



EDANA HIGHAM

Edana Higham, originally from Sackville, New Brunswick, is an Ottawa based pianist in demand as an instructor and collaborative artist. She holds both a Bachelor and Master of Music degrees in piano performance from the University of Ottawa. Edana is an active member in the Ottawa music teaching community: she teaches at Lycée Claudel, École élémentaire catholique au coeur d'Ottawa and maintains a private studio of both French and English speaking students. This past November, she was an artist in residence at the Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity with generous support from the City of Ottawa and the Ontario Artists Fund. This summer, SHHH!! Ensemble, Edana's piano and percussion duo will be artists in residence at the Destelheide Hanenbos in Belgium, where they will promote Canadian new music that they have commissioned. SHHH!! Meanwhile ensemble is looking forward to premiering, a work newly composed expressly for the duo by renowned composer John Beckwith.