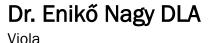
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## **BIOGRAPY - DISCOGRAPHY**

#### **Career Path**

- Between 1985 and 1990, she studied at the Liszt Ferenc Academy of Music in Budapest, majoring in viola under the guidance of László Bársony and György Konrád.
- • She earned her DLA (Doctor of Liberal Arts) degree in 2012.
- She completed her habilitation at the Faculty of Arts, University of Pécs.

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## **Masterclasses with**

- Sándor Végh,
- Albert Simon,
- György Kurtág,
- Simon Standage,
- Zoltán Tóth.

#### **Teaching Experience:**

- 1989–1992: Bartók Béla Secondary School of Music,
- 1999–2004: Continuo Foundation Secondary School of Music,
- 2001–2003: Teacher at the Liszt Ferenc Academy of Music, Budapest,

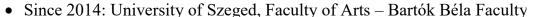
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## Throughout her career, she has performed in the following ensembles and o

- 1987–1993: Budapest Festival Orchestra,
- 1988–1992: Camerata Academica Salzburg (Artistic Director: Sándor V
- 1992–1997: Danubius String Quartet,
- From 1996: Nicolaus Esterházy Sinfonia (Naxos) Principal Viola,
- From 1997: Camerata Transsylvanica Budapest Chamber Orchestra Principal and Solo Viola,
- From 1998: Camerata Budapest String Quartet,
- Louis Spohr Sinfonietta (Austria) Solo Viola,
- 2002: Hungarian State Opera Failoni Chamber Orchestra Principal Viola,
- 2005–2007: Budafok Dohnányi Ernő Symphony Orchestra Principal Viola,
- From 2007: Liszt-Wagner Symphony Orchestra, Budapest (Jurij Simonov) Principal Viola,
- 2013: MR String Quartet.

# She is a devoted advocate of Hungarian contemporary and 20th-century music, having premiered works by:

- Sándor Balassa,
- Miklós Kocsár,
- Péter Tóth,
- Gyula Bánkövi,
- Viktor Togobickij,
- György Orbán,
- János Vajda,
- Iván Madarász,
- Erzsébet Szőnyi,
- Tibor Szemző,
- Attila Gallai,
- György Kurtág,
- András Mihály,
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- András Soós,
- Gyula Dávid,
- and numerous other compositions, including all six string quartets by Bartók Béla.

