

AKKARAI S. SUUBHALAKSHMI

Bismillah Khan Yuva Puraskar
Carnatic Instrumental Music – Violin



Born on 7th November 1983 in
into Violin by her father Akkarai
learnt from Shri V. Janakiraman;
Shri O.V. Subramanian, Smt.

Nagercoil, Tamil Nadu; initiated
Shri S. Swamynathan; also
has learnt vocal music under
Padma Natesan, and Shri P.S.

Narayanaswamy; presently learning under the tutelage of Shri N. Ravikiran. 'A' graded artiste of All India Radio; has performed solo as well as accompanied eminent artistes including Dr. M. Balamurali Krishan, Chitravina N. Ravikiran, Dr. N. Ramani, P. Unnikrishnan and many others; has performed extensively all over the world including the Indo-Russian Cultural exchange programme (1996), Theatre de la ville festival (Paris), Cleveland festival (USA), Farewell concert for Zubin Mehta (Munich) and Mahatma Gandhi Institute Sangeeth Utsav (Mauritius); recipient of many awards including the Rajiv Gandhi Yuva Puraskar, Kala Bhushan, Kalashree, Outstanding Young Violinist Award and the Kalki Krishnamurthy Memorial award; has to her credit a number of music albums in Carnatic vocal and violin.

Akkarai Subhalakshmi receives the Bismillah Khan Yuva Puraskar for Carnatic instrumental music.