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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Recital with the 24 Capricci by Niccolò Paganini

University of Denver, Hamilton Hall, Denver, CO
Mozart Italia-Mozarteum, Teatro Le Stuoie, Assisi, Italy
Circolo degli Ufficiali, Palazzo Barberini, Roma, Italy
Palazzo Pamphili, P.zza Navona, Roma, Italy
Atlantic Union College, Boston, MA
Bard College, New York, USA
Sala Eutherpe, Leòn, Spain
Symphonia Association, San Leone, Italy
Teatro Bibbiena, Mantova, Italy
Villa Invidia Ponti Sul Mincio, Italy
Teatro della Posta Vecchia, Agrigento, Italy (two performances)
Torre Civica, Medole, Lago di Garda, Italy
Corti Dell'Arte, Cava de' Tirreni, Salerno, Italy
Chiostrò di Sant' Alfonso, Roma, Italy
Comunità S. Cecilia, Roma, Italy
Broadway Music School, Denver, CO
Teatro Fusillo, Roma, Italy (two times)
Sala Medici di Montesacro, Roma, Italy (two performances)
Centro Giovanni XXIII, Frascati, Roma Italy
Biblioteca Comunale, Porto Empedocle, Italy
Istituto "S. Maria", Roma, Italy (two performances)
Biblioteca Elsa Morante Ostia Italy

Concerts as Soloist (over 500) see pag 4

Soloist with Orchestra

Newark Symphony Orchestra, Newark, DE
Future Orchestra New York
Orchestra Guido d'Arezzo Arezzo Italy (two performances)
Lamont Chamber Orchestra, Denver CO USA
Plovdiv Symphony Orchestra, Bulgaria (two performances)
Shumen Symphony Orchestra Bulgaria (two performances)
Orvieto Chamber Music, Orvieto Italy (two performances)
Art Music Orchestra, Rome Italy
I Cameristi di Sulmona, Rome Italy (four performances)
Sine Nomine Orchestra Catania Italy (two performances)
Pacini Symphony Orchestra, Catania Italy (two performances)
Conservatorio V. Bellini Orchestra Catania Italy (four performances)

Awards and Competitions

ILICA Award, NYC, Award for promoting the Italian Culture in the World
ARI, Premio Musica Roma, prize awarded for the best performance of the year, the
24 Capricci Paganini's at Circolo degli Ufficiali, Palazzo Barberini, Rome Italy
Le Arti, prize awarded for being the first Italian woman to play 24 Paganini's
Capricci, from Centro Italiano Arte e Cultura in Campidoglio, Rome Italy
Athànòr, prize in music given by the Regione Abruzzo, Italy for superior technical
and expressive interpretation.
Diamante della Musica, a cultural award as a superior teacher, Rome Italy.
Sikelè, award from Associazione Italiana Cultura honoring Italian musicians.
Ass.Cult. Etruria Classica first prize, competition "Riviera Etrusca" Piombino Italy
Telamone, from Centro Programmazione Azione Sociale, honoring musical merit,
Agrigento Italy
Chorus Line Club first prize, competition "Hyperion" Ciampino, Roma Italy
Amici della Musica "Pietro Floridia", second prize, competition *Città di Modica*
Italy
AMA second prize, competition Calabria Italy (twice)

Education and Training

Degrees:

University of Denver, Denver CO Artist Diploma
Accademia Musicale Chigiana, Siena Italy, Chamber Music
Conservatorio S. Cecilia Rome Italy, Chamber Music (2 year program)
Conservatorio di Musica A. Corelli Messina Italy violin performance
(10 year program, 5+3+2),

Violin and Chamber Music Workshops:

Arts Accademy, Rome Italy
Scuola di Perfezionamento di Portogruaro, Italy
Seminario d'Inverno, Siracusa, Italy
Associazione Amici delle Arti, Lucca Italy
Associazione Felice Romani Badia Prataglia, Arezzo Italy
Associazione Felice Romani Moneglia Genova, Italy
Associazione Spazio Musica Tarvisio Italy
Art Music Cervara Roma Italy
Bassiano Musical Festival Bassiano Italy
Art Music Pomezia Italy

Radio, Televised Appearances and Interviews

KVOD Colorado Classical Radio, featured an interview, in recognition of the
execution of the complete 24 N.Paganini's in Denver CO

Rai Due “*Cultura e Società*” National Italian Television station featured an interview, in recognition of the execution of the complete 24 N.Paganini’s Capricci, *Palazzo Barberini*, Rome Italy

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Rai Tre “*TG3*” National Italian Television station featured an interview in recognition of the performance of the complete 24 N.Paganini’s Capricci, *Teatro della Posta Vecchia*, Agrigento Italy

Rai 3 Radio National Italian Radio (twice) featured an interview in recognition of the performance of the complete 24 N.Paganini’s Capricci, *Teatro della Posta Vecchia*, Agrigento Italy

Tele Arezzo Regional Tuscany Television featuring the concert of *Four Seasons* by A. Vivaldi Associazione G.d’Arezzo, Arezzo Italy

KGNU Radio Denver interview and CDs music performances, Denver CO

Shumen National Radio National Bulgaria Radio featured an interview for a concert as soloist with The Symphonic Orchestra of Shumen Bulgaria

TVA Regional Television featured an interview, in recognition of the execution of the complete 24 N.Paganini’s Capricci, *Palazzo Barberini*, Rome Italy

Tele Pace Satellite National Italian Television station broadcasted worldwide two concerts as soloist with orchestra

Rai Tre *Tg3* National Italian Television station featured an interview in recognition of the performance of the complete 24 N.Paganini’s Capricci, *Le Corti dell’Arte Cava dei Tirreni*, Salerno Italy

Shumen National Radio National Bulgaria Radio featured an interview for a concert as soloist with orchestra

Tele Orvieto Regional Umbria Television station broadcasted a concert as soloist with orchestra, *Palazzo dei Sette*, Orvieto Italy

Rai Uno National Italian Television station featured a segment of a concert the *Ministero della Solidarietà Sociale*, Palazzo Venezia, Rome Italy

Teleacras *30 Minuti di Valori* Regional Sicilian Television broadcasted 30 minutes to the Italian violinist Agrigento Italy.

Newspaper’ Reviews

Spain National Newspapers featured for the Paganini’s 24 Capricci El Pais, El Diario de Leon, El Mundo

Concert 24 Capricci N.Paganini, Sicily Il Giornale di Sicilia

Concert 24 Capricci N.Paganini by International Stiftung Mozarteum Salzburg-Mozart Italia Assisi. Il Giornale, Umbriajournal, Il Gazzettino Online, Mediterraneo, La Repubblica

Concert, Santuario S.Calogero Agrigento Il Giornale di Sicilia

Concert, Salotto Jannuzzo, Rome Italy Agrigentini a Roma e Ovunque

Concert 24 Capricci, Biblioteca Elsa Morante Ostia Italy Il Messaggero, Ostia Oggi, Corriere della Sera, Il Giornale dei Poeti

Concert 24 Capricci N.Paganini, Castello Chiaramontano Racalmuto Italy Dimensione Donna

Concert, S.Spirito Agrigento Italy Il Giornale di Sicilia

Lawyers National Association, Colleverde Hotel, Agrigento La Sicilia

Concert Teatro L.Pirandello Agrigento, L’Amico del Popolo

Concert, Sala Nervi Citta` del Vaticano Italy Il Mondo della Musica
Concert, Palaparioli Rome Il Corriere della Sera (twice)
Concert, Palaparioli Rome Il Messaggero, Trova Roma
Concert *II Festival Musical European de la Jeunesse Conservatoire de Strasbourg*
France Dernieres Nouvelles du Lundi`
Others: Denver Post, Baltimore Sun, America Oggi, Il Mattino

Teaching Experience - Master Class

The Music school of Delaware, Wilmington, DE
Conservatorio di Musica "G. P. Palestrina", University of Cagliari Italy
Maryland Academy of Music, Columbia, MD
Atlantic Union College, Lancaster MA
Broadway Music school, Denver CO
Peorie Middle School, Denver CO
Arnaldo Angelucci Middle School Subiaco Roma
Terranova Bracciolini Arezzo Italy
Amici delle Arti Porcari Lucca Italy (two summers)
Sinfonia d'Estate, Provincia e Comune di Agrigento Italy (two summers)
Istituto Musicale "M.Lizzi" Agrigento (four years) Italy

Concerts as Soloist (over 500)

Among the most important organizations:

Italian Consulate of Baltimore - Bard College, New York - Teatro Euterpe,
Leon Spain - Sala Artemix, Madrid Spain - University of Denver CO -Atlantaic
Union College, Boston MA - Auditorium Paolo V Città del Vaticano Italy
(three)-Aula Magna Univ. La Sapienza Roma Italy (two)-Teatro dell'Aula
Magna, Roma Italy - Pirandello Theatre, Agrigento Italy (eight performances) -
Zeus Hall, Agrigento Italy (two)- Palazzo Barberini, Roma Italy - Teatro
Bibbiena, Mantova Italy- Filarmonia Hall, Shumen, Bulgaria (two) - Teatro "E.
Fusillo", Roma Italy (24)- Palazzo Panphili , P.zza Navona, Roma Italy (seven)
Cattedrale Notre Dame, Strasbourg France (three)- Conservatorio Strasburgo
France-Comune di Wisches France- P.zzale Medievale Zix, Strasburgo France
Conservatorio di Musica S.Cecilia, Roma Italy (seven)- Palazzo dei Sette,
Orvieto Italy (five)-Palazzo Venezia, Roma Italy-Palazzo Manzi, Lucca Italy -
Palazzo Panphili, P.zza Navona, Roma Italy (seven)-S. Giovanni Battista dei
Celestini, Bologna Italy-Teatro "Arturo Toscanini", Roma Italy (seven)-Centro
Pro Unione, Roma Italy (nine) Monastero di S. Spirito, Agrigento Italy (three)-
Sala grande Ass. Medici di Montesacro, Roma Italy (36)-Palaparioli Roma
Italy-Auditorium "M. Pagano", Campobasso Italy-Biblioteca del Vaticano,
Roma Italy (18)-Teatro "Vincenzo Bellini", Catania Italy (three)-Sala Nervi
Vaticano, Rome Italy - Oratorio Salesiano, San Cataldo (CL), Italy - Teatro
Comunale, Mazzarino (CL) Italy (two)-Teatro "Bauffremont", Caltanissetta
Italy Auditorium "Don Bosco", Canicatti Italy-Colleverde Park Hotel,
Agrigento Italy (three)-Teatro Salesiani, Riesi (CL) Italy-Aula Magna
"Falcone", Palermo Italy-Aula Magna "Scinà", Palermo Italy-Auditorium dell'

Istituto Musicale, Caltanissetta Italy (eight)-**Due Fontane**, Caltanissetta Italy-**Chiesa di San Biagio** Gela, Caltanissetta Italy-**Salone Suore Domenicane** Campofranco Caltanissetta Italy-**Auditorium Centro Sociale**, Montedoro, Caltanissetta Italy-**Chiesa del Carmelo**, Mazzarino, Caltanissetta Italy (two)-**Biblioteca “Saja”**, Roma Italy (two)-**Chiesa San Biagio**, Catania Italy (two)-**Chiesa S. Francesco**, Catania Italy-**Sheraton Hotel**, Catania Italy - **Cappella dell’ Istituto**, Catania Italy (two)-**Inst. Don Orione**, Florida, Siracusa Italy (four)-**Auditorium A. Castello** Solarino, Siracusa Italy (four)-**Auditorium Kandiski**, Palermo Italy-**Locali U.C.I.**, Agrigento Italy-**Piazza Purgatorio**, Agrigento Italy (three)-**Aula Magna dell’Ist.** Agrigento Italy (two)-**Aula Magna Ist. Vetralla**, Viterbo Italy-**Aula Magna della S.M.S. “A.Mendola”** Favara Italy-**Aula Magna della S.M.S. Don Gilani**, Palma di Montechiaro, Agrigento Italy-**Aula Magna della S.M.S. S.Quasimodo**, Agrigento Italy-**Hotel Colleverde**, Agrigento Italy (two)-**Hotel della Valle**, Agrigento Italy (two)-**Chiesa S. Ignazio**, Roma Italy (three)-**Domus Pacis** Roma Italy (seven)-**Cons. della SS Concezione**, Roma Italy (four)-**S.M.S. G. Garibaldi**, Agrigento Italy (two)-**S.M.S. A. Castagnolo**, Agrigento Italy (four)-**Palazzo dei Milanieri**, Modica Italy (two)--**Teatro dell’Ist. Vetralla** Viterbo Italy **Palazzo degli Scolopi**, Palma di Montechiaro Agrigento Italy (two)-**Circolo Progresso**, Naro Agrigento Italy-**Palazzo Comunale**, Bugio Agrigento Italy-**Basilica di S. Sabina**, Roma Italy (two)-**Teatro “Casa del Redentore”**, Roma Italy (two)-**Monastero di S.Spirito** Agrigento Italy (six)-**Santuario di S. Calogero** Agrigento Italy (four)-**Santuario della Madonna del Monte**, Racalmuto Italy-**Istituto Piccole Sorelle**, Marino Italy (two)-**La Sapienza Aula “Ep. Amaldi”** Roma Italy-**Duomo Antico** , Naro Agrigento Italy-**Casal dei Lupi** Maenza, Frosinone Italy-**Cappella Chiaramontana**, Agrigento Italy (two)-**Ex Seminario**, Favara, Italy (five) **Atrio del Teatro “L.Pirandello”**, Agrigento Italy (four)-**Biblioteca “Elsa Morante”**, Ostia, Roma Italy-**Auditorium “E. Majorana”**, Roma Italy (12)-**Sala “Baldini”**, Roma Italy (four)-**Jolly Hotel**, Agrigento Italy (two)-**Atrio Chiesa S Leone** Agrigento Italy (seven)-**Conservatorio . SS Concezione** Roma Italy (four)-**Sala dei Medici di Montesacro**, Roma Italy (18)-**Istituto dell’Assunzione** Roma Italy-**Sala del Pianoforte** Campaegli Roma Italy (six)-**Castello Chiaramontano** Racalmuto Agrigento Italy (two)-**Akrabello Hotel** Agrigento Italy (two)-**Salotto Jannuzzo**, Roma Italy (16)-**Comunità di Santa Cecilia**, Roma Italy (nine)-**Auditorium “Don ilani”**, Paternò Catania Italy (seven)-**Chiesa S. Barbara** Paternò Catania Italy (two)-**Chiesa ex Monastero**, Paternò Catania Italy (two)-**Janes United Methodist Church**, Rising Sun MD (four), **Simpson United Methodist Church**, Denver CO - **Most Precious Blood Church**, Denver CO