

Carolyn Farnand - Viola

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Orchestral Positions Held

Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra , assistant principal viola	2026-27
Symphony Nova Scotia , principal viola	2024-26
Symphony Nova Scotia , assistant principal viola	2024
Symphony Nova Scotia , section viola	2023-24

Substitute/Extra

Montreal Symphony Orchestra	2025-
National Arts Centre Orchestra	2023-
Nu Deco Ensemble	2021-23
Canadian Opera Company	2019-

Education

New World Symphony , Miami Beach Viola Fellow	2021-23
Juilliard School of Music , New York City Master's of Music	2019-21
Glenn Gould School , Royal Conservatory of Music, Toronto, ON Artist Diploma in Viola	2017-29
University of Toronto , Toronto, ON Bachelor of Music in Viola Performance	2013-19

Festivals

Bermuda Chamber Music Festival , artist	2025
Bathurst Chamber Music , artist	2024
Music and Beyond , artist	2023-25
The Glenn Douglas Chamber Music Festival , artist	2022
Lucerne Festival Contemporary Orchestra , fellow	2022
Aspen Music Festival and School , fellow	2021
Schleswig Holstein Festival Orchestra , fellow	2018

Principal Teachers

Carol Rodland , Juilliard School of Music	2020-21
Toby Appel , Juilliard School of Music	2019-20
Steven Dann , Glenn Gould School	2017-19
Teng Li , University of Toronto	2016-17
Eric Nowlin , University of Toronto	2013-16

Awards

Women for Music Award for Professional Development , Nova Scotia	2024, 25, 26
The NAC Orchestra Vic Pomer Award , The NAC Orchestra Bursary Competition	2021
Sir Edmund Walker Scholarship , Glenn Gould School	2019-21
Temerty Orchestral Fellowship , Glenn Gould School	2017-19
Air Canada Award , National Youth Orchestra of Canada	2016