



## *Jovana Jelovac Stojanov,* *flute*

*Jovana was born in 1982 in Novi Sad, Serbia. She started playing the flute when she was eight years old in class of Professor Aleksandar Djuric.*

*Jovana received Bachelor's degree from Academy of Music – University of City Novi Sad, in the class of Professor Laura Levai Aksin, to then come to Stockholm in 2006 and take the Master's degree at the Royal College of Music where she studied for professor Tobias Carron (flute) and Eje Kaufeldt (piccolo flute).*

*Jovana also has a Music Pedagogy degree from Stockholm's Music Education Institute (SMI).*

*With flute in hand, Jovana has been a soloist with an orchestra and with various ensembles, been a chamber musician, an orchestral musician and performed completely solo, both in Serbia and in Sweden. As a freelance musician, Jovana has been active above all in Sweden, where she performed with the Swedish Radio Symphony Orchestra, the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, the Royal Swedish Opera, the Stockholms Wind Symphony orchestra and others.*

*In recent years, there has been more focus on the teaching profession. Jovana is a regular flute teacher at Nacka Music School in Stockholm, Sweden.*

*While studying in Serbia, she has received numerous awards and scholarships from the City of Novi Sad and the Ministry of Culture of Serbia for achievements in classical music. Jovana has also received 22 top prizes from various international and national competitions.*

*During her educational years has Jovana been an active participant in Masterclasses and appeared for the famous Hungarian flutist Janos Balint, flutist Aurelé Nicolet (Switzerland), Sophie Cherrier (France) and others.*