

STRAHINJA DJOKIC, bass

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EDUCATION

Strahinja started taking piano lessons when he was nine years old. When he was only nineteen, he was acknowledged as a piano accompanist in the Serbian National Theater. He took his first singing lessons very early, at the age of sixteen. In the year 2014 he made his debut as *Il Carceriere* in Puccini's *Tosca* both in the National Theater (Belgrade, 20th of April) and Serbian National Theater (Novi Sad, October)

- 2019. Academy for belcanto *Rodolfo Celetti* - Foundation *Paolo Grassi* (Martina Franca, Italy)
- 2016 - 2018. *Corso di tecnica vocale e interpretazione*, Institut *Vecchi-Tonelli* (Modena, Italy), Meastra Raina Kabaivanska
- 2015 - 2017. Piano, Academy of Arts (Novi Sad, Serbia), class prof. Biljana Gorunovic, *Maser studies*
- 2013 - 2015. Opera Studio, National Theater (Belgrade, Serbia)
- 2010 - 2015. Piano, Academy of Arts (Novi Sad, Serbia), class prof. Biljana Gorunovic, *Beachelor*
- 2010 - 2014. Solo singing, high school, class prof. Senka Nedeljkovic
- 2006 - 2010. Piano, high school, class prof. Dragana Popov Maric

COURSES / MASTER CLASSES

- 2018. Master class with Friedemann [Röhlig](#), *Rheinsberg (Germany)*
- 2017. Master class with Kálmándi Mihály, *Novi Sad (Serbia)*
- 2017. XVII-th International Master class of Raina Kabaivanska, *Sofia (Bulgaria)*
- 2016. XVI-th International Master class of Raina Kabaivanska, *Sofia (Bulgaria)*
- 2015. Internationalem Opernkurs auf Burg Beeskow, Snezana Nena Brzakovic / Ks. Prof. Peter Maus, *Beeskow (Germany)*
- 2014. Master class with Marcello Bedoni, *Zrenjanin (Serbia)*
- 2013. Master class with [Шахимардан Абилов](#), *Novi Sad (Serbia)*

COMPETITIONS / AWARDS

- 2018. I prize, *Лазар Јовановић*, Belgrade (*Serbia*)
- 2015. Public award at Liederaben, Burg Beeskow (*Germany*)
- 2014. II prize, *Петар Коњовић*, Belgrade (*Serbia*)
- 2014. Winner of competition *Славянские встречи*, Балашиха (*Russia*)
- 2013. Winner of National singing competition for young singers, Belgrade (*Serbia*)
- 2012. I prize, *Лазар Јовановић*, Belgrade (*Serbia*)
- 2011. Winner of National singing competition for young singers, Belgrade (*Serbia*)
- 2010. I prize, *Лазар Јовановић*, Belgrade (*Serbia*)
- 2009. I prize, *Јосиф Маринковић*, Belgrade (*Serbia*)

SCOLARSHIPS

Fond Raina Kabaivanska, within the *New Bulgarian University*, one year scholarship for *Corso di tecnica vocale e interpretazione* at Institut *Vecchi-Tonelli* for years 2016/17. and 2017/18.
Fond *Доситеја* for awards and competitions in years 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013. and 2014.
Fond *Меланија Бугариновић и ћерка Мирјана Калиновић-Калин*, scholarship for advance of vocal technique for years 2010/11, 2011/12. and 2013/14.

LANGUAGES

Serbian: *native language*, English: *intermediate* (speaking, reading, writing), Italian: *elementary* (speaking, reading, writing)