

# Emre Engin

## EDUCATION

**Stony Brook University Music Department, NY, USA — DMA**  
(*Doctor of Musical Arts*)

August 2018- completed the residency and thesis - graduating in **May 2021**

Doctoral research: "Depth, virtuosity, and idiomatic writing in music of Beethoven, Schubert, and Paganini"

Studied with **Hagai Shaham**, violin professor

**Manhattan School of Music, NYC, USA— MM**  
(*Pinchas Zukerman Performance Programme*)

August 2014 - May 2016

Studied with **Pinchas Zukerman** and **Patinka Kopec**

**Royal College of Music, London, UK - BMus**

September 2010 - July 2014

Studied with **Itzhak Rashkovsky**, **Laura Samuel** (BBC Phil. Concertmaster)

## Private Coachings

Studied with **Sheryl Staples** (NY Phil. A. Concertmaster),  
**Lisa Kim** (NY Phil. Second Violin Principal),

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**New Manhattan Sinfonietta, NYC, USA — Concertmaster**

November 2018-present

**Borusan Klasik Radio, Istanbul, Turkey — Programme Presenter**

August 2020-present

**National Arts Center Orchestra, Ottawa, Canada — Violinist at the Orchestra Academy**

January 2019-March 2019

**Stony Brook University, NY — Violin Instructor / Violin TA**

August 2019 - June 2020

Teaching violin students at UG level, preparing them for competitions and graduate school entrance auditions, and holding studio classes bi-weekly.

**Stony Brook University, NY — Music Theory Instructor/TA**

August 2018- May 2019

Teaching a class of thirty undergraduate students, helping them develop their knowledge of general music theory by preparing exercises and quizzes weekly.

**Yale School of Music, New Haven— Teaching Assistant**

August 2017 - May 2018

Leading the graduate violin studio class and teaching violin students at UG level from different departments such as physics and computer science.

**Notes by the Bay Music Festival, Cupertino— Violin Teacher, Assistant Director**

## AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS

**Best Emerging Young Artist,**  
Andante Classical Music Awards.

**Young Soloist of the Year,**  
International Istanbul Music Festival  
Violin Competition

**Yehudi Menuhin Award  
Scholarship,** Sudborough  
Foundation and Royal College of  
Music, London.

**President's Award,** Manhattan  
School of Music

**International Advisory Board  
Scholarship Award,**  
Manhattan School of Music.

**Grand Prize,** International  
Ilhan Ozsoy Violin Competition.

**Cihat Askin Prize,**  
CEV Foundation

**Aydin Gun Career Grant,**  
N.Eczacibasi Foundation

**Stephen & Denise Adams  
Fellowship,**  
Yale School of Music.

**Stuart Walker Scholarship  
and Award,**  
Yale School of Music.

**1st prize at Lillian Fuchs  
Chamber Music Competition,**  
Manhattan School of Music

## RELATED PROJECTS

- "A guide to different techniques in the major violin works" - Exercise book  
- Co-Founder of *Music in the Air*, an online platform for performance

## LANGUAGES

English, Turkish, German

## FESTIVALS AND PROGRAMS

August 2014 - July 2016

Leading large violin ensemble classes, giving one-on-one lessons, and incorporating poetry into their ensemble pieces for the gala concert. (Ages 7-15)

**Vergani Music School, London— *Violin Teacher***

August 2012 - May 2014

Teaching beginner violin students ages of 8-15, helping them gain a solid foundation of violin technique and musicianship.

**Ottawa National Arts Center Young Artist Programme, Ottawa, Canada**

**Crans Montana Violin Festival, Crans Montana, Switzerland**

**Institute for Orchestral Studies, National Arts Center Orchestra, Ottawa, Canada**

**Yunus Emre Institute Music Festival, Washington DC, USA**

**International Istanbul Music Festival, Istanbul, Turkey**

**Villa Sandra Chamber Music Festival, Milan, Italy**

**International Keshet Eilon Violin Festival, Tel Aviv, Israel**

**International New Virtuosi Violin Summer Programme, Duino, Italy**

**International Tunis Young Virtuosos Festival, Tunis, Tunisia**

**CAKA Violins of the World Festival, Istanbul, Turkey**