Biography (short) Raphael Nussbaumer

Raphael Nussbaumer (2006) started playing the violin at the age of four. At the age of six he was accepted into the class of Philip A. Draganov and has since won the only 1st prize twice in the finals of the SJMW with distinction in his age category in Switzerland. At the Zurich Music Competition 2019, he won the only 1st prize with distinction in the violins. In international competitions, Raphael was awarded a 2nd prize at the "XXV International Violin Competition Andrea Postacchini" in Italy in 2018 and also a 2nd prize at the "Louis Spohr" international competition in Weimar in October 2019.

The highlights of his musical career includes solo performances with the Zurich Chamber Orchestra in the Tonhalle, the Biel Symphony Orchestra and a concert in the Palace of Justice in Vienna with the Franz Schmidt Chamber Orchestra, Camerata Zurich.