

## ELLY BAŠIĆ MUSIC SCHOOL

The school was founded in 1965 by Elly Bašić under the name Central Functional Music School, with the aim of establishing and developing her Functional Music Pedagogy. The school has carried its current name since 1998, following the passing of its founder.

From a relatively small institution, the Elly Bašić Music School has grown into a significant educational and pedagogical establishment, highly esteemed both within Croatia and abroad. At numerous competitions and seminars, our students continuously achieve remarkable results, confirming the high quality of the teaching staff and the pedagogy as a whole. For its achievements in music education, the school was honored with the City of Zagreb Award in 1995 and 2018.

We take great pride in having celebrated our 40th anniversary during the 2004/05 academic year, under the high patronage of the President of the Republic of Croatia, Mr. Stjepan Mesić, and the Ministry of Science, Education, and Sports. To mark this occasion, we published the school's first monograph: Elly Bašić Music School 1965–2005.

Our 50th anniversary was celebrated in 2015 with a series of thirteen concerts. The highlight of the celebration was a concert at the Vatroslav Lisinski Concert Hall, featuring over 500 students, teachers, parents, and alumni. For this concert series and its contribution to promoting music education, the school received the "Special Award" from the Croatian Association of Music and Dance Pedagogues in 2015.



"Musical culture belongs not just to some, but to every child."

Elly Bašić



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## CONCERT SAX SUMMIT

CPM Alcázar-Criptana & Elly Bašić MS

Bašić Concert Hall  
Thursday, 26 March 2026 at 16:30

## PROGRAM

- 1) Isaac Albéniz: Suite Iberia  
*Málaga*  
*El Albaicín*  
Diego Catalán, piano

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- 2) Juan Carlos Navas: Czardas  
(dedicated to Pedro Iturralde)  
Juan Carlos Navas, alto-sax  
Diego Catalán, piano

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- 3) Dimitri Smirnov: Tiriél  
Javier Alberca, baritone-sax  
Diego Catalán, piano

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- 4) David Salleras: Danse folle  
Lovre Zeneral, alto-sax  
Dario Sabol, piano

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- 5) Ida Gotkovsky: Inventions  
Javier Alberca, baritone-sax  
Diego Catalán, piano

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- 7) Juan Carlos Navas: Quartet

Juan Carlos Navas, soprano-sax  
Manuel Alberca, alto-sax  
Miguel Ángel Morales, tenor-sax  
Javier Alberca, baritone-sax

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- 8) Philippe Geiss: Klezmer Salsa

Lovre Zeneral, soprano-sax  
Eva Mautner, soprano-sax  
Manuel Alberca, soprano-sax  
Domagoj Valand, alto-sax  
Franko Marinković, alto-sax  
Miron Blažek, tenor-sax  
Emilia Sermek, tenor-sax  
Jakov Šoštar, baritone-sax  
Miguel Ángel Morales, baritone-sax  
Jana Paradi, conga  
Mika Ilijić, cowbell & shaker

conductor: Lovro Merčep

## CONSEVATORIO PROFESIONAL DE MÚSICA Alcázar de San Juan - Campo de Criptana

With a primary and fundamental focus on the students and their academic development, the Professional Conservatory of Music of Alcázar de San Juan and Campo de Criptana has carried out highly significant musical educational work for over 35 years. It trains future music professionals from towns across the La Mancha Centro region—ranging from Consuegra to Tomelloso, and from Herencia and Pedro Muñoz to Quintanar de la Orden and Horcajo de Santiago—serving a geographic area with a 50-kilometer radius and a population of approximately 200,000 inhabitants.

Every academic year, students trained at our Conservatory secure top positions in the admission processes for Higher Conservatories of Music throughout Spain. Furthermore, a multitude of alumni are currently professionals in the music scene—both in education and performance—within our country and across various European nations, holding prominent positions in Orchestras, Bands, Conservatories, and Universities.

