	2006-2009
Cleveland Music Settlement Violoncello Instructor	Cleveland, Ohio	Spring 2006
Private studio	Cleveland, Ohio	2001-2009
Akron Youth Symphony String section coach	Akron, Ohio	2002-2009
Canton Youth Symphony	Canton, Ohio	2006-
2009 Low-string section coach		
Conservatoire de Musique de Rimouski Masterclass for the cello studio	Rimouski, Québec	Dec.20, 2005

ORCHESTRAL EXPERIENCE

Dallas Symphony Orchestra , substitute	Dallas, TX	2010-present
The Dallas Opera , substitute	Dallas, TX	2012-present
Akron Symphony , principal cello	Akron, Ohio	2002-2009
Canton Symphony , principal cello	Canton, Ohio	2006-2009
Cleveland Orchestra , substitute	Cleveland, Ohio	2006
Wheeling Symphony , substitute	Wheeling, West Virginia	2002-2009
Music in the Mountains Festival , section member	Durango, Colorado	2005-present
Tanglewood Music Center Orchestra , principal cello	Lenox, Massachusetts	2002
Music Academy of the West Orchestra , principal cello	Santa-Barbara, California	1998-2000
National Youth Orchestra of Canada , principal cello	National Tour	1997

SOLO RECITALS – CONCERTOS

October 28, 2008: Dvorak, Cello Concerto, Orchestre Symphonique de l'Estuaire	Rimouski, Québec
May 5, 2007: Strauss, <i>Don Quixote</i> , Akron Symphony	Akron, Ohio
November 20, 2005: DMA recital	Cleveland, Ohio
February 26, 2005: Tchaikovsky <i>Variations sur un thème Rococo</i> , and Beethoven Triple Concerto, Orchestre Symphonique de l'Estuaire	Rimouski, Québec
November 22, 2004 : Tchaikovsky <i>Variations sur un thème Rococo</i> , CIM orchestra	Cleveland, Ohio
November 1, 2004: DMA recital	Cleveland, Ohio
March 29, 2004: Faculty recital, Akron University	Akron, Ohio
February 13, 2004: DMA recital	Cleveland, Ohio
January 21, 2004: Faculty recital, CIM	Cleveland, Ohio
March 3, 2003: MM recital	Cleveland, Ohio
April 26, 2002: MM recital	Cleveland, Ohio
October 16, 2001: Recital for <i>Jeunes Artistes</i> series, broadcasted on CBC radio (Canada's National radio)	Montréal, Québec

CHAMBER MUSIC EXPERIENCE

Emerald Trio	Dallas, TX	2012-present
Cleveland Institute of Music Coachings with: Peter Salaff, Anita Pontremoli, The Cavani Quartet, Virginia Weckstrom, Allison Wells, Jeffrey Sharkey	Cleveland, Ohio	2001-present
Tanglewood Music Center Coachings with: The Juilliard Quartet, Norman Fischer, Bonnie Hampton	Lenox, Massachusetts	2002
New York String Seminar Coachings with: The Guarneri Quartet	New York, New York	1999
Music Academy of the West Coachings with: Peter Salaff, Denis Brott, Anne Epperson, Jerome Lowenthal, Warren Jones, Fred Orman	Santa-Barbara, California	1998-2000

FESTIVALS – AWARDS

Banff Center for the Arts	Banff, Alberta	2003
Tanglewood Music Center , Cello Fellow	Lenox, Massachusetts	2002
Piatigorsky Seminar for Cellists	Los Angeles, California	2001

Trois-Rivières Symphony Competition Winner 1st Prize, Jury's Prize, and CBC Prize	Trois-Rivières, Québec	2001
New York String Seminar	New York, New York	1999
Music Academy of the West	Santa-Barbara, California	1998-2000
National Youth Orchestra of Canada	National Tour	1997

MASTERCLASSES

Ralph Kirshbaum	Boris Pergamenshikov
Tsuyoshi Tsutsumi	Aldo Parisot
Shauna Rolston	Philippe Muller
Timothy Eddy	Roland Pidoux
Emerson Quartet	

REFERENCES

Chris Adkins, Principal Cello, Dallas Symphony Orchestra; tygaar@sbcglobal.net

Mitch Maxwell, Principal Cello, The Dallas Opera; mitchelldmaxwell@gmail.com

Richard Aaron, Cello Faculty, The Juilliard School, 60 Lincoln Center Plaza, New York, NY 10023; (212) 799-5000; aaroncello@mac.com

Desmond Hoebig, Former Principal Cello, Cleveland Orchestra, now faculty, Rice University Sheperd School of Music, 6100 Main St, Houston, TX 77005

Dr. Stephen E. Hefling, Professor of Music, Case Western Reserve University, Haydn Hall 312, 11118 Bellflower, Cleveland, Ohio 44106-7106; (216) 368-2411; stephen.hefling@case.edu