



Baby Grand Jazz 2014

Yoko Miwa

March 30, 2014, 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Miwa, a native of Kobe, Japan, was classically trained and didn't pursue an interest in jazz until she met and studied with Minoru Ozone, a popular television organist and nightclub owner who is the father of pianist Makoto Ozone. In June, the Yoko Miwa Trio was voted Best Jazz Act by the *Boston Phoenix* in the 2012 Best Music Poll. In July, her trio released their major label debut CD in Japan titled *Act Naturally* on the JVC Victor Entertainment label. In 2011, she was appointed Assistant Professor at Berklee College of Music, she played sold-out shows in Boston and NYC, and she was chosen to play a special concert, Marian McPartland & Friends at Dizzy's at Lincoln Center, as part of The Coca-Cola Generations in Jazz Festival.



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