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תל-חי כיתות אמן בינלאומיות לפסנתר (ע"ר) לזכרה של מרינה בונדרנקו בחסות יבגני קיסין

Thursday, August 7th 2024, 15:00 The Lin & Ted Arison Israeli Conservatory of Music, Tel Aviv Ran Baron Hall יום חמישי ,7 באוגוסט 2024, 15:00 הקונסרבטוריון הישראלי למוזיקה ע"ש לין ותד אריסון, תל אביב אולם רן ברון

## Master Class

## Ilya Shmukler Russia\Israel

L. v. Beethoven

Sonata No. 14 "Moonlight" in C sharp minor

Sulayman Human, South Africa

S. Prokofiev

Sonata no. 3 in A minor, Op. 28

Haleli Smoly, Israel

## Ilya Shmukler Russia\Israel

The First-prize winner at the Geza Anda International Piano Competition in Switzerland last June, Ilya Shmukler's life changed after applying for and winning his first music competition and attending the subsequent international summer academy at the age of 10: "There I discovered a true musical life, and I fell in love with it, inspiring me to commit my life to music." He performed his first recital at age 12, and made his orchestral debut at 14. He has since made solo appearances in Europe and North America, and has performed with the Mariinsky Theatre, Fort Worth Symphony, Sendai Philharmonic, Bayer Symphoniker, Tambov Symphonic, and New Music Orchestras, among others. Ilva is a laureate of many international piano competitions, taking top prizes at the New York Virtuoso, Lewisville Lake Symphony, Artist Presentation Society (St. Louis), Shigeru Kawai (Tokyo), Scriabin–Rachmaninov (Bulgaria), and Rachmaninov (St. Petersburg) Competitions. He was a quarterfinalist in the 2017 Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, and achieved a milestone of his career as a Finalist in the 2022 Cliburn Competition. In addition, he received the award for the "Best Performance of a Mozart Concerto" in the 2022 Cliburn Competition. In 2021, he won the Carnegie Weill Recital Hall Debut Audition and made his New York debut at the venerated venue on December 13, 2022. He completed his master's degree with honors at the Moscow Tchaikovsky Conservatory in 2021, under the guidance of Elena Kuznetsova and Sergey Kuznetsov. Presently, he studies with Stanislav Ioudenitch at the International Center for Music at Park University in Parkville, Missouri



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