

Stefan Knapik

Class of 2000, Music (cello)



Stefan Knapik studied the cello with Kathryn Rhian Price at the Welsh College of Music and Drama, and with John Walz at the prestigious Idyllwild Arts Academy in California, before returning to more familiar shores to complete his Bachelors and Masters in Musicology at King's College, London. While at King's Stefan studied the cello with David Smith and Lionel Handy at the Royal Academy of Music, where he also gained the Academy's license (L(RAM)) to teach the cello. Stefan is currently undertaking doctoral research at Magdalen College, Oxford, and his thesis focuses on the beliefs and ideas of string players ca. 1870 - 1950.