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BIOGRAPHY

Born in 1989 into a family of musicians, Emmanuele Lo Russo began studying violin and chamber music at the age of six under the guidance of Maestri Eddy Perpich and Maestr Lucia Passaglia, who were also his godparents. From an early age, he performed both as a soloist and in chamber ensembles with his siblings at the Teatro Poliziano in Montepulciano, Siena, Teatro Tradizionale di Atri, Teatro Comunale Treviso, Auditorium of the University G.D Annunzio of Pescara, at the Institute of Italian Culture in Nairobi, St. Catherine's Church, New York.

He was admitted to the G. Verdi Conservatory in Milan with top marks and graduated with distinction at the age of nineteen. A winner of numerous national and international competitions, he went on to refine his violin studies in Tel Aviv with Maestro Hagai Shaham. He earned his diploma in orchestral conducting under Donato Renzetti and studied Maestro composition at the Conservatory Castelfranco Veneto. He has participated in masterclasses with esteemed conductors such as Maestro Gianandrea in Tel Aviv and Maestro Gary S. Fagin in New York City.

Since 2016, Emmanuele has conducted his own music for symphony orchestra and choir in various cities, including Turin, Chioggia, Treviso and Rimini, culminating in 2022 with the recording of the album Un sussulto al cuore.

Between 2023 and 2024, he conducted the New York Chamber Orchestra, receiving the Respighi Prize with Honorable Mention; the Tokyo Sinfonia Chamber Orchestra at Oji Hall in Ginza; the Royal Bangkok Symphony Orchestra at the Main Hall of the Thailand Cultural Center, where he was praised by the press; the Orchestra of the Opéra of Baugé in France; the Union Europe Orchestra in Vienna at Ehrbar Hall; and the Hollywood Symphony Studio Orchestra at Warner Bros. Studios in Los Angeles.

In August 2024, he co-founded the Enzo Piccinini Orchestra together with his sister, Maria Bernadette, who serves as concertmaster. Since September 2024, he has conducted the Enzo Piccinini Orchestra in Turin, Comacchio, Lavello, Chioggia, and Reggio Emilia.