

Creative biography

of Nicole Samareva, born 28.09.2009

Nicole Samareva was born on 28 September 2009. She is 12 years old. She studies in National Musical School "Lubomir Pipkov" in Sofia, Bulgaria with harp teacher Ms. Kohar Andonyan. She's started playing harp since she was 5 years old. She chose to play harp, although her mother and father are not musical. She has participated in multiple concerts and master classes with:

prof.Suzanna Klincharova, Emanuela Degli Esposti, Viktor Hartobanu, Anna Loro, Rossitza Milevska, Josh Layne, Youliana Tochkova;

Opening concerts of Arpissima 2018 and 2019 in Sofia, Bulgaria

Four editions of the ISHA (International Summer Harp Academy) in Bulgaria with Maria Bildea, Rita Constanzi, Gabriella Garcia, Katerina Kitsou, Tomina Parvanova, Cagatay Akyol, Raoul Moretti, Lidia Stankulova, Ion-Ivan Roncea, Milena Stanisic and Denitsa Dimitrova

Her participation in various harp competitions is awarded with the following prizes:

"Grand Metropolitan International Music Competition 2022", Youth Category, Gold medal

"III International Harp Competition" Glowing Harp April 2021, Kharkiv, Ukraine, Diploma, 1st category

"IXth National Competition "Road to Glory" March 2021, 1st prize, 3rd group, cat. Strings instruments

"International Instrumental Competition "Golden Strings" 2021", virtual environment, Laureate 2nd degree, 3rd group 10-12 years and diploma for Honorable Presentation, February 2021

"OPUS Atris Paris ", Music Competition Online September 2020, Harp, 1st prize

"2nd International Competition for music performance Tryavna Art Festival 2020", Tryavna, Bulgaria, August 2020, harp, 2nd prize

"5th International Competition of Slovene Harp Association" Velenje, Slovenia, October 2019, Silver Plaque and Jury Award

"24th International Competition for young musicians Petar Konjovic", Serbia, May 2019,

3rd prize

“11th Competition for young performers of orchestral instruments Dobrin Petkov”
Plovdiv, Bulgaria, February 2019, 1st prize

“IX International Music Competition - Belgrade”, Serbia 2018, 2nd prize

“XII International Classical Music Competition for young performers”, Pernik, Bulgaria,
April 2017, 1st prize