

MUSIKKREIS SPRINGIERSBACH  
**Summer Course 2013**  
**Karmelitenkloster Springiersbach**

Saturday 10.08.2013 - Friday 16.10.2013

**Course for Flute** with **Natalia Gerakis**

at the Karmelitenkloster Springiersbach, Bengel / Germany

**Tutor**

Natalia Gerakis, Soloist, Orchestra and Chamber Musician and Pedagogue, Stuttgart/Athens  
Piano and Harpsichord accompaniment: Alexander Puliaev

**Place**

The Carmelite Monastery Springiersbach is located near Bengel, in a beautiful and quiet area on the slopes of the river Mosel, surrounded by forest, fields and vineyards. The Monastery is 50 Km to the east of the city of Trier, in Rhineland-Palatinate, Germany. More info: [www.karmelitenorden.de/klosterspringiersbach.html](http://www.karmelitenorden.de/klosterspringiersbach.html)

**Target**

The course addresses young professionals, music students, music teachers, scholars, as well as advanced amateurs, who will have the opportunity to meet and work in a relaxed and pleasant environment. Solo and chamber music repertoire for flute and piano, as well as basic technical issues, are the main focus of this course. The participants will intensively work individually and in the group on the realization of one's own targets, the preparation of concerts, competitions and auditions. Each participant should prepare 2-3 pieces of his choice.

In addition to the individual lessons there will be the possibility to play **chamber music** with participants of the parallel courses for **Recorder**, **Guitar** and **Harpsichord/Pianoforte**. You are welcome to bring your own choice of music. A list of proposals for chamber music can be send on request.

**The Course offers**

- Individual lessons - repertory for flute solo/flute and piano
- Technique lessons (altogether)
- Rehearsal with piano/harpsichord accompaniment
- Chamber music lessons (optional)
- Flute ensembles (optional)
- Training on how to perform
- Tutors' opening concert
- Participants final concert

**Arrival and Opening Concert**

The Courses will begin on 10.08.2013 at 7 p.m. with the tutors opening concert at the Kapitelsaal of the Karmelitenkloster Springiersbach/Bengel.

**Final Concert and Departure**

Participants will have the opportunity to present the results they have achieved during the courses in a public concert on 16.08.2013 at 7 p.m. in the Kapitelsaal of the Karmelitenkloster Springiersbach.  
Departure on 16.08.13 after the concert, or on 17.08.13 in the morning.

**Course fee**

Active participants **300,-€** adults / **240,-€** scholars, students | Auditor **80,-€**

(There will be a limited number of active participants and priority will be met by date of application)

**Accommodation**

The Karmelitenkloster Springiersbach offers beautiful rooms with shower and toilet

Price per person:

Full board in double room: 47,- €/Day. Full board in single room: 51,- €/Day

Shared room for young persons and scholars: 25,-€/Day

Full board includes: • Accommodation • Breakfast • Lunch • Coffee and cakes • Dinner

**Application deadline**

**10 July 2013**

The application form can be sent to the Musikkreis Springiersbach by post, e.mail or fax

### Information

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### Payment

With applying for the Summer Course a **pre-payment of 100,- €** is due to the following bank account:

#### Musikkreis Springiersbach

**Bank: Raiffeisenbank Wittlich/Mittelmosel**

**IBAN: DE41 5876 0954 0003 8236 00**

**SWIFT/BIC Code: GENODED1WTL**

The remaining amount of the course and accommodation fee should be deposited to the same account not later than **10 July 2013**.

- Note in reference the name of the participant
- All bank transfers should be without cost to the recipient
- If there are additional bank charges to the Musikkreis Springiersbach, interested parties should return the money when they arrive at the Karmelitenkloster Springiersbach.
- The pre-payment is not refundable in case of cancelation on your part

### Natalia Gerakis - Flutist

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Natalia Gerakis is considered one of the most accomplished flutists in Greece today. Both Stuttgart- and Athens-based, she has performed as a soloist, chamber musician and orchestra player at major halls and festivals throughout Germany and Greece. Besides, concerts and tours have brought her to numerous European and Mediterranean countries. She has been principal flutist of the Thessaloniki State Symphony Orchestra, has performed with the Athens State Orchestra, the Mikis Theodorakis Popular Orchestra, the Wuerttembergisches Kammerorchester Heilbronn and has collaborated with the Chamber Theater of the Stuttgart State Opera Haus. She completed her studies in Paris at the Nadia & Lili Boulanger Conservatoire in Paris with the "1er Prix de la Ville de Paris" and at the State Music Academy in Stuttgart under Prof. Jean-Claude Gérard on scholarship of the Greek State. Currently Natalia Gerakis is a sought-after tutor of international music courses (European Academy of Camerata Europaea/Germany, Adams European Flute Center/Holland, Internationaler Arbeitskreis für Musik/Germany, International Forum for Flute und Piano/Luxembourg, Springiersbacher Meisterkurse/Germany). She particularly enjoys working for concentrated short periods of time with young flutists, helping them towards achieving their own goals.

### Parallel Courses

#### **Summer Course for Recorder** with Lucia Mense

Soloist, Ensemble musician and Pedagogue, Cologne | [www.luciamense.de](http://www.luciamense.de)

#### **Summer Course for Guitar** with Volker Höh

Soloist, Chamber Musician and Lecturer at the Koblenz University and Music-Grammar-School of Rheinland-Pfalz in Montabaur | [www.volker-hoeh.de](http://www.volker-hoeh.de)

#### **Summer Course for Harpsichord/Pianoforte** with Alexander Puliaev

Soloist, Ensemble musician and Lecturer at the Cologne State Music Academy (Wuppertal department) | [www.puliaev.de](http://www.puliaev.de)