Ekaterina Frolova

Born in St. Petersburg. Studied with Antonina Kazarina at the conservatory in her native city and with Michael Frischenschlager at Vienna's University of Music and Performing Arts. Master classes with Zakhar Bron, Igor Oistrakh, and others. Numerous awards, including at the Louis Spohr Competition in Weimar (1998), the Tchaikovsky Competition in Moscow (2002), the Fritz Kreisler Competition in Vienna (2010), and the Osaka International Music Competition (2012). Has performed with orchestras in Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Finland, Slovenia, Russia, and China. Regularly collaborates with the pianist Vesselin Stanev. Co-founded the Vienna Vision Trio, a piano trio. Member of the Vienna State Opera Orchestra since 2015 and, since 2018, of the Vienna Philharmonic. Ekaterina Frolova plays a violin built by Nicola Gagliano in 1755.