

Kathryn Rees MMus GRNCM

Kathryn Rees is a graduate of the Royal Northern College of Music and the Eastman School of Music, New York where she studied harp performance and literature. During Kathryn's time at Eastman she received a fellowship and a teaching assistantship while studying for her Master's degree. Kathryn also won the prestigious Rotary International Ambassadorial Scholarship to the United States to further her studies.

Kathryn has worked as an orchestral player and collaborative musician in the United States and Germany. She was Principal harpist at the Heidelberg Opera Festival and took up residency as Senior Harp Tutor at the Interlochen Arts Academy's Summer Programme in Michigan for many years. Kathryn's work then took her to the Middle East where she performed as a residential harpist in Abu Dhabi and Doha, Qatar for a number of years.

Kathryn now works across the UK, teaching at the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama's Senior and Junior Departments and manages an extensive studio of private students. She is also an adjudicator and holds regular masterclasses and recitals. Her solo and orchestral broadcasts include work for ITV, BBC TV and Radio.