



Bruce Liu

Pianist – 2026/27

Five years on since being awarded the First Prize at the 18th International Chopin Piano Competition, Bruce Liu has found a distinctive artistic voice that captures audiences with his trademark spontaneity, vivid imagination and a mastery of the piano that showcases technical brilliance alongside subtle and poetic changes of colours. In May 2026 the Pianist Magazine named Liu one of the '10 legendary pianists with the most beautiful cantabile tone'.

High in demand across the globe, Liu performs with many of the world's finest ensembles including the London Symphony Orchestra, Boston Symphony Orchestra, Chicago Symphony Orchestra, Staatskapelle Dresden, Wiener Symphoniker and Orchestre National de France, with conductors including Daniele Gatti, Manfred Honeck, Paavo Järvi, Petr Popelka, Santtu-Matias Rouvali, Lahav Shani, and Dalia Stasevska.

The 2026/27 season sees Liu undertake several major international tours, including appearances with the London Symphony Orchestra and Sir Antonio Pappano in China, the Budapest Festival Orchestra and Iván Fischer in Japan, the Montreal Symphony Orchestra with Rafael Payare in Hong Kong and Korea, and the Royal Stockholm Philharmonic Orchestra with Ryan Bancroft in Europe. He also makes his debuts with the Netherlands Philharmonic, Spanish National Orchestra and the Danish National Symphony Orchestra, and returns to the New York Philharmonic and the Frankfurt Radio Symphony Orchestra. Further highlights of the season include New Year's concerts at the Konzerthaus Berlin and the Chopin Competition's 100th Anniversary Concert in Warsaw.

A sought-after recitalist, Liu performs at major venues such as the Concertgebouw Amsterdam, Carnegie Hall, and the Berliner Philharmonie. In the 2026/27 season, he performs at the Boston Celebrity Series, Houston, Seattle, Chicago Symphony Center, Philharmonie de Paris, BOZAR Bruxelles, Muziekgebouw Amsterdam, Wigmore Hall and major venues in Spain and Portugal. He is a regular guest at various international festivals, including Edinburgh, Klavier-Festival Ruhr, Verbier, La Roque-d'Anthéron, Rheingau, Aspen and Tanglewood.



An exclusive recording artist with Deutsche Grammophon, Bruce Liu releases his latest solo album 'Lunaris' in summer 2026. In 2024 he was awarded OPUS Klassik's 'Young Talent of the Year' prize for his debut studio album 'Waves', and his second studio album, featuring Tchaikovsky's Seasons, received rave reviews remarking his playing is "superbly polished, but wonderfully free of mannerisms, giving these charming salon pieces the respect and sincerity they deserve" (The Guardian).

Born in Paris and raised in Montréal, Bruce Liu's artistry reflects his multicultural heritage - blending European refinement, North American dynamism, and the long tradition of Chinese culture. He studied with Richard Raymond and Dang Thai Son.
