

Aaliyah Booker - Violinist

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PROFESSIONAL ORCHESTRAL EXPERIENCE

Chineke! Orchestra	Principal Second Violin & tutti player	March 2023 - present
Brighton Philharmonic Orchestra	Tutti player	Dec 2023- present
London Contemporary Orchestra	Tutti live and session musician	May 2023 - present
Chromatica Orchestra (previously known as the Bath Festival Orchestra)	Guest tutti player	Jan 2024
London Choral Sinfonia	Guest tutti player	March 2024
The Novello Orchestra	Tutti player	August 2024
Netflix Queen Charlotte's Global Orchestra with Alicia Keys	Second violin	May 2023
International Film Orchestra	Guest tutti player	Nov 2023
The Pegasus Opera Company	Guest tutti player	April 2023
Urban Soul Orchestra	Tutti player	May 2024- present
Nu Civilisation Orchestra	Tutti player	June 2024 - present
The Clod Ensemble	Guest tutti player (Ear Opener recording session)	April 2024
The Outcry Ensemble	Guest tutti player	May 2024
Orion Orchestra	Tutti player	Aug 2023- present
Alina Orchestra	Guest tutti player	Feb 2023
Down for the Count Orchestra	Tutti violin	Dec 2023- present

PROFESSIONAL CHAMBER MUSIC EXPERIENCE

Guest artist with the Decus Ensemble, London, UK

June 2022

ORCHESTRAL SCHEMES

London Symphony Orchestra Pathways
(includes side-by-side and LSO Discovery work)

2023 - 2024

TEACHING POSITIONS

Haringey Music Service	Violin teacher	January 2024 - present
The Yehudi Menuhin School	Junior Menuhins Tutor	April 2023 - May 2024
Royal Academy of Music	First Strings Experience Fellow	Sept 2021 - July 2023

AWARDS

The Brownlee Violin, Neapolitan ca. 1820, Lorenzo Ventapane	2020-21
Faculty of Music, University of Oxford	
John G Martin Scholarship to study at the University of Oxford	2019-21

EDUCATION

Hertford College, University of Oxford, United Kingdom	2019-21
MPhil in Music Performance with distinction	
Thesis: <i>Racial Equality and Classical Music Performance: Orchestral Initiatives in the U.K. and the U.S.</i>	
Professor: Caroline Balding	
The Hartt School, University of Hartford, CT, USA	2015-19
Bachelor of Music in Violin Performance graduated with honours	
Professor: Anton Miller	

Aaliyah plays a Jules Grandjon violin generously loaned to her by The Royal Society of Musicians of Great Britain.
References are available upon request