

# Giovanni Nardo

Percussionist



Giovanni Nardo was born in Norcia (PG) in 1996.

In 2020 he graduated from the “Conservatorium Maastricht” in Maastricht, Netherlands, in percussion instruments. In 2022, he received his Bachelor of Music degree from the “Conservatorio Giuseppe Verdi” in Turin, Italy. During these years he is a winner in auditions such as the youth orchestras NJO “Netherlands jugendorchester”, GMJO “Gustav Mahler Jugendorchester” with which he takes part in European tours under the direction of Maestros such as Jonathan Nott, Gustavo Guimeno, Mirga Grazynite-Tyla.

Attends various master classes under the teaching of such personalities as Biagio Zoli, timpanist at the “Orchestra sinfonia della RAI,” Andrea Bindi, timpanist at the Orchestra “Alla Scala di Milano,” Rocco Bitondo, percussionist at the “Orchestra del Teatro dell’Opera di Roma.”

He began working as an adjunct percussionist with Italian orchestras such as Teatro dell’Opera di Roma, Teatro Regio di Torino, Camerata Ducale di Vercelli, Orchestra Filarmonica Italiana, laFil orchestra filarmonica di Milano and others.

In 2021 he won an audition as first timpanist at the Magna Grecia orchestra in Taranto.

He also takes part in numerous concerts in chamber ensembles for music festivals and competitions with the Teatraktis Ensemble, Sonder-Ensemble.

Currently, in addition to working as an orchestral percussionist, he is engaged in the founding and promotion of his own duo, clarinet and percussion.