

## **BIOGRAPHY**

Concert tours have taken the pianist all over Germany, numerous countries in Europe and to China.

Ricarda Gnauck is performing with chamber music partners and plays solo recitals with interesting thematic programmes also incorporate contemporary works. She is a member of a trio that works with international guests from the world of improvisation, performing contemporary improvisation.

Her musical education began at the Colleges of Music »Spezialschule für Musik« in Halle and Dresden. At the College of Music in Dresden she studied in *Winfried Apel's* piano class and with *Daniel Blumenthal* at the »Royal Conservatory» in Brussels she completed her Master of Music with distinction.

Ricarda Gnauck has won several awards and grants and two first prizes for chamber music in the national competition »Jugend Musiziert«.

She has lived in Berlin since 2002 as a freelance pianist and piano teacher and is a member of the »European Piano Teachers Association« (EPTA) and the »Tonkünstlerverband Berlin« (Association of Musical Artists, DTKV Berlin).