

# A Celebration!

UBC Opera Ensemble, directed by **Nancy Hermiston**

Members of the Vancouver Opera Orchestra, led by **Maestro Leslie Dala**

With Bard's Artistic Director **Christopher Gaze**

SEPTEMBER 12, 2pm  
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## LA TRAVIATA — Giuseppe Verdi

### “*Libiamo*”

Violetta	Mariana Iguavita	Emma Jang
Alfredo	Gabriel Chona Rueda	Wanshuai Yu
Flora	Alexandra Baird	Alessandra Ianni
Marchese	Jason Somerville	Liam Robertson
Barone	Denis Petrov	Pablo Romero Moreira
Dottore	Philip Wing	Philip Wing
Gastone	Kevin Liu	Ming-Xuan Chung
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## IL TROVATORE – Giuseppe Verdi

### “*Pace, Pace*”

Leonora	Leila Kirves	Leila Kirves
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## RIGOLETTO – Giuseppe Verdi

### *Duet: “Quel vecchio maledivami”*

Rigoletto	Neil Craighead	Neil Craighead
Sparafucile	Philip Wing	Liam Robertson

### “*Pari siamo*”

Rigoletto	Neil Craighead	Neil Craighead
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### *Quartet: “Bella figlia dell’amore”*

Gilda	Magdalena How	Rachel Buttress
Rigoletto	Neil Craighead	Neil Craighead
Count	Wanshuai Yu	Ian McCloy
Maddalena	Holly Duerichen	Alyssa Nicole Samson

## CARMEN – Georges Bizet

### *Habañera: “L’amour est un oiseau rebelle”*

Carmen	Alyssa Nicole Samson	Alyssa Nicole Samson
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### “*La fleur que tu m’avais jetée*”

Don José	Ian McCloy	Ian McCloy
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### “*Je dis que rien ne m’épouvante*”

Micaëla	Catherine Thornsley	Catherine Thornsley
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## LES CONTES D'HOFFMANN – Jacques Offenbach

### *“Les oiseaux dans la charmille”*

Olympia	Emma Petersen Melland	Magdalena How
Spalanzani	Ming-Xuan Chung	Kevin Sohn
Cochénille	Xiang Li	Kevin Liu
Hoffmann	Wanshuai Yu	Ian McCloy
Nicklaus	Alexandra Baird	Holly Duerichen
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### *“Belle Nuit”*

Giulietta	Mara Ayque	Leila Kirves
Nicklaus	Kathleen Isaza	Katie Fraser

### *Giuletta finale*

Giuletta	Mara Ayque	Leila Kirves
Hoffmann	Wanshuai Yu	Ian McCloy
Nicklaus	Alexandra Baird	Katie Fraser
Dapertutto	Zack Martin	Yuhui Wang
Schlemel	Jason Somerville	Liam Robertson
Pitichinaccio	Ming-Xuan Chung	Kevin Sohn

### *Intermission*

## DIE FLEDERMAUS – Johann Strauss

### *Cszárdás: “Klange der Heimat”*

Rosalinde	Sarah Anderson-Caulfield	Rachel Buttress
Eisenstein	Kevin Sohn	Gabriel Chona Rueda
Falke	Zach Martin	Yuhui Wang

### *Champagne Trio*

Orlofsky	Alessandra Ianni	Katie Fraser
Adele	Kenda McDermott	Hannah Ernst
Eisenstein	Kevin Sohn	Gabriel Chona Rueda

### *“Brüderlein und Schwesterlein, Du und Du”*

Orlofsky	Alessandra Ianni	Katie Fraser
Rosalinde	Christina Demeo	Carly King
Eisenstein	Kevin Sohn	Gabriel Chona Rueda
Falke	Zach Martin	Yuhui Wang
Adele	Kenda McDermott	Hannah Ernst
Frank	Liam Robertson	Philip Wing
Ida	Melanie Hiepler	Olivia Rapos
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## **DAS LAND DES LÄCHELNS — Franz Lehár**

### ***“Dein ist mein ganzes Herz”***

Prince Sou-Chong

Jing Jang

Ian McCloy

## **DIE LUSTIGE WITWE — Franz Lehár**

### ***“Vilja”***

Hanna Glawari

Sarah Anderson-Caulfield

Catherine Thornsley

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### ***“Lippen Schweigen”***

Hanna Glawari

Christina Demeo

Catherine Thornsley

Danilo

Zach Martin

Ian McCloy

### ***“Ja, wir sind es die Grisetten”***

Lolo

Emma Jang

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Dodo

Emma Petersen Melland

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Jou Jou

Olivia Rapos

Olivia Rapos

Frou Frou

Rachel Buttress

Rachel Buttress

Clo Clo

Alexandra Baird

Alexandra Baird

Margot

Holly Duerichen

Holly Duerichen

Valencienne

Katie Fraser

Katie Fraser

Njegus

Christopher Gaze

Christopher Gaze

UBC Opera Ensemble Chorus

## **UBC Opera Ensemble**

**Soprano:** Caelan Prescott, Carly King, Christina Demeo, Claire Bidulka, Emma Jang, Emma Petersen Melland, Hannah Ernst, Kenda McDermott, Kendra Baldwin, Magdalena How, Mariana Iguavita, Melanie Hiepler, Olivia Rapos, Rachel Buttress, Skye Wilkinson

**Mezzo-soprano:** Adriana Zaharijevic, Alessandra Ianni, Alexandra Baird, Alyssa Nicole Samson, Holly Duerichen, Kathleen Isaza, Katie Fraser, Mara Ayque, Rebekah Leon, Sarah Anderson-Caulfield, Saba Taghiakbari

**Tenor:** Zhilun Liu, Gabriel Chona Rueda, Ian McCloy, Jing Jiang, Kevin Liu, Kevin Sohn, Ming-Xuan Chung, Wanshuai Yu, Xiang Li

**Baritone/Bass:** Denis Petrov, Hans Grunwald, Jason Somerville, Liam Robertson, Matthew Gorlitz, Neil Craighead, Pablo Romero Moreira, Philip Wing, Rafael Laurindo, Zach Martin

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