

Mag. **Daniel Mair**

Daniel Mair was born in Bozen in South Tyrol (Italy). From the age of six he received regular musical education. He continued his studies in church music at the University of Music and Performing Arts in Vienna (Gregorian Chant with Josef Kohlhäufel) with emphasis on the following subjects: organ and improvisation (with Peter Planyavsky), choral- and orchestral conducting (with Erwin Ortner, Johannes Prinz, Johannes Hiemetsberger and Ingrid Fußnegger) as well as voice studies (with Margit Fleischmann-Klaushofer). In 2005 he took a master's degree with honors in Gregorian Chant at the University of Arts in Graz (with Franz Karl Praßl) and was also awarded a prize from the university. In 2006 Daniel Mair started studies in Music Education – Voice and Instruments (Organ), which he concluded with the accreditation for teaching in Secondary Schools.

Apart from his studies Daniel Mair participated in master classes (with Godehard Joppich amongst others), seminars and further education in various musical fields ranging from Gregorian Chant to voice training for young people.

At present he is in charge of church music in the archdiocese of Vienna and also teaches German Liturgical Chant at the Conservatory for Church Music of the diocese.

Since September 2012 he is engaged as the artistic leader of the Choralschola der Wiener Hofburgkapelle (Schola of the Vienna Imperial Chapel).