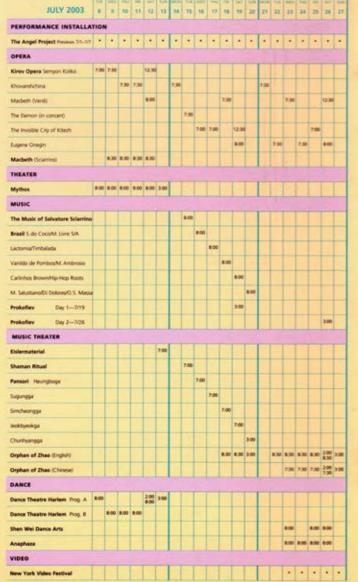
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Artistic and General Director Valery Gergiev

Orchestra of the Mariinsky Theatre

METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE Tickets: \$20, 35, 55, 85, 105, 150, 250*

*Limited quantity available. Met Titles in English at every performance

NORTH AMERICAN PREMIERE Semyon Kotko

Prokofiev's compelling work of social realism is imbued with charged brutality, enchanting melodies, and mesmerizing drama.

Composer Sergei Prokofiev Stage Director Yuri Alexandrov

Tuesday, July 8 at 7:00 Wednesday, July 9 at 7:30 Saturday, July 12 at 12:30

Khovanshchina

Set in 1682, Mussorgsky's classic masterpiece captures all the drama and dissonance of its time, depicting the clash of entrenched politics and reform. From the Mariinsky Theatre in St. Petersburg

Kirov Opera

A co-presentation with

The Metropolitan Opera

OPERA Experience "truly great operatic performances" (*The Guardian*, London) when the Kirov Opera brings six extraordinary masterpieces to Lincoln Center. In celebration of St. Petersburg's 300th anniversary—and the rich history of Russia and its operatic tradition—some of the country's best opera singers perform at the majestic Metropolitan Opera House with the Kirov Orchestra and Chorus under the direction of Valery Gergiev.

Macbeth

This haunting, contemporary staging of Verdi's Macbeth unfurls with sheer power and intensity. "A Russian triumph," wrote the Evening Standard.

Composer Giuseppe Verdi Stage Director David McVicar

Saturday, July 12 at 8:00 Friday, July 18 at 7:30 Wednesday, July 23 at 7:30 Saturday, July 26 at 12:30

The Demon

Rarely performed outside of Russia, *The Demon* is about a fallen angel in pursuit of a woman's love. "Bursting with supernatural...nuance," wrote the *Financial Times*.

The Legend of the Invisible City of Kitezh

This opera tells an otherworldly story of romance between a peasant girl and a prince amid the Tartars' siege during the 13th century. "Kitezh is an enticing, mystical pageant," wrote Opera News.

Composer Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov

Stage Director Dmitry Cherniakov

Wednesday, July 16 at 7:00 Thursday, July 17 at 7:00 Saturday, July 19 at 12:30 Friday, July 25 at 7:00

Eugene Onegin

Based on Pushkin's poem, Tchaikovsky's Eugene Onegin explores a tale of unrequited love and remorse.

Composer Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky Stage Directors Moshe Leiser, Patrice Caurier

Saturday, July 19 at 8:00 Tuesday, July 22 at 7:30 Thursday, July 24 at 7:30 Saturday, July 26 at 8:00

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The Angel Project

PERFORMANCE INSTALLATION Internationally renowned theater and opera director Deborah Warner creates The Angel Project especially for New York City and Lincoln Center Festival 2003. A solitary experience that takes you to various locations in the city, The Angel Project is both a physical journey and a journey of the imagination.



U.S. PREMIERE

A site-specific performance installation Conceived and directed by Deborah Warner Designed by Tom Pye

Previews: July 1-July 7 Opens July 8. runs through July 27 Mondays and Tuesdays 3:00-8:00pm Wednesdays through Sundays 10:00am-8:00pm

Tickets: \$90

During The Angel Project, you will travel alone to several locations in the city. The duration of your experience depends on your pace and may take approx. two to three hours. When you buy your ticket, you will receive a specific start time and directions to your starting location.

Partial accessibility.

Originally commissioned by the London International Festival of Theatre (LIFT) and coproduced in association with the Perth International Arts Festival.

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Eislermaterial

MUSIC A multimedia musical experience, that pays homage to the overlooked genius of German-Jewish composer, Hanns Eisler, "An enchanting and affectionate portrait of one of the most fascinating and underrated figures of 20th century music," wrote The Guardian (London).

U.S. PREMIERE

Ensemble Modern

Composer and Director **Heiner Goebbels**

Vocals Josef Bierbichler Music Hanns Eisler Text Bertolt Brecht and others

LAGUARDIA CONCERT HALL

Sunday, July 13 at 7:00 Tickets: \$40

Performed in German with English supertitles.

Commissioned by musica viva, Munich. A co-production of musica vivalBayerischer Rundfunk, Hebbei Theater Berlin, and Dresden Center for Contemporary Music.

Presented in association with Fiorello H. LaGuardia High School of Music 8 Art and the Performing Arts.

Dance Theatre of Harlem

DANCE Catch the sublime spirit of Dance Theatre of Harlem with its first appearance at Lincoln Center Festival, featuring the world premiere of Harold Arlen and Johnny Mercer's St. Louis Woman: A Blues Ballet. Under the visionary direction of Arthur Mitchell, this extraordinary ballet company has electrified sold-out audiences for over 34 years. "Dance Theatre of Harlem holds us in thrall," wrote the Evening Standard in London. "Rarely was an audience so reluctant to leave, cheering for encores." The Dance Theatre of Harlem Orchestra performs for both programs.

Founder and Artistic Director Arthur Mitchell

PROGRAM A Tuesday, July 8 at 8:00 Saturday, July 12 at 2:00 & 8:00 Sunday, July 13 at 3:00

The Four Temperaments Music Paul Hindemith Choreographer George Balanchine

WORLD PREMIERE

St. Louis Woman: A Blues Ballet Based on the musical St. Louis Woman Music Harold Arlen Lyrics Johnny Mercer Book Arna Bontemps and Countee Cullen Choreographer Michael Smuin Original concept/librettist Jack Wrangler

PROGRAM B Wednesday-Friday, July 9-11 at 8:00

Serenade Music Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky Choreographer George Balanchine

New Bach Music J.S. Bach, Violin Concerto in A minor Choreographer Robert Garland

"Meditation" from Thais Music Jules Massenet Choreographer Sir Frederick Ashton

Fancy Free Music Leonard Bernstein Choreographer Jerome Robbins

NEW YORK STATE THEATER Tickets: \$25, 40, 55, 65, 75

Generous support provided by The Harkness Foundation for Dance.

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Macbeth

OPERA "Widely considered one of Europe's most original contemporary composers" (The New York Times), Salvatore Sciarrino returns to Lincoln Center Festival after his triumph of Luci mie traditrici in 2001 with the chilling, contemporary spectacle of Shakespeare's tragedy Macbeth. Sciarrino collaborates with noted German director Achim Freyer and Oper Frankfurt to create an illusory experience that promises to captivate and astonish.

U.S. PREMIERE

Composer Salvatore Sciarrino Director/Set design Achim Freyer Co-Director Friederike Rinne-Wolf

Conductor Johannes Debus

Oper Frankfurt Ensemble Modern

Performed in Italian with English supertitles.

JOHN JAY COLLEGE THEATER Wednesday, July 9 at 8:30 Thursday-Saturday,

July 10-12 at 8:30

Tickets: \$55

Co-production of Oper Frankfurt, Schwetzingen Festival, and Musica per Roma

Major support provided by The Alice Tully Foundation: Related program:

Chamber Music of Salvatore Sciarrino

New Juilliard Ensemble

Artistic Director and Conductor Joel Sachs

Four U.S. Premieres

Piano Trio No. 2 Le voci sottovetro Tre notturni brillianti Infinito nero

PAUL HALL THE JUILLIARD SCHOOL Tuesday, July 15 at 8:00 #FREE. No tickets required.



MUSIC THEATER Experience one of Korea's greatest oral traditions when Lincoln Center Festival 2003 presents five pansori. Each solo epic drama features a master singer, *kwangdae*, and a drummer, *gosu*. Part blues, part jazz scat singing, and part poetry reading, these amazing epics tap into the ancient roots of Korean culture.

Heungboga

Performed by Kim Soo-yeon Heungboga (Song of Heungbo) chronicles the tale of two brothers—the younger one virtuous, the other greedy and wicked—after the death of their parents.

Approx. 2 hours.

Wednesday, July 16 at 7:00

Sugungga

Performed by Cho Tong-dal
One of the most well-known
Korean folk tales, Sugungga
(Song of the Underwater Palace)
narrates the hilarious fable of
a tortoise who lures a rabbit to
an underwater palace.
Approx. 3 hours, 30 minutes.
Thursday, July 17 at 7:00

Simcheongga

Performed by Kim Young-ja Simcheongga (Song of Simcheong) recounts a dramatic fairy tale about a daughter who sacrifices herself for her blind father. Approx. 4 hours. Friday, July 18 at 7:00 Jeokbyeokga

Performed by Kim Il-goo Jeokbyeokga (Song of the Red Cliffs) portrays a general who refuses to surrender during an epic Chinese battle and ultimately prevails. Approx. 3 hours, 30 minutes. Saturday, July 19 at 7:00

Chunhyangga

Performed by Ahn Suk-sun Chunhyangga (Song of Chunhyang) is a classic fable of revenge and forbidden love, telling the story of a nobleman's secret relationship with a courtesan's young daughter. Approx. 5 hours, 30 minutes. Sunday, July 20 at 3:00

Percussionists Lee Tae-baek, Kim Chung-man

JOHN JAY COLLEGE THEATER Tickets: \$40 for each Pansori \$150 for all five Pansori

Performed in Korean with English supertitles.

Shaman Ritual

One Performance Only!

THEATER Korean shaman Kim Keum-hwa and her 18 master artists and assistants bless New York City with their spectacular ritual performance. Transforming an elaborate, vibrant stage into a ceremonial space, Kim Keum-hwa summons and receives spirits via a series of ritualistic dances, songs, and acts. Established long before Taoism, Buddhism, or Christianity, these ceremonies are central to Korean culture, embodying myriad aspects of the country's music and dance traditions.

Daedong Gut (Korean Shaman Ritual) Performed by Mudang

JOHN JAY COLLEGE THEATER Tuesday, July 15 at 7:00

(Shaman) Kim Keum-hwa

Tickets: \$40



MUSIC Discover and celebrate the popular rhythms—old and new—of the northeastern region of Brazil, the Afro-Caribbean musical heart of the country.

From Coco to Mangue Beat Wednesday, July 16 at 8:00 Tickets: \$30

NEW YORK DEBUT Selma do Coco Brazil's foremost interpreter of coco.

Mundo Livre S/A
Mangue beat pioneers fuse
traditional sounds with rock
and funk.

The Drums of Bahia Thursday, July 17 at 8:00 Tickets: \$30

U.S. DEBUT Lactomia Talented young percussionists performing on found objects.

NEW YORK DEBUT Timbalada A hard-hitting, funk-edged percussion group.

Forró Then and Now Friday, July 18 at 8:00 Tickets: \$30

U.S. DEBUT Vanildo de Pombos A forró singer influenced by Brazilian legend Luiz Gonzaga.

Mestre Ambrosio
A contemporary spin on regional music, layering rock, funk, and electronic music.

A Night with Carlinhos Brown with Hip-Hop Roots Saturday, July 19 at 8:00 Tickets: \$35 An intoxicating mix of Afro-Brazilian percussive beats, reggae, and rock.

Recife, Rabecas, and Turntables Sunday, July 20 at 8:00 Tickets: \$30

U.S. DEBUT
Mestre Salustiano
A master of regional traditions
for more than 30 years, Mestre
Salustiano is a virtuoso.

NEW YORK DEBUT DJ Dolores and Orchestra Santa Massa A distinct urban sound that melds the traditional with the cutting edge.

All performances take place in LAGUARDIA CONCERT HALL

Presented in association with Fiorello H. LaGuardia High School of Music & Art and the Performing Arts.

The Orphan of Zhao

THEATER Ever since Voltaire translated The Orphan of Zhao during the late 18th century, Western audiences have been fascinated by this classic Chinese tale about generations of revenge. A timeless tale, The Orphan of Zhao explores the themes of personal sacrifice and the meaning of revenge.

WORLD PREMIERE The Orphan of Zhao (English)

Conceived and directed by Chen Shi-Zheng Script adaptation by David Greenspan, based on the original play by Ji Juan-Xiang Original music by Stephin Merritt

A contemporary take on the classic story transforms The Orphan of Zhao into a black comedy of tragic proportions. Director Chen Shi-Zheng, composer Stephin Merritt, and playwright David Greenspan adapt this Chinese work into English.

Friday, July 18 at 8:30 (Preview) Saturday, July 19 at 8:30 Sunday, July 20 at 3:00 Tuesday-Saturday, July 22-26 at 8:30 Saturday, July 26 at 2:00 Sunday, July 27 at 3:00

LAGUARDIA DRAMA THEATER Tickets: \$55

赵氏狐儿

The Orphan of Zhao (Chinese) A 13th-century play by Ji Juan-Xiang Conceived and Directed by Chen Shi-Zheng

The original 13th century opera staged through the innovative lens of Chen's direction features Chinese music and the pageantry of the 13th century operatic tradition. Chen's cast includes six of the principal opera singers from The Peony Pavilion presented at Lincoln Center Festival 1999.

Wednesday-Saturday, July 23-26 at 7:30 Saturday, July 26 at 2:00 Sunday, July 27 at 3:00

CLARK STUDIO THEATER Tickets: \$55

Performed in Mandarin with English supertitles.

THEATER A penetrating retelling of the classic Greek myth about the

ill-fated house of Atreus, Mythos explores the blood-drenched, historical cycle of murder and revenge through a labyrinth of music, dance, dialogue, and spectacle. "The arrival of Mythos on the Hebrew stage is little short of a gift from the gods," wrote the Jerusalem Post during the world premiere of Mythos.

Itim Theatre Ensemble in collaboration with The Cameri Theatre of Tel Aviv Artistic Director Rina Yerushalmi

Mythos

U.S. PREMIERE

Adapted and directed by Rina Yerushalmi Translation Aharon Shabtai, Shimon Buzaglo

LAGUARDIA DRAMA THEATER

Tuesday-Saturday, July 8-12 at 8:00 Sunday, July 13 at 3:00

Tickets: \$55

York, George E. Pataki, Governor.

Performed in Hebrew with simultaneous English translation.

Presented in association with Fiorello H. LaGuardia High School of Music & Art and the Performing Arts.

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Prokofiev Marathon

MUSIC The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center offers a unique opportunity to hear all nine of Prokofiev's piano sonatas performed by Anne-Marie McDermott over two days, plus additional chamber works performed by CMS artist members.

The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center Artistic Director David Shifrin

Piano Anne-Marie McDermott

Flute Ransom Wilson Oboe Stephen Taylor Clarinet David Shifrin Violin Ani Kavafian Violin and Viola Ida Kavafian Cello Fred Sherry Bass Edgar Meyer Orion String Quartet Violins Daniel Phillips, Todd Phillips Viola Steven Tenenbom Cello Timothy Eddy

ALICE TULLY HALL Day 1: Saturday, July 19 Part I at 3:00; Part II at 8:00

Day 2: Saturday, July 26 Part I at 3:00; Part II at 8:00 Tickets: \$45 per day General Admission

Shen Wei Dance Arts

DANCE For the first time, choreographer Shen Wei and his celebrated dance company—Shen Wei Dance Arts—perform in New York City. Originally trained in traditional Chinese opera in Hunan and now living in New York, Shen organically fuses the boundaries between Chinese opera, modern dance, and the visual arts to create mesmerizing works of dance.

Artistic Director Shen Wei

NEW YORK PREMIERES

The Rite of Spring Composer Igor Stravinsky Pianist Fazil Say (Original version for four hands played on disklavier) Choreographer Shen Wei

Folding Music John Tavener, Tibetan Buddhist chants Choreographer Shen Wei Wednesday, July 23 at 8:00 Friday, July 25 at 8:00 Saturday, July 26 at 8:00

LAGUARDIA CONCERT HALL

Tickets: \$40

Presented in association with Fiorello H. LaGuardia High School of Music & Art and the Performing Arts.

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Anaphaza

DANCE Reeling with raw energy, adrenaline, and humor, Batsheva Dance Company's *Anaphaza* is charged with the emotional and physical vivacity of a celebratory spectacle. During this performance, Israel's premier modern dance group moves to a fierce volley of percussive beats—from resonating Hebrew chants to empty water-cooler jugs bouncing against the floor. The *Jerusalem Post* called *Anaphaza* "Ohad Naharin's most celebrated dance piece of the decade."

Batsheva Dance Company Artistic Director Ohad Naharin

NEW YORK PREMIERE

Music Aaron Copland, Guem, Arvo Pärt, Rolf Wallin, Dani Makov, Avi Belleli, Ohad Naharin Choreographer Ohad Naharin

Wednesday-Saturday, July 23-26 at 8:00

NEW YORK STATE THEATER Tickets: \$25, 40, 55, 65 Generous support provided by The Harkness Foundation for Dance.

Additional support provided by The Nathan Cummings Foundation, Carol and Earle I. Mack, and The Andrea and Charles Bronfman Philanthropies.

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WALTER READE THEATER

Wednesday July 23-Sunday July 27

Symposia All events are free except where noted.

Works & Process at the Guggenheim: The Orphan of Zhao Excerpts and discussion on both versions of The Orphan of Zhao. For further information, visit www.worksandprocess.com. Tickets: \$18; 15 (members, students, seniors) Sunday, June 29 at 8:00, Monday, June 30 at 8:00 SOLOMON R. GUGGENHEIM MUSEUM, 1071 Fifth Avenue (at 89th Street)

The Kirov Opera: Prokofiev's Semyon Kotko

Co-presented by Lincoln Center Festival 2003 and the Metropolitan Opera. Moderated by Simon Morrison, Princeton University. Wednesday, July 9 at 5:00, STANLEY H. KAPLAN PENTHOUSE

Mythos: A Conversation with Rina Yerushalmi

Presented in association with the Jewish Community Center in Manhattan. Artistic director Rina Yerushalmi of Tel Aviv's Itim Theatre Ensemble discusses Mythos. Moderated by William Mullen, Bard College.

Thursday, July 10 at 6:00, JCC. 334 Amsterdam Ave (at 76th 5t). For advance reservations, call the JCC at 646,505,5708.

Dance Theatre of Harlem: The Making of St. Louis Woman: A Blues Ballet

Arthur Mitchell, Founder and Artistic Director of Dance Theatre of Harlem, and his creative team, talk about St. Louis Woman: A Blues Ballet. Friday, July 11 at 6:00, STANLEY H. KAPLAN PENTHOUSE

Eislermaterial: A Discussion with **Heiner Goebbels** Saturday, July 12 at 6:00, STANLEY H. KAPLAN PENTHOUSE

The Angel Project: A discussion with Deborah Warner

Anne Pasternak, Executive Director of Creative Time. moderates. Monday, July 14 at 6:00, STANLEY H. KAPLAN PENTHOUSE

Korean Shamanism & Pansori

Laurel Kendell, American Museum of Natural History, leads a discussion about shamanism and its relationship to pansori. Tuesday, July 15 at 5:00, STANLEY H. KAPLAN PENTHOUSE

Brazil: Beyond Bossa

Artists and experts in the field of Brazilian culture and music examine the state of the arts in northeast Brazil.

Friday, July 18 at 6:00, STANLEY H. KAPLAN PENTHOUSE

The Life & Music of Prokofiev Noted Prokofiev biographer,

Harlow Robinson speaks about the composer's life and times. Saturday, July 19 at 6:00,

STANLEY H. KAPLAN PENTHOUSE

The Orphan of Zhao: Traditional & Contemporary

Director Chen Shi-Zheng and the creative team talk about their experience of making the two adaptations of The Orphan of Zhao.

Thursday, July 24 at 6:00. STANLEY H. KAPLAN PENTHOUSE

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