

Lionel Martin (\*2003) was raised in Tübingen and has been studying at the Kronberg Academy with Prof. Thomas Grossenbacher since 2024. Before he was taught by Joseph Hasten and Prof. Thomas Grossenbacher.

In 2017, he made his solo debut with the Stuttgart Philharmonic. This was followed by numerous solo performances with renowned orchestras in Europe and Japan. He won the first prize at the Ton & Erklärung Competition in Hannover in 2022. Lionel Martin regularly performs recitals, including at the Lucerne Festival, the Schleswig-Holstein Festival and the Beethovenfest Bonn. His longtime duo partner is his brother, pianist Demian Martin.

Since 2017, he has been a scholarship holder of the Anne-Sophie Mutter Foundation. Since 2019, he toured regularly with Mutter's Virtuosi in Europe, South and North America. In 2021, he won the "SWR2 New Talent" award which includes a 3-year support through CD productions, concerts and radio broadcasts.

He received significant musical inspiration from lessons with Lynn Harrell, Martti Rousi, Jens Peter Maintz, Jan Vogler, and Yo-Yo Ma.