

Alexandra Townsend

Piano



Dr. Alexandra Townsend holds a Bachelor of Music from McGill University, a Master of Music from the New England Conservatory, Boston, and a Doctorate of Musical Arts from the University of British Columbia. Her principal teachers include internationally-known pianists such as Patricia Zander (NEC), Robert Silverman and Jane Coop (UBC), as well as Christopher Elton with whom she studied privately for a year at the Royal Academy of Music whilst living in London, England.

Dr. Townsend has performed extensively in Canada, the U.S.A. and the U.K. as both a soloist and chamber musician. She has been active as a festival adjudicator, clinician and lecturer, leading a variety of workshops and master classes. She also developed and taught a course on piano pedagogy for McGill University.

Currently, Dr. Townsend teaches privately and at the McGill Conservatory of Music and is a member of the Quebec Registered Music Teachers' Association.