

Thalia Sebastian was born in Medan, 4th September 2001. She started learning piano at the age of five, under Ms. Holly Hester, and had her very first practical piano examination. The result was very satisfying, and she managed to maintain her scores until now. She also has performed several times at the ABRSM high scorers' concert.

Thalia joined her first competition when she was twelve years old. The result was beyond her expectation as she got the first prize. Since then, she has been actively competing, not only in local, but also in national and international piano competitions.

So far, she has won many competitions. In 2013, she bagged the first, second, and third prizes in the Indonesia Piano Competition. A year later, she went to the international level, and won second and third prizes for the Hong Kong Asia Pacific Piano Competition in Hong Kong. The year 2015 saw Thalia achieving the Gold Award in Asia International Music Competition in Taiwan. She won the UCSI preliminary in Malaysia by bringing home the Gold Award in 2016. Her latest achievement is being a high scorer in the ABRSM Grade 8 Piano Exam last autumn, and will take DipABRSM in piano performance exam this autumn.

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