Curriculum vitae

Nicoletta Alberti graduated with distinction in 1982 from the Bolzano Conservatory, where she had been studying with Gertrud Chiocchetti. She continued her studies with E. Hürlimann in Switzerland and with Ruth Inglefield in the USA and attended master classes with P. Jamet and N. Zabaleta. She also studied German and English Literature at the University of Humanities in Trento, graduating with honours in 1998.

In 1983 Alberti became a member of the *European Community Youth Orchestra*, *ECYO*, conducted by Claudio Abbado, and in 1985 she was unanimously awarded first prize in the *fifth National Harp Competition "V.Salvi"*.

From 1981 to 1992 she played regularly with the *Haydn Orchestra of Bolzano and Trento*, and with other Italian orchestras including the *Orchestra of the Maggio Musicale Fiorentino*, Florence, conducted by Zubin Mehta.

Nicoletta Alberti has performed both as a soloist, including appearances as a soloist in ORF radio broadcasts, and as a chamber musician. She has also been a member of the national and state juries for the harp in the *Prima la musica* competition in Austria.

In 1988, following a successful audition, Alberti was unanimously awarded the harp teaching position at the Mozarteum University, Department of Music Education, Innsbruck.

She has also taught at various Italian conservatories and has been teaching at the Bolzano Conservatory since 2022.

Alberti’s students have emerged as prize winners in various national and international competitions and auditions including: *Bundeswettbewerb Prima la Musica*, Austria; *Premio Nazionale delle Arti*, MIUR-Afam, Italy; *Focus on Youth - World Harp Congress*, Geneva and Dublin; *Vienna International Academy Competition*; *Wiener Jeunesse Orchester*; *European Union Youth Orchestra, EUYO*; and *Gustav Mahler Youth Orchestra, GMJO*.