

Carroll is a recitalist, chamber musician and orchestral soloist. As a Music Teachers National Association Foundation Fellow, she has received excellence in teaching awards by Louisiana State University and the Louisiana Music Teachers Association.

She recently performed with the Baton Rouge Symphony Orchestra, the Shreveport Symphony Orchestra, the Acadiana Symphony Orchestra and the Louisiana Sinfonietta. Centaur Records soon will produce a CD of the Rachmaninoff and Chopin cello sonatas with Carroll and cellist Jeffrey Lastrapes.

Equally adept as a teacher, Carroll's students have won local, regional and national competitions, and have presented recitals, master classes and lectures at universities and colleges throughout the country.

Constance Carroll received her education at the University of Arizona and the Eastman School of Music. After study as a Fulbright Scholar in Vienna and Salzburg, she was appointed to the music faculty at Louisiana State University.

Subsequently, she taught at Wisconsin State University, Lenoir-Rhyne College in North Carolina, and was artist-in-residence at Centenary College of Louisiana for 21 years.

She was reappointed to the music faculty of LSU in 1995, and a year later she became the first recipient of the Barineau Professorship of Keyboard Studies. In recent years Carroll has been on the faculties of Brevard Music Center, the University of Houston High School Piano Camp, the Indiana Summer Piano Academy, the Frank Mannheimer Piano Festival and the New Orleans Piano Institute.

She also has been a juror for the New Orleans International Piano Competition, the Missouri Southern International Piano Competition, the American Pianists Association Competition, and the national finals of the MTNA Student and Young Artists Competition.

In 2001 she was honored with an Excellence in Teaching Award by LSU and the Outstanding Teacher of 2001 Award by LMTA. In spring 2002 she was honored at the MTNA national conference in Cincinnati and designated an MTNA Foundation Fellow.