

Alexander Zyumbrovskiy, born in Ukraine into a family of cellists, graduated from Moscow Tchaikovsky State Conservatory where later he also got his Doctor of Music degree. In 1994 he moved to Italy. He has been awarded top prizes at many international competitions among which: "Palma d'Oro" in Finale Ligure, "Rovere d'Oro" in Imperia, "Viotti" in Vercelli, "Città di Pavia", "Città di Trapani" and "Orford Arts Center Competition" in Montréal (Canada). Former member of the "Russian National Symphony Orchestra" founded and conducted by Michail Pletnev, he has been principal cellist of the "United Europe Chamber Orchestra" and "Guido Cantelli" Orchestra since 1994. He has been member of the "Verona Arena Festival" Orchestra since 2008. He also collaborates with the Orchestra of "Teatro Alla Scala", the "Mahler Chamber Orchestra" and "Toscanini" Orchestra conducted by: Riccardo Muti, Daniel Barenboim, Georges Prêtre, Myung-Whun Chung, Gustavo Dudamel, Claudio Abbado, Daniel Harding, Lorin Maazel, Zubin Mehta among the others. He has performed both as soloist and as member of famous orchestras as the "Moscow Symphony", "I Musici de Montréal", the "Royal Philharmonic", ect. He has often been invited to play at many international music festivals and has recorded for "Chandos Record", "Melodiya", "Universal", "Decam" and Russian Radio labels.