ERIKA MILLERE

ERIKA MILLERE is a pianist and accompanist. She graduated Jazeps Vitols Latvian Academy of Music with the bachelor's degree as a solo pianist and 2014 with master's degree in piano accompaniment. Since 2010 Erika is a rehearsal pianist, repetiteur at Latvian Nacional Opera and ballet theather.

2010 - 2014 worked with vocal teacher Anita Garanča. She has supplemented her studies with Walter Moore (USA), Philip Moll (Germany), A. Bondurjansky (Ukraine) and A. Novosovska (Poland) in chamber music and accompaniment.

Best accompanist diploma in the IX and X *Internacional Claudia Taev Competition for young singers* 2015, 2017, Pärnu. Best accompanist diploma in IV *International Jazeps Vitols Singing competition* 2015, Riga.

In 2022, together with baritone Rihards Millers, Nominee of the Great Music Award in Latvia, "for outstanding interpretation" of vocal song cycle "Winterreise" by F. Schubert.

E. Millere actively performs chamber music recitals and concerts with opera soloists and makes recordings for the *Radio 3 Klasika* funds.

Since 2024 Erika is the senior rehearsal pianist at the Latvian Nacional opera and ballet theatre.