



Pianist and composer **Liam Kaplan** joined the Iceland Symphony Orchestra in 2024 as Principal Pianist. Liam has appeared on several concert series in Iceland including Tíbrá, the Chamber Music Club, and 15:15. He has appeared as soloist with Oberlin Sinfonietta, Oberlin Orchestra, and the Aspen Conducting Academy Orchestra.

Liam had the opportunity to premiere many works by leading and upcoming composers as a member of the Aspen Contemporary Ensemble in the 2023 and 2024 seasons. Herdís Mjöll Guðmundsdóttir premiered his Violin Concerto with Tim Weiss and the Oberlin Contemporary Ensemble in 2020. His debut solo album from 2019 features the second volume of Bach's *Well-Tempered Clavier*, and in 2020 he followed up with a recording of Bach's *Goldberg Variations* along with *Orpheus Suite* by Elizabeth Ogonek and his own 8 Preludes which earned a BMI Student Composer Award.

In the spring of 2025 he released an EP featuring his own compositions for piano and strings called *Sunflower Fields*. Liam completed his Bachelor of Music degree at Oberlin Conservatory, where he studied piano with Alvin Chow and composition with Stephen Hartke. He is also active as a music editor, engraver and arranger, working with clients including publisher Boosey & Hawkes and composers John Adams and Clarice Assad.

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