



# Yubo Deng • CHINA



Yubo began to study the piano at four and was awarded 2nd prize in the “ShaDe Cup” piano competition at five. He has studied with Prof. Galyna Popova since 2014 in the Middle School Attached to the Xinghai Conservatory of Music and graduated with a top score and the Honor Graduate title in 2021. Yubo is currently pursuing his bachelor’s degree at Oberlin Conservatory under the tutelage of Prof. Dang Thai Son.

During Yubo’s piano journey, he gained excellent masterclass opportunities with distinguished pianists such as Yoheved Kaplinsky, Stanislav Ioudenitch, Marc-André Hamelin, Leslie Howard, and Mikhail Vosresensky. Also, he achieved top prizes in many competitions, including in the Macao Piano Competition, the Shanghai Piano Open Competition, the “Liszt Memorial Prize” Hong Kong International Open Competition, and the “Mauro Paolo Monopoli Prize” International Piano Competition. Yubo recently won the Rudolf Serkin Prize Competition at Oberlin Conservatory and advanced to the Solo Final Round (Top 13) in the 2023 Busoni Piano Competition.

## SEMIFINAL ROUND I

Haydn                      Sonata in D Major, Hob.XVI:42  
                                     Andante con espressione  
                                     Vivace assai

Chopin                      Variations, Op.2

Stravinsky/Agosti Firebird Suite  
                                     Danse infernale  
                                     Berceuse  
                                     Finale



## SEMIFINAL ROUND II

Ravel                      Miroirs:  
                                     Oiseaux tristes  
                                     Une barque sur l'océan

Liszt                      Valse de l'Opéra Faust



## FINAL ROUND

Beethoven                      Sonata No.26 in E-flat Major, Op.81a,  
                                     "Les Adieux"  
                                     *Das Lebewohl:* Adagio - Allegro  
                                     *Abwesenheit:* Andante espressivo  
                                     *Das Wiedersehen:* Vivacissimamente

Tchaikovsky                      Dumka, Op.59

Rachmaninoff                      Sonata No.2 in B-flat Minor, Op.36 (1913)  
                                     Allegro agitato  
                                     Non allegro: Lento  
                                     L'istesso tempo: Allegro molto