



ALICIA MIGUELEZ

Currently a student of classical concert harpist Caroline Léonardelli, Alicia Miguelez began her harp studies at the tender age of five. A regular competitor at the Ottawa Kiwanis Music Festival since the age of six, Alicia has been awarded the Marion Dempsey Memorial Trophy for Best Musicianship in harp (2017, 2018 and 2019) as well scholarships from Ottawa's Musical Arts Club (2015, 2017, 2018 and 2019). In 2018, she participated in the Ontario Music Festivals Association's provincial harp competition, placing first in her division. That same year she won the junior division of the Ottawa Chamberfest Rising Stars Competition for which she was also awarded a scholarship. After performing as the featured Young Artist at the Music and Beyond Festival the previous summer, she placed first in both the Niveau Diplôme de fin d'études and Niveau supérieur divisions of the Concours Français de la Harpe in Limoges, France in early 2020. Alicia is currently in grade 10 at De La Salle where she is enrolled in the Strings Program.