

Chizu MIYAMOTO



Chizu Miyamoto was born in Nagano, Japan. She started to play the piano at the age of four with her mother, studied then at the Toho Gakuen High School of Music and the Toho Gakuen Tokyo with Prof. Kazuko Ariga, where she did her artist degree and music education degree.

Living in Vienna since 2001, she studied instrumental accompaniment and chamber music at the Conservatory of the city of Vienna with Dr. Johannes Kropfitsch and the Altenberg trio Wien. In 2005, she made her diploma examination with full honours.

Chizu Miyamoto played in various chamber music formations in several reputated music festivals such as Rachlin and friends in Dubrovnik, the Cello Biennale Amsterdam, the Sion Festival, the Estate Musicale Portogruaro in Italy, the Eilat Music Festival in Israel, the Nagano Aspen Music Festival in Japan, the Harriet and Friends Festival in Austria, the Bruckner Festival in Linz, the Richard Strauss Festival in Garmisch-Partenkirchen in Bavaria and the Kronberg Cello Akademie.

Since 2005, Chizu Miyamoto works at the Musik und Kunst Privatuniversität der Stadt Wien. Vienna as accompanist in the class of Prof. Pavel Vernikov (Violin). Her specialty is working with violinists. She was official accompanist of various international violin competitions like the Fritz Kreisler competition in Vienna, the Tibor Varga competition in Switzerland and the Johannes Brahms competition in Austria, and was accompanist in many music masterclasses in Europe and Japan.

In 2010, she received the special award for the best piano accompanist of David Oistrakh competition in Moscow.