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## CONCERTO

Duo pianistico Jerzy TOSIK-WARSZAWIAK Monika WILIŃSKA-TARCHOLIK

8 maggio 2017



Auditorium Shigeru Ban del Conservatorio, ore 18.30

**Jerzy Tosik - Warszawiak**, born in 1953 in Krakow, studied piano with Prof. Ludwik Stefański at the Academy of Music in Krakow, from which he graduated with honours.

A pianist and teacher, titular professor, head of the Chair of Chamber Music of the Academy of Music in Krakow, and professor at the Faculty of Music of the Rzeszów University.

He was the winner of the 2nd *Polish National Piano Competition* in Warsaw in 1974. In 1977, he started working at the Academy of Music in Krakow: in 1982 he received the title of assistant professor, and in 1995 - of associate professor. In the years 1992-2002, the pianist lived in Iceland, and also performed extensively. He conducted the Songbraedur men's choir for eight years, with which he gave almost 100 concerts



and recorded a CD. His performance activity has taken him all over Poland, as well as to many countries in the world. He participated in very many Festivals: the *Polish Piano Music Festival* in Słupsk, the *Music in Old Cracow Festival*, the *European Music Festival* in Berlin, the *Shenandoah Arts Festival* in Winchester, USA, the Music Festival in Belo Horizonte, Brazil, the *Brahms Festival* in Oldenburg, Germany, the *Wawel Royal Castle at Dusk Festival*, the *Witold Lutosławski Festival* and others. In the years 2002-2003, the pianist performed with the violinist Nigel Kennedy. From 1986 until 1998, he was a member of the *Berliner Klavier Trio* and, since 1996, a pianist of the *Trio Cracovia*, with whom he recorded five albums. The CD with Arensky's and Dvořák's trios was nominated for the *Polish Academy of Phonography Award* "Fryderyk". Jerzy Tosik-Warszawiak has led masterclasses in Poland, Germany, Iceland, Canada, Italy, the USA and Brazil. He has recorded for the Polish Radio and Television, and for Dutch and Icelandic radio stations.

Monika Wilińska - Tarcholik studied in Cracow with Professor T. Żmudziński and E.

Wolak - Moszyńska. She continued her studies at mastercourses with R. Buchbinder and A. Torger. In 1993 she won the *Jeunesse Musicales Competition* in Weikersheim (Germany) and was awarded the special price at the *Chamber Music Competition* in Zakopane, Poland.

During her career, Monika Wilińska - Tarcholik has performed in Poland, Germany, France, Romania and Moldova with J. Gadulanka, G. Deplus, Ph. Cuper, M. Niedermayer, B. Bryła, P. Reichert, J. Reuling, T. Strahl and many others.

She has recorded for Dux, KASP Records and PWM.

Monika Wilińska - Tarcholik is a teacher at the Cracow Academy of Music at the Faculty of Chamber Music and she has been holding master classes in Przemyśl.

## **PROGRAMMA**

E. Grieg Suite n.1 dal "Peer Gynt" op. 46

M. Moszkowsky Danze polacche op. 55

J. Brahms Danze ungheresi n.1,2,3,5,7

R. Compton Tema con variazioni