

HYEWON GRILLET-KIM

Hyewon has been a member of the CMA since 2013, when she joined the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra as a violinist. After receiving a number of recognitions and awards both in solo and chamber categories from various music competitions including the Canadian Music Competition and the FCMF National Music Festival under the tutelage of Heilwig von Königslöw, she continued her studies at the San Francisco Conservatory of Music where she earned a bachelor's degree in violin performance and was chosen to be the recipient of the string department award during her third and final year. She then studied

with Jorja Fleezanis, former concertmaster of Minnesota Orchestra, and pursued a master's degree with the artistic excellence fellowship at the University of Minnesota. Hyewon also holds a performer diploma and a Doctor of Music degree with a minor in early music history from Indiana University where she led a studio of more than 10 collegiate students each semester as an associate instructor until she moved to Calgary. Her activities as a freelance musician have included performing in numerous orchestras, busking at train stations, playing at weddings and events for a total of hundreds of hours, teaching students ages 4 to over 50, and giving solo and chamber recitals. A proud mother of two children, Louis and Alma, Hyewon enjoys reading and visiting art museums. She is honoured to have the opportunity to work for all members of the CMA and hopes to help strengthen the community.