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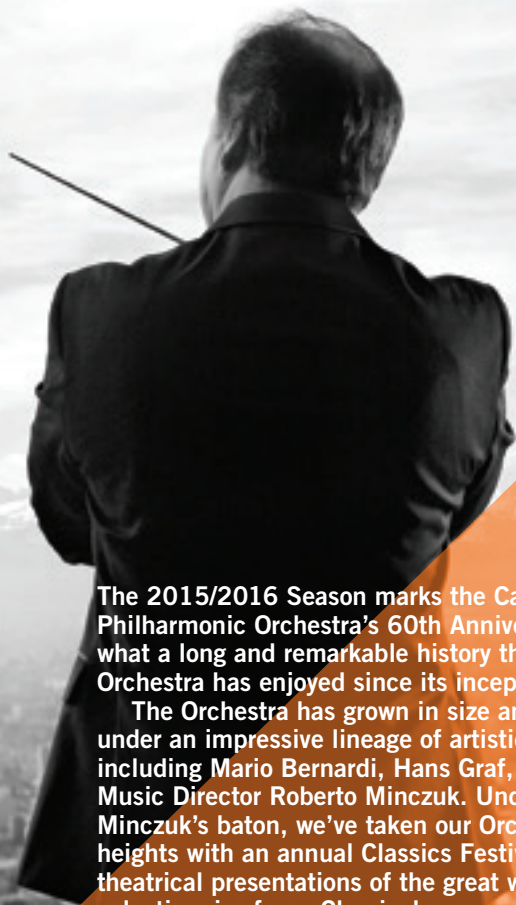
2015 / 2016
SEASON PROGRAM



Roberto Minczuk • Music Director

THE MUSIC IS EVERYWHERE

60 YEARS OF MUSIC!



The 2015/2016 Season marks the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra's 60th Anniversary – what a long and remarkable history this Orchestra has enjoyed since its inception in 1955.

The Orchestra has grown in size and reputation under an impressive lineage of artistic leaders, including Mario Bernardi, Hans Graf, and current Music Director Roberto Minczuk. Under Maestro Minczuk's baton, we've taken our Orchestra to new heights with an annual Classics Festival, innovative theatrical presentations of the great works, an eclectic mix of non-Classical programming, and important world premieres of new Canadian compositions, such as *Afghanistan: Requiem for a Generation*. Our Orchestra continues to build an outstanding reputation for its performances of the large-scale symphonic works, particularly the symphonies of Mahler.

The Jubilee Auditorium was the CPO's original home; the Orchestra moved to the newly constructed Jack Singer Concert Hall in 1985. In this Anniversary Season, we're taking some exceptional Specials and our growing Symphony Sundays for Kids Series back to the Jubilee. In 2015/2016 you'll see us around the city and beyond. *The Music Is Everywhere!* Experience it for yourself – celebrate great symphonic music with us this Season.

WELCOME

TO OUR 2015/2016 SEASON



From the Maestro

It's our 60th Anniversary Season, and a time to hear and see the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra like never before!

Inside is our exciting new Season, offering two exceptional Classics series, rock tributes and family spectaculars. Our fall Classics Festival, *Fairytales & Legends*, is filled with magical musical delights, from *The Seven Deadly Sins*, with the legendary Ute Lemper, to the spectacular choral/vocal showpiece, Berlioz's *The Damnation of Faust*.

We welcome back some of Calgary's favourite artists, like James Ehnes and Karen Gomyo, and enticing new stars, like Inon Barnatan and Simone Lamsma, who join us for our highly-anticipated Brahms Celebration. This is a Season filled with drama, passion, and our Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra claim to fame: one outstanding, electrically charged performance after another!

We can't wait for you to hear us!

Roberto Minczuk
Music Director

Heather's Concert Highlights

DIRECTOR OF ARTISTIC PLANNING,
HEATHER SLATER'S TOP FIVE
CONCERTS THIS SEASON

October 30, 2015: Ute Lemper
Sings *The Seven Deadly Sins* & *The
Fall of the House of Usher*

November 7, 2015: *The Damnation
of Faust*

March 3, 2016: Sgt. Pepper's
Lonely Hearts Club Band with
Art of Time Ensemble

April 21, 2016: Calgary Phil
Presents: *Les Violons du Roy*

June 10 & 11, 2016: *Symphony of
a Thousand: Mahler Eight*

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discuss each concert.

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A \$10 ticket concierge fee will be applied to each subscription order.



CHARLES GARRETT,
PRINCIPAL BASS

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A Celebration of Brahms



A Festival of Fairytales & Legends

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PHILIP HANSEN,
PRINCIPAL CELLO,
HAS MADE CALGARY
AND THE ORCHESTRA
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AND ART, AND RECENTLY
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60th Anniversary Season Opening Night

Mozart & Mahler

with James Ehnes



JAMES EHNES

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THE CPO'S celebratory 60th Anniversary Classics Season opens with exceptional violinist James Ehnes's dazzling interpretation of Mozart's most popular Violin Concerto. It is presented alongside Mahler's Symphony No. 7, a monumental orchestral work featuring an evocative journey from dusk to dawn, notable for its complex shadowy mood.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

Black tie event: Dress up in high style to celebrate the CPO's Opening Classics concert of the 60th Anniversary Season. (Less formal dress styles are also welcome!)

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

JAMES EHNES, violin

MOZART: Violin Concerto No. 5 "Turkish"

MAHLER: Symphony No. 7

Lecture: Join artists featured in this week's concerts at *From the Podium*, Thursday 1 October. See page 17 for details.



Arctic Tales: Peer Gynt & Northern Lights



NORTHERN LIGHTS

THE NIGHT sky above Canada's untamed tundra is the star of *The Legend of the Northern Lights*. This Canadian premiere features ethereal orchestral music presented alongside shimmering aurora borealis visuals filmed by a leading astronomer from Chicago's renowned Adler Planetarium. The northern theme is completed with Russia's *Night on Bald Mountain* and Norway's famed *Peer Gynt* Suite.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

DR. JOSÉ SALGADO, video artist

MUSSORGSKY: *Night on Bald Mountain*

THEOFANIDIS: *The Legend of the Northern Lights*

GRIEG: Suite from *Peer Gynt*



1001 Nights: Measha Brueggergosman's Shéhérazade



MEASHA BRUEGGERGOSMAN

SOPRANO SENSATION Measha Brueggergosman wraps her gorgeously radiant voice around an inspired selection of ravishing vocal works. And there is no more suitable finale for *A Festival of Fairytales & Legends* than Rimsky-Korsakov's colourfully exotic *Scheherazade*, with its enchanting tales of the Arabian Nights.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
MEASHA BRUEGGERGOSMAN, soprano

RAVEL: *Shéhérazade*

MASSENET: Arias from *Le Cid*, *Manon* and *La Viègre*

RIMSKY-KORSAKOV: *Scheherazade*



Brahms Three: The Brilliance of Brahms with Inon Barnatan



INON BARNATAN

WITH GLIMPSES of the First Symphony's exuberance and the Second's graceful lyricism, the Third Symphony is Brahms at his most introspective. By contrast, the First Piano Concerto, written when he was just 25 years old, is all "heart-on-sleeve" Romanticism – an epic outpouring of passion for his favourite instrument.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
INON BARNATAN, piano

BRAHMS: *Academic Festival Overture*
Symphony No. 3 in F Major
Piano Concerto No. 1 in D Minor

Brahms Four: Brahms' World

with Simone Lamsma



SIMONE LAMSMASMA

FROM ITS plaintive introduction to its sunny, virtuosic finale, the D Major Violin Concerto is a nod to Beethoven, but with a symphonic grandiosity that is pure Brahms. In his final symphony, Brahms comes full circle, mature and reflective – this is the music of a master in his final years.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
SIMONE LAMSMASMA, violin

BRAHMS: *Hungarian Dances*
 Violin Concerto in D Major
 Symphony No. 4 in E Minor

FRIDAY 11 + SATURDAY 12 MARCH 2016 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Jonathan Biss Plays Beethoven



JONATHAN BISS

WIDELY REVERED for his impeccable mastery of Beethoven's works, Jonathan Biss exquisitely interprets Piano Concerto No. 2, which is paired beautifully alongside Rachmaninoff's colourful *Symphonic Dances*.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

SEBASTIAN LANG-LESSING, conductor
JONATHAN BISS, piano

BEETHOVEN: Piano Concerto No. 2
RACHMANINOFF: *Symphonic Dances*

Lecture: Join artists featured in this week's concerts at From the Podium, Thursday 10 March. See page 17 for details.

Prokofiev & Tchaikovsky

with Karen Gomyo



KAREN GOMYO

ACCLAIMED VIOLINIST Karen Gomyo returns to the CPO, bringing her fiery technical prowess and virtuosic finesse to Tchaikovsky's Violin Concerto. Prokofiev's challenging and heroic Symphony No. 5 showcases the composer at the height of his powers, and rounds out the evening triumphantly.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

JOSHUA WEILERSTEIN, conductor
KAREN GOMYO, violin

ADAMS: *Lollapalooza*
TCHAIKOVSKY: Violin Concerto
PROKOFIEV: Symphony No. 5

Lecture: Join artists featured in this week's concerts at From the Podium, Thursday 5 May. See page 17 for details.



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CONDUCTOR ROBERTO MINCZUK LED THE CPO AND THE CHORAL FORCES WITH UNDERSTANDING AND A FINE SENSE OF THE CHORAL/ORCHESTRAL BALANCE, ALLOWING THE MUSIC TO BREATHE NATURALLY, BUT ALSO FINDING AN INNER FIRE FOR THE MORE DRAMATIC MOMENTS.

-KENNETH DELONG, CALGARY HERALD

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ALEXANDER COHEN,
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AND HIS SISTER
DIANA COHEN,
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Entwined: Butterfly Lovers & A Midsummer Night's Dream



YI-JIA SUSANNE HOU

THE TWISTING turns in the pursuit of love set the theme as Yi-Jia Susanne Hou performs one of China's most beloved and revered works, the bittersweet *Butterfly Lovers*. Then, a sparkling theatrical presentation of Mendelssohn's enchanting *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, with its famous *Wedding March* and playful scherzo.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
YI-JIA SUSANNE HOU, violin
MAUREEN THOMAS, actor
CALGARY PHILHARMONIC WOMEN'S CHORUS

CHEN/HE: *Butterfly Lovers* Violin Concerto
MENDELSSOHN: *A Midsummer Night's Dream*



The Damnation of Faust



THE HAYWAIN TRIPTYCH
 BY HIERONYMUS BOSCH

FAUST'S FOOLHARDY dealings with Méphistophélès ensure a singular fate: a one-way ticket to the fiery flames of Hell. Based on Goethe's famous poem, Berlioz's dramatic legend is staged for concert, featuring a spectacular cast of guest soloists, along with the Calgary Philharmonic Chorus and Cantaré Children's Choir.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
CAST OF VOCALISTS
CALGARY PHILHARMONIC CHORUS
CANTARÉ CHILDREN'S CHOIR

BERLIOZ: *The Damnation of Faust*

Tchaikovsky & Sibelius with Augustin Hadelich



AUGUSTIN HADELICH

ONE OF the hottest violinists playing today, Augustin Hadelich makes his CPO debut performing Sibelius' powerful Violin Concerto, a work renowned for its formidable technical difficulty. Tchaikovsky's Sixth Symphony is an extraordinarily passionate and emotional work, now one of his most enduring compositions.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

CHRISTOPH KÖNIG, conductor
AUGUSTIN HADELICH, violin

RESPIGHI: *Belfagor* Overture

SIBELIUS: Violin Concerto

TCHAIKOVSKY: Symphony No. 6 "Pathétique"

Lecture: Join artists featured in this week's concerts at From the Podium, Thursday 21 January. See page 17 for details.

Romeo and Juliet & Rachmaninoff with Pavel Kolesnikov



PAVEL KOLESNIKOV

2012 HONENS Prize Laureate Pavel Kolesnikov's interpretation of Rachmaninoff's *Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini* electrifies. Pavel and Samson Tsoy then demonstrate four hands are better than two in an energetic performance of Bruch's duo-concerto. The Orchestra's sweeping performance of Prokofiev's *Romeo and Juliet Suite* crowns an evening of romance.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
PAVEL KOLESNIKOV, piano
SAMSON TSOY, piano

RACHMANINOFF: *Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini*

BRUCH: Concerto for Two Pianos and Orchestra
Canadian Premiere

PROKOFIEV: Suite from *Romeo and Juliet*

Symphonie Fantastique



DIANA COHEN

BERLIOZ'S VIVIDLY expressive blockbuster *Symphonie Fantastique* is a wild and hallucinogenic musical trip. Exploring obsessive lust, it stitches together fantastical sequences including a macabre execution and a bacchanalian witches' Sabbath. CPO Concertmaster Diana Cohen and Principal Violist Laurent Grillet perform Mozart's magnificent Sinfonia Concertante, artfully balancing a witty dialogue between violin and viola.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

JUSTIN BROWN, conductor

DIANA COHEN, violin

LAURENT GRILLET, viola

FUNG: *Aqua*

MOZART: Sinfonia Concertante for Violin and Viola

BERLIOZ: *Symphonie Fantastique*

Lecture: Join artists featured in this week's concerts at From the Podium, Thursday 28 April. See page 17 for details.

60th Anniversary Season Finale

Symphony of a Thousand: Mahler Eight



ROBERTO MINCZUK

MAHLER'S MAGNIFICENT Symphony No. 8 is an uplifting and grand conclusion to the Orchestra's 60th Anniversary Classics Season. One of the largest productions ever staged by the CPO, numerous guest soloists and hundreds of choral voices join the Orchestra and the Calgary Philharmonic Chorus in a spectacular celebration.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

Black tie event: Dress up in high style to celebrate the CPO's 60th Anniversary Season Finale. (Less formal dress styles are also welcome!)

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

CAST OF VOCALISTS

CALGARY PHILHARMONIC CHORUS

MAHLER: Symphony No. 8 "Symphony of a Thousand"

FROM THE PODIUM: LECTURE SERIES

SIT ON STAGE AT THE JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL AND EXPERIENCE A UNIQUE EXPLORATION OF CLASSICAL MUSIC. HOSTED BY CPO DIRECTOR OF ARTISTIC PLANNING HEATHER SLATER, ARTISTS PERFORMING DURING THE WEEK'S CONCERT WILL DISCUSS A RANGE OF LIVELY TOPICS.

THURSDAY 1 OCTOBER 2015 – 6:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

FROM MOZART TO MAHLER: HOW THE SYMPHONY GREW

Two master symphonists, 100 years apart – so how are they connected? We explore how the symphony grew from the elegant, sensible clarity of the Classical era to the monolithic, late-Romantic symphonic statements of Mahler and more.

THURSDAY 21 JANUARY 2016 – 6:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

TCHAIKOVSKY'S FATE: MOTTOS & MEANINGS IN THE LATE SYMPHONIES

Tchaikovsky's last three symphonies are a microcosm of his life, embodying the Romantic notion of the struggle of the individual against mortality. We examine his remarkable life and music, from playful to Pathétique, and his ingenious use of musical mottos.

THURSDAY 10 MARCH 2016 – 6:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

BEETHOVEN EVOLVED: TO ROMANTICISM & BEYOND

Beethoven's career is often handily condensed into three periods – early, middle and late. We examine the evolution of his style at each stage, and how his music not only bridged the Classical and Romantic periods, but influenced composers for generations to come.

THURSDAY 28 APRIL 2016 – 6:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

WHEN HECTOR MET HARRIET: THE REVOLUTIONARY SYMPHONIE FANTASTIQUE

Telling a story in music: Vivaldi may have invented program music, but Berlioz was the first to perfect it. This talk focuses on the birth and evolution of program music, by looking at the origin and construction of Berlioz's manic masterpiece.

THURSDAY 5 MAY 2016 – 6:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

TRIPLE THREAT: THE COMPOSER/SOLOIST/CONDUCTOR, THEN AND NOW

Many of the great composers – Mozart, Wagner, Liszt – were also renowned soloists and conductors in their own right. Discover the overlapping roles of the musical greats and how modern artists are continuing the tradition.



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SATURDAY 28 NOVEMBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Greatest Classical Hits



ADAM JOHNSON

THESE GREATEST classical hits have been thrilling audiences for generations and with good reason; from the Overture to *The Barber of Seville* to Beethoven's Fifth and the *1812 Overture*, you'll recognize all of these popular selections frequently heard on TV, and in films and adverts. Classical connoisseurs and curious alike will enjoy these blockbusters.

Pre-concert Entertainment: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
SHENG CAI, piano

PROGRAM TO INCLUDE:

LISZT: Piano Concerto No. 1
ROSSINI: Overture to *The Barber of Seville*
DEBUSSY: *Clair de lune*
BEETHOVEN: Symphony No. 5 Mvt 1
TCHAIKOVSKY: *1812 Overture*

Brahms One: The Love Triangle

with Angela Hewitt



ANGELA HEWITT

THE RUMOURED tryst between Johannes Brahms and Clara Schumann, herself a composer and wife of Brahms' older mentor Robert Schumann, has long been a source of discussion and fascination. Each player in the alleged triangle is represented here through their music, culminating with Brahms' triumphant First Symphony, famously hyped in its day as "Beethoven's Tenth."

Pre-concert Entertainment: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

ANGELA HEWITT, piano

DIANA COHEN, violin

SCHUMANN C. / ORCH SWENSEN: Three Romances for Violin and Orchestra, Op. 22

SCHUMANN R.: Introduction and Allegro Appassionato for Piano and Orchestra

BRAHMS: Symphony No. 1 in C Minor

Brahms Two: Lovers & The Lullaby

with Angela Hewitt



JOHANNES BRAHMS

OPTIMISTIC AND pastoral, the Second Symphony gracefully follows the frenzy that surrounded the First, while the most famous "cradle song" of all-time affirms the ubiquitous lullaby's appeal. Further exploring the alleged love triangle with the Schumanns, additional complementary works from both Clara and Robert complete the program.

Pre-concert Entertainment: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

ANGELA HEWITT, piano

DIANA COHEN, violin

SCHUMANN C. / ORCH SWENSEN: Three Romances for Violin and Orchestra, Op. 22

SCHUMANN R.: Concert-allegro with Introduction for Piano and Orchestra

BRAHMS: Lullaby (arranged for orchestra)
Symphony No. 2 in D Major

Nordic Masters: Grieg, Nielsen & Sibelius



CONRAD TAO

THE MAJESTY of the Nordic countries is illuminated through the talents of three of the regions greatest composers: Sibelius' patriotic symphonic poem *Finlandia*, Grieg's Norwegian masterpiece, the enduring Piano Concerto in A Minor, and Denmark's Nielsen, with the rousing "Inextinguishable" featuring a dramatic percussive battle between two sets of timpani.

Pre-concert Entertainment: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

RUNE BERGMANN, conductor
CONRAD TAO, piano

SIBELIUS: *Finlandia*
GRIEG: Piano Concerto in A Minor
NIELSEN: Symphony No. 4 "The Inextinguishable"

Mandolin Master Avi Avital



AVI AVITAL

AVI AVITAL, the world's leading classical mandolinist, joins guest conductor Daniel Cohen in a showcase highlighting two of Israel's brightest talents. Bartók's Concerto for Orchestra, a 20th-century masterwork infused with jaunty Hungarian folk melodies, balances the evening providing a large and lively workout for the Orchestra.

Pre-concert Entertainment: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

DANIEL COHEN, conductor
AVI AVITAL, mandolin
PHILIP HANSEN, cello

PROGRAM TO INCLUDE:
VIVALDI and **BACH:** Concertos for Mandolin
AVNER DORMAN: Concerto for Mandolin and Strings
BRUCH: Kol Nidrei
BARTÓK: Concerto for Orchestra

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A CELEBRATION OF BRAHMS

FEBRUARY 18 – 27, 2016

THE GENIUS OF JOHANNES BRAHMS IS
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JOURNEY THROUGH THE COMPOSER'S
SYMPHONY CYCLE

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THE RUMORED tryst between Johannes Brahms and Clara Schumann, herself a composer and wife of Brahms' older mentor Robert Schumann, has long been a source of discussion and fascination. Each player in the alleged triangle is represented here through their music, culminating with Brahms' triumphant First Symphony, famously hyped in its day as "Beethoven's Tenth."

For full concert details see page 20.

SATURDAY 20 FEBRUARY 2016 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Brahms Two: Lovers & The Lullaby with Angela Hewitt

OPTIMISTIC AND pastoral, the Second Symphony gracefully follows the frenzy that surrounded the First, while the most famous "cradle song" of all-time affirms the ubiquitous lullaby's appeal. Further exploring the alleged love triangle with the Schumanns, additional complementary works from both Clara and Robert complete the program.

For full concert details see page 20.

FRIDAY 26 FEBRUARY 2016 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Brahms Three: The Brilliance of Brahms with Inon Barnatan

WITH GLIMPSES of the First Symphony's exuberance and the Second's graceful lyricism, the Third Symphony is Brahms at his most introspective. By contrast, the First Piano Concerto, written when he was just 25 years old, is all "heart-on-sleeve" Romanticism – an epic outpouring of passion for his favourite instrument.

For full concert details see page 9.

SATURDAY 27 FEBRUARY 2016 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Brahms Four: Brahms' World with Simone Lamsma

FROM ITS plaintive introduction to its sunny, virtuosic finale, the D Major Violin Concerto is a nod to Beethoven, but with a symphonic grandiosity that is pure Brahms. In his final symphony, Brahms comes full circle, mature and reflective – this is the music of a master in his final years.

For full concert details see page 10.

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JUNE 16, 2016 Adam Zinatelli, Principal Trumpet, CPO



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2015/2016 CLUB WOLFGANG EVENTS:

OCTOBER 30, 2015 Ute Lemper Sings The Seven Deadly Sins

JANUARY 15, 2016 Blockbuster Broadway!

MARCH 17, 2016 **RUSH HOUR** Northern Exposure: Grieg's Piano Concerto

FINALE: MAY 7, 2016 Prokofiev & Tchaikovsky with Karen Gomyo

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OCTOBER 30 – NOVEMBER 14, 2015

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& Hell or the Festival Fashion Gala events.*

FRIDAY 30 OCTOBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Festival Opening Night

Ute Lemper Sings The Seven Deadly Sins



UTE LEMPER

THIS SEASON'S Festival opens with a sensational double-bill concert – as Ute Lemper, the world's foremost interpreter of Kurt Weill, makes her CPO debut in *The Seven Deadly Sins*. The second half of the program features the CPO premiere of Philip Glass' spine-tingling Edgar Allan Poe tale, *The Fall of the House of Usher*. ACAD provides the stunning visuals.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

UTE LEMPER, vocalist

HUDSON SHAD, vocal quartet

WEILL: *The Seven Deadly Sins*

GLASS: *The Fall of the House of Usher*

Presented in partnership with



SATURDAY 31 OCTOBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Disney in Concert

Tim Burton's *The Nightmare Before Christmas* Film with Orchestra



JACK, THE PUMPKIN KING

WHAT'S THIS?! A *Festival of Fairytales & Legends* shapeshifts into a Halloween spooktacular when Pumpkin King Jack Skellington joins forces with the CPO! Experience the thrill of classic animated film *Tim Burton's The Nightmare Before Christmas* on the big screen, as Music Director Roberto Minczuk conducts Danny Elfman's original score.

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

ELFMAN: *Tim Burton's The Nightmare Before Christmas*

A Fairytales & Legends Fashion Gala



FASHION GALA

MARK YOUR calendar for this fashionable fundraiser in support of the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra.

Save the date!

FRIDAY 6 NOVEMBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Entwined: Butterfly Lovers & A Midsummer Night's Dream



YI-JIA SUSANNE HOU

THE TWISTING turns in the pursuit of love set the theme as Yi-Jia Susanne Hou performs one of China's most beloved and revered works, the bittersweet *Butterfly Lovers*. Then, a sparkling theatrical presentation of Mendelssohn's enchanting *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, with its famous *Wedding March* and playful scherzo.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
YI-JIA SUSANNE HOU, violin
MAUREEN THOMAS, actor
CALGARY PHILHARMONIC WOMEN'S CHORUS

CHEN/HE: *Butterfly Lovers* Violin Concerto
MENDELSSOHN: *A Midsummer Night's Dream*

The Damnation of Faust



THE HAYWAIN TRIPTYCH

BY HIERONYMUS BOSCH

FAUST'S FOOLHARDY dealings with Méphistophélès ensure a singular fate: a one-way ticket to the fiery flames of Hell. Based on Goethe's famous poem, Berlioz's dramatic legend is staged for concert, featuring a spectacular cast of guest soloists, along with the Calgary Philharmonic Chorus and Cantaré Children's Choir.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
CAST OF VOCALISTS
CALGARY PHILHARMONIC CHORUS
CANTARÉ CHILDREN'S CHOIR

BERLIOZ: *The Damnation of Faust*

Arctic Tales: Peer Gynt & Northern Lights



NORTHERN LIGHTS

THE NIGHT sky above Canada's untamed tundra is the star of *The Legend of the Northern Lights*. This Canadian premiere features ethereal orchestral music presented alongside shimmering aurora borealis visuals filmed by a leading astronomer from Chicago's renowned Adler Planetarium. The northern theme is completed with Russia's *Night on Bald Mountain* and Norway's famed *Peer Gynt* Suite.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
DR. JOSÉ SALGADO, video artist

MUSSORGSKY: *Night on Bald Mountain*
THEOFANIDIS: *The Legend of the Northern Lights*
GRIEG: Suite from *Peer Gynt*

Between Heaven & Hell: Legendary Music & Art



THE HAYWAIN TRIPTYCH
BY HIERONYMUS BOSCH

THE PEACEFUL, saintly realm of angels above and the fiery wasteland of the fallen angels below provide a rich seam of inspiration that have fuelled artists' and composers' imaginations for centuries. Experience a thought-provoking presentation bringing together music and art, featuring CPO musicians and guests.

SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Festival Finale

1001 Nights:

Measha Brueggergosman's *Shéhérazade*



MEASHA BRUEGGERGOSMAN

SOPRANO SENSATION Measha Brueggergosman wraps her gorgeously radiant voice around an inspired selection of ravishing vocal works. And there is no more suitable finale for *A Festival of Fairytales & Legends* than Rimsky-Korsakov's colourfully exotic *Scheherazade*, with its enchanting tales of the Arabian Nights.


Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
MEASHA BRUEGGERGOSMAN, soprano

RAVEL: *Shéhérazade*

MASSENET: Arias from *Le Cid*, *Manon* and *La Vierge*

RIMSKY-KORSAKOV: *Scheherazade*



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THURSDAY 26 MAY 2016 – 12:30PM // KNOX UNITED CHURCH

Bach Talk



JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH

BAROQUE MUSIC expert conductor, Ivars Taurins, Calgary Philharmonic Chorus Master and conductor, Timothy Shantz, and the CPO's Director of Artistic Planning, Heather Slater join forces for Bach Talk, an informative and lively exploration of the music and era of composer Johann Sebastian Bach.

IVARS TAURINS, conductor
TIMOTHY SHANTZ, conductor
HEATHER SLATER, host

Inspired by Bach



TIMOTHY SHANTZ

ALMOST EXACT contemporaries, there is no evidence that Bach and Handel ever met. But what if they had? Their influence also shines through in the music of Mendelssohn, who was a champion of the Baroque masters. *Hear My Prayer* encapsulates both of these styles and provides a heartfelt contrast to Handel's *Funeral Anthem*. Bach's rousing opening chorus to *Wachet auf* provides the finale.

TIMOTHY SHANTZ, conductor
CALGARY PHILHARMONIC CHORUS

HANDEL: *Funeral Anthem for Queen Caroline*

MENDELSSOHN: *Hear My Prayer*

BACH: Mass in G Minor BWV 235

Wachet auf ("Sleepers awake")
from Cantata 140

Bach's Mass in B Minor



IVARS TAURINS

BACH'S MASS in B Minor is truly remarkable in its design, scope and expression – a musical summation of all that is possible in sacred music. It transcends the boundaries of faith to become one of the greatest monuments to the human spirit. Our performance will reveal the intricacies of this glorious work with five guest soloists singing both arias and choruses as part of an intimate ensemble of twenty singers.

IVARS TAURINS, conductor
EARLY MUSIC VOICES

BACH: Mass in B Minor

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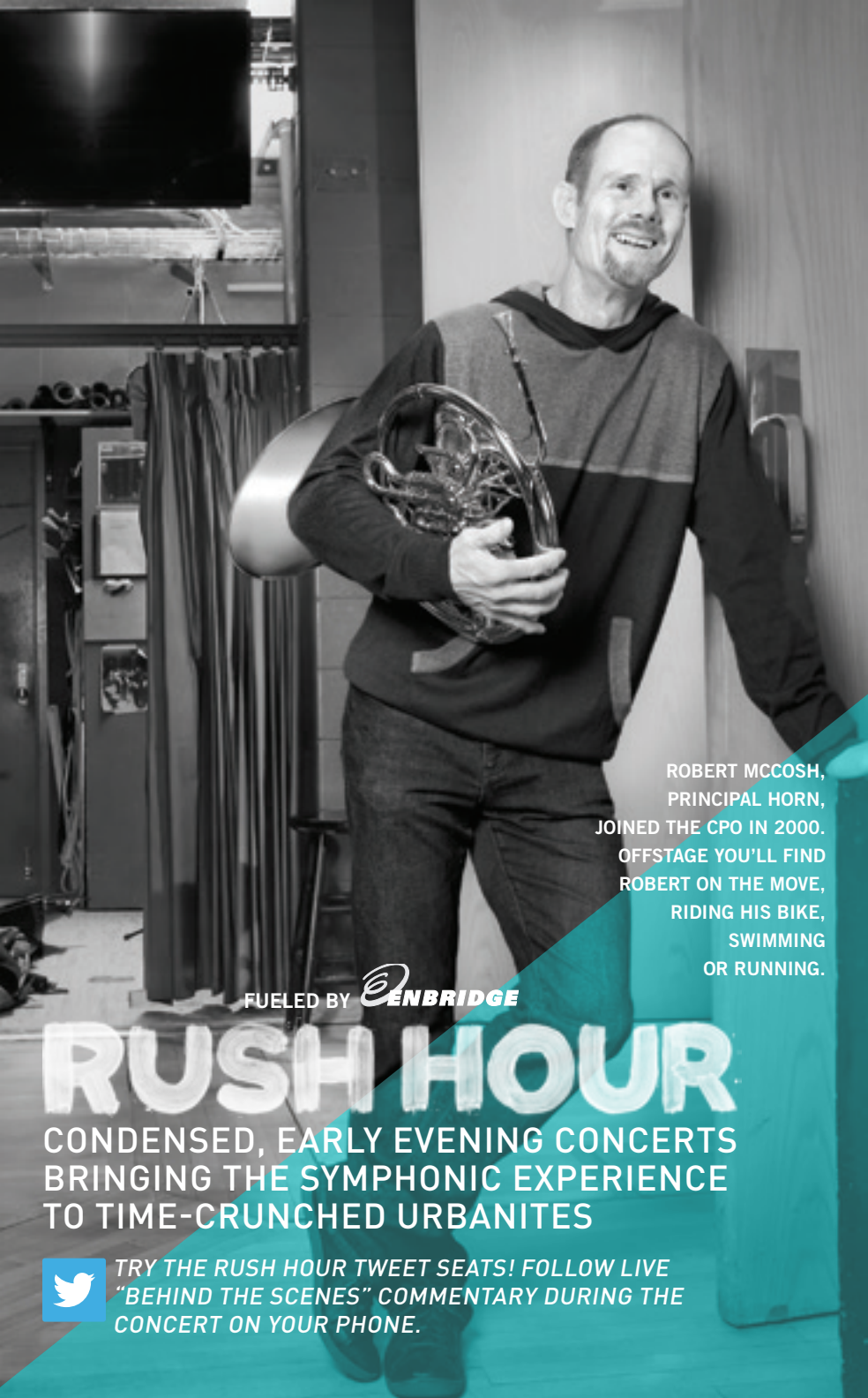
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THURSDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2015 – 6:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Arabian Nights: Scheherazade



ALADDIN, ALI BABA, Sinbad – clever *Scheherazade's* storytelling outwits a vengeful King fixated on executing a new wife daily. She keeps him hanging onto the edge of his seat listening to her tales for more than 1000 nights until he falls in love with her, exactly as audiences do when they experience this astounding work.

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

RIMSKY-KORSAKOV: *Scheherazade*

ARABIAN NIGHTS

THURSDAY 17 MARCH 2016 – 6:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Northern Exposure: Grieg's Piano Concerto in A Minor



CONRAD TAO

BERGEN'S MOST famous son Edvard Grieg elevated Norway to global classical recognition with his incredible and stunning Piano Concerto. The ferociously entertaining 21-year-old pianist Conrad Tao provides the fireworks, performing one of the world's most acclaimed piano concertos.

RUNE BERGMANN, conductor
CONRAD TAO, piano

GRIEG: Piano Concerto in A Minor
SIBELIUS: *Finlandia*

THURSDAY 12 MAY 2016 – 6:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

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AVI AVITAL, mandolin

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VIVALDI: Concerto for Mandolin (orig. lute) in D Major
BACH: Concerto in A Minor BWV 1041
BARTÓK: Concerto for Orchestra

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Superheroes!



JOHN MORRIS RUSSELL

HOLLYWOOD'S ACTION-PACKED blockbusters and favourite TV superhero shows are in the spotlight as one of the world's leading Pops conductors, John Morris Russell, leads the Orchestra through this fond homage including music from *The Dark Knight*, *X-Men*, *Captain America*, *Iron Man*, *Thor* and *Star Wars*.

JOHN MORRIS RUSSELL, conductor

Cirque Musica Holiday Spectacular



CIRQUE MUSICA

IT'S THE most exciting family Christmas spectacular ever as Cirque Musica acrobats and aerialists return with a new holiday show. Daring performers suspended high above the Orchestra and astonishing acrobatic feats are seamlessly choreographed to electrifying classical music performed by your CPO. Experience holiday music favourites in a whole new way!

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
CIRQUE MUSICA, circus performers

Blockbuster Broadway!



BLOCKBUSTER BROADWAY!

BROADWAY'S BIGGEST hits come to life as conductor Adam Johnson, the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra and guest Broadway vocalists roll out some of the biggest show tunes from New York's most beloved musicals.

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
SCOTT COULTER, vocalist
JESSICA HENDY, vocalist
FAY ANN LEE, vocalist
KELLI RABKE, vocalist

FRIDAY 4 + SATURDAY 5 MARCH 2016 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Classic Soul: Aretha to Marvin



CAPATHIA JENKINS

EXPERIENCE THE legendary soundtrack to a golden age: the chart-topping soul music of the '60s and '70s. From the era's leading ladies Aretha Franklin and Tina Turner to Marvin Gaye and the "Godfather of Soul" James Brown, timeless classics are performed by two of Broadway's finest performers.

MICHAEL KRAJEWSKI, conductor
CAPATHIA JENKINS, vocalist
DARIUS DE HAAS, vocalist

The Kings of Swing



DAVE BENNETT

RENOWNED POPS conductor Jeff Tyzik leads this big band salute to the swinging sounds of Artie Shaw, Woody Herman and the legendary Benny Goodman. Featuring the talents of clarinet sensation Dave Bennett and the incomparable trumpeter Jens Lindemann, this concert is guaranteed to be a be-boppin' good time!

JEFF TYZIK, conductor
DAVE BENNETT, clarinet
JENS LINDEMANN, trumpet

As Heard On TV



STEVEN REINEKE

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STEVEN REINEKE, conductor
NICOLE PARKER, vocalist/comedian

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Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood



LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD

THE WELL-LOVED story of the little girl in a red cape and her Grandma is imaginatively retold with author Roald Dahl's creative twist in the tale. Accompanied by Orchestra and presented with costumes, actors and puppets, this feisty young heroine proves she's more than a match for the conniving wolf.

Instrument Discovery Zoo: 2pm / Concert Starts: 3pm

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
DANDI PRODUCTIONS, children's entertainers

Vivaldi's Ring of Mystery



VIVALDI'S RING OF MYSTERY

VIVALDI, VENICE and violins: all three are celebrated in this compelling mystery story about an orphan girl in the early 1700s who meets the famed composer Vivaldi, befriends a Venice gondolier, and searches for an elusive Stradivarius violin. More than 25 excerpts of Vivaldi's most popular works are featured including *The Four Seasons*.

Instrument Discovery Zoo: 2pm / Concert Starts: 3pm

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
CLASSICAL KIDS LIVE!, actors

Beatrix Potter's Peter Rabbit & Friends



PETER RABBIT & FRIENDS

ONE OF the world's most popular storytellers, Beatrix Potter's tales of Peter Rabbit, Jemima Puddle-Duck and all their countryside friends have entertained children for generations. This delightful production with songs and narration captures the innocent and sweetly humorous situations of the celebrated books.

Instrument Discovery Zoo: 2pm / Concert Starts: 3pm

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor

MICHELLE TODD, soprano / storyteller

Carnival of the Dinosaurs with Jay Ingram



CARNIVAL OF THE DINOSAURS

JOURNEY BACK in time to the Jurassic world with Jay Ingram, science broadcaster and Calgary's Beakerhead co-founder, as he brings the story of dinosaurs alive to the music of Canadian composer Dean Burry.

Instrument Discovery Zoo: 2pm / Concert Starts: 3pm

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor

JAY INGRAM, narrator





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ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
MERCYME, band



MERCYME

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ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
CIRQUE MUSICA, circus performers



CIRQUE MUSICA

FRIDAY 11 DECEMBER – 7PM // GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SATURDAY 12 DECEMBER – 2PM + 7PM // GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A Traditional Christmas



A TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS

CALGARY'S BEAUTIFUL Grace Presbyterian Church provides the backdrop for this beloved CPO Christmas tradition. Join the Orchestra and celebrate the spirit of the season with a selection of sacred and secular holiday favourites.

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
CUM VINO CANTUS

FRIDAY 11 + SATURDAY 12 DECEMBER – 7:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Handel's Messiah



HANDEL'S MESSIAH

RENOWNED BAROQUE conductor Maestro Ivars Taurins, joins the CPO to perform this music of faith and hope that has inspired audiences for centuries. Featuring an impressive Canadian cast of soloists and Chorus, this annual festive concert will leave you singing "Hallelujah!"

IVARS TAURINS, conductor
GILLIAN KEITH, soprano
KRISZTINA SZABÓ, mezzo-soprano
PHILIPPE GAGNÉ, tenor
BRETT POLEGATO, baritone
CALGARY PHILHARMONIC CHORUS

HANDEL: *Messiah*

Sing-Along Messiah



IVARS 'HANDEL' TAURINS

HERR HANDEL (Ivars Taurins) is back! Join in voice with the Orchestra, Chorus and a Canadian cast of soloists for this joyous holiday tradition, conducted by the great composer Handel himself. Bring your own score or purchase one in the lobby and sing-along with the biggest choir in town.

IVARS 'HANDEL' TAURINS, conductor
VOCALISTS, as per Handel's *Messiah*

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Family Holiday Pops



FAMILY HOLIDAY POPS

BRIMMING WITH uplifting holiday favourites and popular Christmas carols, the CPO's cheerful Family Holiday Pops is sure to please everyone on your Christmas list, from youngsters to grandparents. A special VIP guest appearing direct from the North Pole will also be there to check up on who has been naughty or nice. Season's Greetings from your CPO!

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
CALGARY PHILHARMONIC CHORUS

Salute to Vienna New Year's Concert



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CHRISTIAN SCHULZ, conductor (Vienna)
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YEARS

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ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

SATURDAY 19 SEPTEMBER 2015 – 8PM // BELLA CONCERT HALL

Mount Royal Conservatory Bella Concert Hall Opening Concert



WELCOME BELLA! Conductor Roberto Minczuk, your Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra, Calgary Philharmonic Chorus and a quartet of great soloists bring Bella to life in grand style!

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
CALGARY PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA
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CALGARY PHILHARMONIC CHORUS

Additional concerts in the Bella Concert Opening Festival include a choral extravaganza on 2 September, Yuja Wang, piano, performing 30 September and Teng Li, viola, Ning Feng, violin, and Yuja Wang, piano, performing together 3 October.

Opening Concert and Festival Tickets:
mtroyal.ca/bella2015

*Co-presented in Partnership with MRU,
the CPO and Calgary Opera.*



More Stayin' Alive: A Tribute to the Bee Gees



BACK BY popular demand! *You Should Be Dancing* in the aisles as the world's number one Bee Gees tribute band returns to the CPO following their sold-out triumph last Season. An uncanny tribute to the Gibb brothers, this symphonic salute includes hits like *Night Fever*, *Jive Talkin'* and *More Than a Woman*.

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
STAYIN' ALIVE, Bee Gees tribute band

SATURDAY 26 SEPTEMBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Full Moon Fever: A Tribute to Tom Petty & The Heartbreakers



RE-CREATING THE energetic live experience of Rock and Roll Hall of Fame inductee Tom Petty, the world's leading Petty tribute artists, Full Moon Fever, join the Orchestra for one unforgettable evening. Selling more than 80 million albums, experience the symphonic rock power of Tom Petty's greatest hits including *Refugee*, *Free Fallin'* and *I Won't Back Down*.

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
FULL MOON FEVER, Tom Petty tribute band

FRIDAY 9 OCTOBER 2015 – 7:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL
SATURDAY 10 OCTOBER 2015 – 2PM + 7:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Bugs Bunny at the Symphony II



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SATURDAY 17 OCTOBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

The Best of Elton John & Billy Joel



BACK TO back! Songs from two of the world's ultimate showmen brought together in a symphonic tribute featuring Jeans 'n Classics. Enjoy the best of two incredible talents, from Billy Joel's unstoppable *Piano Man* and *We Didn't Start the Fire* to Elton John's powerful *Circle of Life* and *I Guess That's Why They Call It the Blues*.

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
JEANS 'N CLASSICS, band

Wilson Phillips in Concert



WILSON PHILLIPS

MAKE SURE you *Hold On* as Wilson Phillips join the CPO for one special evening of sweet vocal harmonies. Famously stealing the wedding scene in the film *Bridesmaids*, Carnie and Wendy (daughters of The Beach Boys' Brian Wilson) and Chynna (daughter of The Mamas & the Papas' John and Michelle Phillips) have sold more than 10 million albums.

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
WILSON PHILLIPS

FRIDAY 30 OCTOBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL



Ute Lemper Sings The Seven Deadly Sins



UTE LEMPER

THIS SEASON'S Festival opens with a sensational double-bill concert – as Ute Lemper, the world's foremost interpreter of Kurt Weill, makes her CPO debut in *The Seven Deadly Sins*. The second half of the program features the CPO premiere of Philip Glass' spine-tingling Edgar Allan Poe tale, *The Fall of the House of Usher*. ACAD provides the stunning visuals.

Pre-concert Chat: 7:05pm / Post-concert: Afterthoughts

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor
UTE LEMPER, vocalist
HUDSON SHAD, vocal quartet

WEILL: *The Seven Deadly Sins*
GLASS: *The Fall of the House of Usher*

Presented in partnership with **ACAD**



Disney in Concert

Tim Burton's *The Nightmare Before Christmas* Film with Orchestra



JACK, THE PUMPKIN KING

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THURSDAY 26 NOVEMBER 2015 // FAIRMONT PALLISER HOTEL

WHAT'S THIS? *A Festival of Fairytale & Legends* shapeshifts into a Halloween spooktacular when Pumpkin King Jack Skellington joins forces with the CPO! Experience the thrill of classic animated film *Tim Burton's The Nightmare Before Christmas* on the big screen, as Music Director Roberto Minczuk conducts Danny Elfman's original score.

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

ELFMAN: *Tim Burton's The Nightmare Before Christmas*

The Great Works Gala 2015



THE GREAT WORKS GALA

SAVE THE DATE! Launched in 2014, the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra's annual Great Works Gala raises funds to help bring to life masterpieces of symphonic music of all periods for Calgary audiences. Enjoy an exclusive performance by the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra, plus a plump roast turkey and all the trimmings served to every table – make sure you choose your carver wisely!

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor

Rufus Wainwright In Concert



RUFUS WAINWRIGHT

Photo Credit // Tina Tyrell

AFFECTIONATELY REFERRED to by Elton John as “the greatest songwriter on the planet,” Grammy® nominee Rufus Wainwright has established himself as one of the leading singer-songwriters of his generation. Versatile and multi-talented as a composer, singer, actor and author, he joins the CPO for one exciting evening of music at the Jubilee.

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
RUFUS WAINWRIGHT, vocalist

SATURDAY 6 FEBRUARY 2016 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

The Peking Acrobats



THE PEKING ACROBATS

RENOWNED WORLDWIDE for their daring feats of balance and flexibility, the Peking Acrobats bring their contingent of contortionists, jugglers, trick-cyclists and gymnasts to the Calgary stage. The CPO provides the soundtrack for this one-of-a-kind visual spectacular that will have your heart pounding! “Amazing and Exciting!” – *New York Post*

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor
THE PEKING ACROBATS, circus troupe

THURSDAY 3 MARCH 2016 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band with Art of Time Ensemble



ART OF TIME ENSEMBLE

MELDING HIGH art with pop culture, chamber group Art of Time Ensemble re-invents The Beatles' soundtrack to the Summer of Love. With a little help from their friends vocalists Glen Phillips (Toad the Wet Sprocket), Andy Maize (Skydiggers) and Craig Northey (Odds), this orchestral evening pays tribute to one of the Fab Four's finest albums.

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor

ANDY MAIZE, vocalist

CRAIG NORTHEY, vocalist

GLEN PHILLIPS, vocalist

ART OF TIME ENSEMBLE

ANDREW BURASHKO, artistic director

WEDNESDAY 6 APRIL 2016 – 7:30PM // JUBILEE AUDITORIUM

Video Games Live: Bonus Round!



VIDEO GAMES LIVE!

A SENSORY explosion of synchronized lights, lasers, live action, video clips and your Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra performing the music behind a huge selection of the world's biggest games, Video Games Live! is a thrilling spectacle. A worldwide phenomenon, gamers young and old can't get enough of this electrifying interactive concert experience.

EMMANUEL FRATIANNI, conductor

TOMMY TALLARICO, host

Ode To Joy: Beethoven's Ninth Symphony



ROBERTO MINCZUK

Photo Credit // Rick Robinson

THEMES OF peace, hope and joy radiate throughout Beethoven's profound Ninth Symphony, one of the most powerful and uplifting pieces of music ever written. Composed to accompany Beethoven's masterpiece, this concert also features the world premiere CPO commission *Daughter of Elysium*, by established composer and CPO violist, Arthur Bachmann, showcasing CPO Principal Flute, Sara Hahn.

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

CAST OF VOCALISTS

SARA HAHN, flute

CALGARY PHILHARMONIC CHORUS

CANTARÉ CHILDREN'S CHOIR

BACHMANN: *Daughter of Elysium, Concerto for Flute*
World Premiere CPO Commission

BEETHOVEN: Symphony No. 9 "Choral"

WEDNESDAY 18 MAY 2016 – 7:30PM // ESPLANADE ARTS & HERITAGE CENTRE

The CPO in Medicine Hat



THE CPO IN MEDICINE HAT

YOUR CPO brings the world's greatest music to Medicine Hat in this annual visit guaranteed to light up the stage at the beautiful Esplanade Arts & Heritage Centre.

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

Tickets for this performance are available from the Esplanade ticket provider: 403.502.8777

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ENERGY

E.T. Film with Orchestra



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ONE OF the highest-grossing movies of all time, Steven Spielberg's *E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial* continues to captivate audiences more than 30 years after its release. Experience this classic as never before when the CPO performs John Williams' Academy® Award-winning score live, accompanying the blockbuster film on the big screen.

ROBERTO MINCZUK, conductor

WILLIAMS: *E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial*

Pops in the Park



POPS IN THE PARK

WELCOME SUMMER with this annual light-hearted evening of popular classics and mouth-watering western barbeque. Pops in the Park takes place in the spacious event tent at Heritage Park, so there's no need to bring along chairs or cushions – simply round-up your friends and family and enjoy a perfect summer's evening concert.

BBQ 6:30PM / Concert 7:30PM

ADAM JOHNSON, conductor



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SATURDAY 12 SEPTEMBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Calgary Phil Presents: The 5 Browns on 5 Pianos



THE 5 BROWNS

FIVE FIERY young pianists and five grand pianos onstage! These Juilliard-educated siblings deliver scorching piano style along with oodles of personality and charm. Performing in various combinations from duets to complex five piano arrangements, experience the ultimate in keyboard showmanship with the multi-talented Brown family.

THE 5 BROWNS, piano quintet

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THURSDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2015 – 8PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Calgary Phil Presents: Canadian Brass



CANADIAN BRASS

SPONTANEOUS, ENTERTAINING and wildly talented, Canadian Brass have rightfully earned the accolade “the world’s most famous brass group.” Playing an immense and diverse range of repertoire ranging from pop hits to rousing Dixieland rag and marches, Canadian Brass has elevated the brass quintet ensemble into a sensational tour-de-force.

CANADIAN BRASS, brass quintet

CHUCK DAELLENBACH, tuba

CHRISTOPHER COLETTI, trumpet

ACHILLES LIARMAKOPOULOS, trombone

CALEB HUDSON, trumpet

BERNHARD SCULLY, horn

Calgary Phil Presents: Rachmaninoff Vespers – Luminous Voices & Pro Coro Canada



LUMINOUS VOICES

RECEIVING RAVE reviews, Alberta's premier professional choral ensembles – Calgary's Luminous Voices and Edmonton's Pro Coro Canada – join together in harmony for a haunting performance of Rachmaninoff's *Vespers*. This unaccompanied choral masterpiece is both deeply moving and quietly reflective, earning a deserved reputation as one of the most beautiful works within the choral canon.

TIMOTHY SHANTZ, conductor

MICHAEL ZAUGG, conductor

LUMINOUS VOICES

PRO CORO CANADA

RACHMANINOFF: *Vespers* "All Night Vigil"

SCHNITKE: Selections from Concerto for Mixed Chorus

Calgary Phil Presents: Turtle Island Quartet Plays Hendrix



TURTLE ISLAND QUARTET

HAVE YOU ever been... to *Electric Ladyland*? In a fearless exploration of musical genres, the two time Grammy® Award-winning Turtle Island Quartet refashion works from Jimi Hendrix's seminal '60s album, as well as other pieces inspired by the legendary guitarist including *Little Wing* and *All Along the Watchtower*.

TURTLE ISLAND QUARTET

DAVID BALAKRISHNAN, violin

MATEUSZ SMOCZYNSKI, violin

MARK SUMMER, cello

BENJAMIN VON GUTZEIT, viola

Calgary Phil Presents: Les Violons du Roy



LES VIOLONS DU ROY

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RENOWNED FOR their authentic interpretation of Baroque and Classical-era music, Les Violons du Roy rank amongst Canada's highest regarded music ensembles. In demand throughout Europe, their busy touring schedule brings them to Calgary for one anticipated performance which includes Mozart's popular Symphony No. 40, plus an electrifying piano performance of the "Jeunehomme" Concerto by star pianist, Alexandre Tharaud.

BERNARD LABADIE, conductor
ALEXANDRE THARAUD, piano
LES VIOLONS DU ROY

KRAUS: Overture to *Olympie*
MOZART: Piano Concerto No. 9 in E-flat Major
"Jeunehomme"
Symphony No. 40 in G Minor

WEDNESDAY 4 MAY 2016 – 7:30PM // JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Calgary Phil Presents: Wild West New Music Ensemble featuring Sarah Slean



SARAH SLEAN

EXPECT THE unexpected as renowned Canadian poet/musician Sarah Slean joins Calgary's bold chamber music provocateurs The Wild West New Music Ensemble for a performance of Schoenberg's *Pierrot lunaire*. Led by former CPO Associate Conductor Mélanie Léonard, explore legendary modern classical gems including 4:33, John Cage's experimental work of silence.

MÉLANIE LÉONARD, conductor
SARAH SLEAN, vocalist
WILD WEST NEW MUSIC ENSEMBLE

CRUMB: *Vox Balaenae*
CAGE: 4:33
ARCURI: *Les furieuses enlumineures*
SCHOENBERG: *Pierrot lunaire* featuring Sarah Slean

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TICKETS FOR THE JACK SINGER CONCERT HALL

Tickets for all Jack Singer Concert Hall concerts are available starting in May 2015 from the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra by phone, fax or in person. Online ticket sales start August 4, 2015.

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Tickets for all Jubilee Auditorium concerts are available starting May 2015 through the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra by phone, fax or in person. Starting August 4, 2015 ALL ticket sales for the Jubilee Auditorium will be handled by Ticketmaster, the Jubilee Auditorium's ticket provider. From that date forward, standard Ticketmaster fees will apply. Please note Symphony Sundays for Kids Series subscriptions will only be available until July 31, 2015 through the CPO Box Office.

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- Salute to Vienna: There are NO exchanges for this concert.
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