

Julia Castellanos, Violin

Education

2022	Centro Superior de Música del País Vasco (MUSIKENE), Donostia, Spain Masters in Orchestral Studies
2016	Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado (USA) Master of Music
2009	University of New Hampshire, Durham, New Hampshire (USA) Bachelor of Music

Primary Teachers

Liana Gourdjia
Keng Yuen Tseng
Pamela Hentges

Orchestral Experience

2022-present	Orchestra of Saint John's, Oxford/London, United Kingdom
2021-present	Basque National Orchestra, Donostia, Spain (<i>substitute violin</i>)
2021-2022	Bilbao Orkestra Sinfonikoa, Bilbao, Spain (<i>apprentice</i>)
2017-2020	Freelance Violinist in the Greater New York City Area Washington Heights Chamber Orchestra, New York, NY Symphony Orchestra of the Bronx, New York, NY Refugee Orchestra Project, New York, NY Hudson Valley Philharmonic, Poughkeepsie, NY Bay Atlantic Symphony Orchestra, Atlantic City NJ Garden State Philharmonic, Toms River, NJ New Jersey Festival Orchestra, Westfield, NJ
2015-2017	Fort Collins Symphony Orchestra, Fort Collins, CO (<i>member</i>)
2015-2017	Opera Fort Collins, Fort Collins, Colorado (<i>member</i>)
2015-2017	Greeley Philharmonic Orchestra, Greeley, Colorado (<i>member</i>)
2015-2017	Cheyenne Symphony Orchestra, Cheyenne, Wyoming (<i>member</i>)

Music Festivals

Summer 2020	Britten Pears Young Artist Program Orchestra Course, Suffolk, UK*
Summer 2019	Round Top Festival, Round Top, Texas, USA (<i>first cycle concertmaster</i>)
Summer 2017	National Repertory Orchestra, Breckenridge, Colorado, USA

*accepted - course cancelled due to Covid 19

Chamber Music

2017-2020	Con Vivo Music, Jersey City, NJ
2014-2017	Fort Collins Chamber Music Society, Fort Collins, CO
2013-2016	Graduate String Quartet "Pluto", Fort Collins, CO
2010-2013	Hill Chamber Music, Baltimore, MD

Teaching

2020-present	Cowley Violin Studio, Oxford, UK Teacher and Owner
2017-present	New Jersey Symphony Orchestra (El Sistema USA), Newark, NJ Teaching Artist
2019-2020	Paterson Music Project (El Sistema USA), Paterson, NJ Violin and Music Theory Teaching Artist
2018-2020	Fort Lee School of Music, Fort Lee, NJ Private Violin Instructor
2019-2020	Stevens Cooperative School, Newport and Hoboken, NJ String Ensemble Instructor
2016-2017	Hourglass Music School, Fort Collins, CO Private Violin Instructor
2013-2016	Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO Graduate Teaching Assistant
2011-2013	Baltimore Talent Education Center (El Sistema USA), Baltimore, MD Teaching Artist
2009-2012	Baltimore Youth Orchestra Bridges (El Sistema USA), Baltimore, MD Teaching Artist
2009-2019	Southern Maine String Academy, Raymond, ME Summer Violin Faculty

Teaching Certifications

2021	Suzuki Method Level 1 Certification British Suzuki Music Association, Birmingham, UK
2023	Suzuki Method Level 2 Certification (BSMA)