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# Welcome



Welcome to the 2022-23 Zurich International Orchestra Series at Cadogan Hall, London.

Reuniting acclaimed international orchestras and artists with audiences, the forthcoming series celebrates the finest musical talent from around the globe. Orchestras from the Czech Republic to South Korea, Iceland to Armenia feature, including world-renowned familiar faces Maxim Vengerov, Chloë Hanslip, Freddy Kempf, Jennifer Pike and Paul Lewis, to name but a few.

The opening performance with Brno Philharmonic (14 October) pays homage to two great composers born in the Czech city Brno, Janáček and Korngold, and the season finale with the Estonian National Symphony Orchestra (24 May) includes a work by the Estonian composer Arvo Pärt, who many regard as the world's greatest living composer, in his moving tribute to Benjamin Britten.

There is a whole world of music to explore in between and, as ever, you can save money with our popular series discounts: from 10% for booking just two concerts, up to 20% plus free concert programmes for booking 7 or 8 concerts. See Booking Information on page 14 for full details along with group offers.

We hope you enjoy browsing the 2022-23 season and look forward to welcoming you to Cadogan Hall.

**Adam McGinlay**

Managing Director, Cadogan Hall



# What's on

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**14 October / page 4**

## **Brno Philharmonic Orchestra**

Janáček / Korngold / Dvořák

Chloë Hanslip is the soloist in Korngold's lyrical, virtuosic Violin Concerto before the Orchestra performs Dvořák's 'New World' Symphony.



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**27 October / page 6**

## **Seoul Philharmonic Orchestra**

Tchaikovsky / Unsuk Chin / Stravinsky

The inaugural visit to Cadogan Hall by the Seoul Philharmonic Orchestra with conductor Osmo Vänskä in works by Tchaikovsky, Stravinsky and Unsuk Chin.



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**3 November / page 7**

## **Belgian National Orchestra**

Respighi / Mozart / Saint-Saëns

Roberto González-Monjas conducts Saint-Saëns' masterpiece, the 'Organ' Symphony, and works by Mozart and Respighi, with pianist Paul Lewis.



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**5 December / page 8**

## **Malta Philharmonic Orchestra**

Alexey Shor / Prokofiev / Rachmaninov

Sergey Smbatyan conducts Rachmaninov's romantic Second Symphony with soloist Maxim Vengerov performing Prokofiev's glittering Violin Concerto No. 1.





**24 February / page 9**  
**Armenian State**  
**Symphony Orchestra**

Khachaturian /  
 Mendelssohn / Tchaikovsky

We welcome back Jennifer Pike as soloist in Mendelssohn's much-loved Violin Concerto, alongside Tchaikovsky's epic Fourth Symphony.



**24 March / page 10**  
**Swedish Philharmonia**

Grieg / Khachaturian /  
 Sibelius

Jaime Martin conducts Sibelius' majestic Symphony No. 2 and Khachaturian's Violin Concerto with the virtuosic Serbian-French violinist Nemanja Radulović.



**20 April / page 12**  
**Iceland Symphony**  
**Orchestra**

Anna Thorvaldsdottir /  
 Rachmaninov / Tchaikovsky

Eva Ollikainen conducts Rachmaninov's beloved Piano Concerto No. 2, with distinguished pianist Stephen Hough, and Tchaikovsky's mighty Fifth Symphony.



**24 May / page 13**  
**Estonian National**  
**Symphony Orchestra**

Arvo Pärt / Rachmaninov /  
 Thea Musgrave / Sibelius

Freddy Kempf performs Rachmaninov's virtuosic Third Piano Concerto in a programme also featuring Sibelius' glorious Fifth Symphony and works by Arvo Pärt and Thea Musgrave.

**2023**

# Brno Philharmonic Orchestra

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**Friday 14 October 2022, 7.30pm**

**Janáček** Taras Bulba

**Korngold** Violin Concerto

**Dvořák** Symphony No. 9,  
'From the New World'

**Dennis Russell Davies** conductor

**Chloë Hanslip** violin

The Czech city of Brno has a tremendous musical heritage as both Janáček and Korngold were born and raised there.

We're therefore delighted to welcome the Brno Philharmonic with a performance that includes *Taras Bulba* by Janáček, who was the founder of the Orchestra.

Acclaimed British violinist Chloë Hanslip performs Korngold's Violin Concerto, and the concert concludes with Dvořák's ever-popular 'New World' Symphony.

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**'A massively persuasive variety of tone and technical brilliance from Hanslip left no musical stone unturned'**

*Bachtrack*



**Chloë Hanslip**

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# Seoul Philharmonic Orchestra

**Thursday 27 October 2022, 7.30pm**

**Tchaikovsky** Piano Concerto No. 1

**Unsuk Chin** Frontispiece for orchestra

**Stravinsky** The Firebird Suite (1919)

**Osmo Vänskä** conductor

**Sunwook Kim** piano

A tour-de-force concerto that will leave you breathless, Tchaikovsky's romantic piano concerto opens this inaugural visit from the Seoul Philharmonic Orchestra with soloist Sunwook Kim.

Sunwook came to international recognition when he won the prestigious Leeds International Piano Competition in 2006 (aged just 18) becoming the competition's youngest winner for 40 years.

The energetic and poetic, seven-minute *Frontispiece for orchestra* by Unsuk Chin (the dazzlingly original musical mind behind the opera *Alice in Wonderland*) precedes what many consider the ultimate fairy-tale ballet score, Stravinsky's *The Firebird Suite*.

*The Firebird Suite* confirms without doubt that this orchestra, under Music Director Osmo Vänskä, delivers powerful performances on concert platforms across the globe, earning acclaim and supporters wherever they go.

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**Osmo Vänskä**

**'Vänskä isn't only about meticulous preparation. In concert he's a wiry dynamo: lean, whippy and indefatigably energetic. His interpretations are the same. He never stops probing and pushing'**

*The Times* on Osmo Vänskä



# Belgian National Orchestra

**Thursday 3 November 2022, 7.30pm**

**Respighi** Preludio, Corale e Fuga

**Mozart** Piano Concerto No. 25

**Saint-Saëns** Symphony No. 3, 'Organ'

**Roberto González-Monjas** conductor

**Paul Lewis** piano

We're very pleased to welcome one of Belgium's leading orchestras, the Belgian National, with the renowned British pianist Paul Lewis as soloist in a performance of Mozart's 25th Piano Concerto.

In the second half of the concert Roberto González-Monjas will conduct the Orchestra in a performance of Saint-Saëns' symphonic masterpiece, his Symphony No. 3, known as the 'Organ' Symphony because of the prominent part this instrument plays.

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Paul Lewis

**'With his deep concentration, sheer musicality and welcome absence of unshowy gestures, Lewis seems to have this uncanny knack of making you feel that he is letting you into a secret'**

*Bachtrack*

# Malta Philharmonic Orchestra

**Monday 5 December 2022, 7.30pm**

**Alexey Shor** Seascapes for Violin and Symphony Orchestra

**Prokofiev** Violin Concerto No. 1

**Rachmaninov** Symphony No. 2

**Sergey Smbatyan** conductor

**Maxim Vengerov** violin

We are most fortunate to have a visit from the celebrated violinist Maxim Vengerov who many regard as the greatest violinist alive today. It will be a tremendous experience to hear him play the glittering, ethereal qualities of Prokofiev's First Violin Concerto.

In the second half the Malta Philharmonic plays one of the most romantic of all symphonies – Rachmaninov's Symphony No. 2.

*The concert is organised together with the European Foundation for Support of Culture.*

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**Maxim Vengerov**

**'One of the most brilliant violinists you'll ever hear'**

*The Washington Post*  
on Maxim Vengerov

# Armenian State Symphony Orchestra

**Friday 24 February 2023, 7.30pm**

**Khachaturian** Spartacus Suite  
**Mendelssohn** Violin Concerto  
**Tchaikovsky** Symphony No. 4

**Sergey Smbatyan** conductor  
**Jennifer Pike** violin

The Armenian State Symphony Orchestra comes to Cadogan Hall in a concert that features its nation's greatest composer, Aram Khachaturian with music from his most popular work, the ballet *Spartacus*. We are very pleased that Jennifer Pike, one of the most talented violinists of the day, will perform the Mendelssohn Violin Concerto and the concert will finish with Tchaikovsky's epic Fourth Symphony with its famous repeated fate motif.

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Jennifer Pike

## 'Simply spectacular'

*The Independent* on Jennifer Pike



# Swedish Philharmonia

(also performing as Gävle Symphony Orchestra)



Nemanja Radulović





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**'Lyric delicacy  
and last-movement  
super-virtuosity  
were caught to  
near perfection'**

*The Times* on  
Nemanja Radulović

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**Friday 24 March 2023, 7.30pm**

**Grieg** Peer Gynt Suite  
**Khachaturian** Violin Concerto  
**Sibelius** Symphony No. 2

**Jaime Martin** conductor  
**Nemanja Radulović** violin

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After a very successful UK tour just before the pandemic, the Swedish Philharmonia will return to the UK with the virtuosic Serbian-French violinist Nemanja Radulović.

Radulović is renowned for his powerful and thrilling performances worldwide and we therefore greatly look forward to his interpretation of the Khachaturian Violin Concerto.

The concert will open with the dramatic music from Grieg's *Peer Gynt Suite* and will be brought to a triumphant close when Jaime Martin conducts the Orchestra in a performance of Sibelius' majestic Symphony No. 2.

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# Iceland Symphony Orchestra

**Thursday 20 April 2023, 7.30pm**

**Anna Thorvaldsdottir** Metacosmos  
**Rachmaninov** Piano Concerto No. 2  
**Tchaikovsky** Symphony No. 5

**Eva Ollikainen** conductor  
**Stephen Hough** piano

After its splendid success at Cadogan Hall at the beginning of 2020 the Iceland Symphony Orchestra will return in the distinguished company of the British pianist Stephen Hough.

He will perform Rachmaninov's beloved Piano Concerto No. 2 which of course we had to include, 2023 being the 150th anniversary year of Rachmaninov's birth.

The concert will conclude with a performance of Tchaikovsky's mighty Fifth Symphony with its rousing finale.

**Tickets:** £49 (premium), £45, £37, £30, £24, £18

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**Stephen Hough**

**'Technical prowess  
 with a sophisticated  
 musical personality'**

*Dallas Morning News*  
 on Stephen Hough

# Estonian National Symphony Orchestra

**Wednesday 24 May 2023, 7.30pm**

**Arvo Pärt** Cantus in Memoriam  
Benjamin Britten

**Rachmaninov** Piano Concerto No. 3

**Thea Musgrave** Song of the Enchanter

**Sibelius** Symphony No. 5

**Olari Elts** conductor

**Freddy Kempf** piano

The Estonian National Symphony Orchestra will provide the finale to our season, starting its programme with a work by the Estonian composer Arvo Pärt, who many regard as the world's greatest living composer, in his moving tribute to Benjamin Britten.

We make no apology for programming a second Rachmaninov piano concerto in this composer's anniversary year and Freddy Kempf's interpretation of the Third Piano Concerto will be a highlight of the season.

The concert will end with Sibelius' Fifth Symphony with its glorious finale, inspired by a flight of swans above Sibelius' country home where he wrote the Symphony.

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**'Kempf's watchfulness  
led to miracles of  
co-ordination you never  
get when soloists are  
lost in their own world'**

*The Arts Desk on Freddy Kempf*



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**Freddy Kempf**

# Booking information

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## Ticket prices

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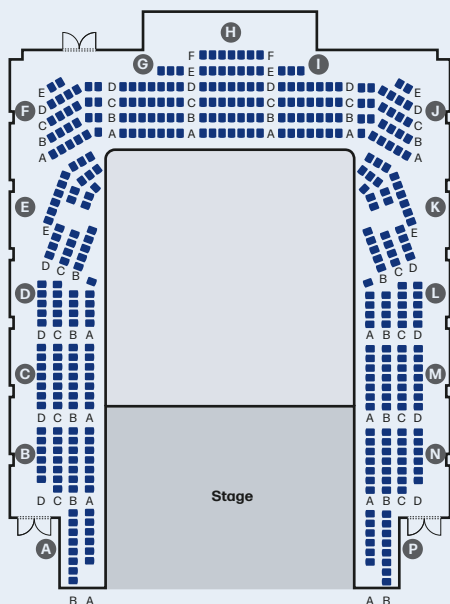
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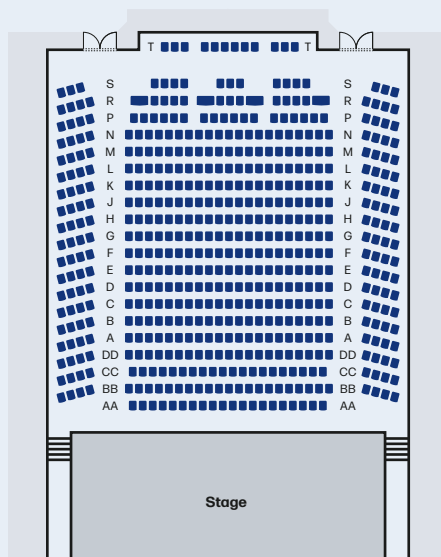


# Seating information

## The Gallery



## The Stalls



## Seating information

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## The Gallery

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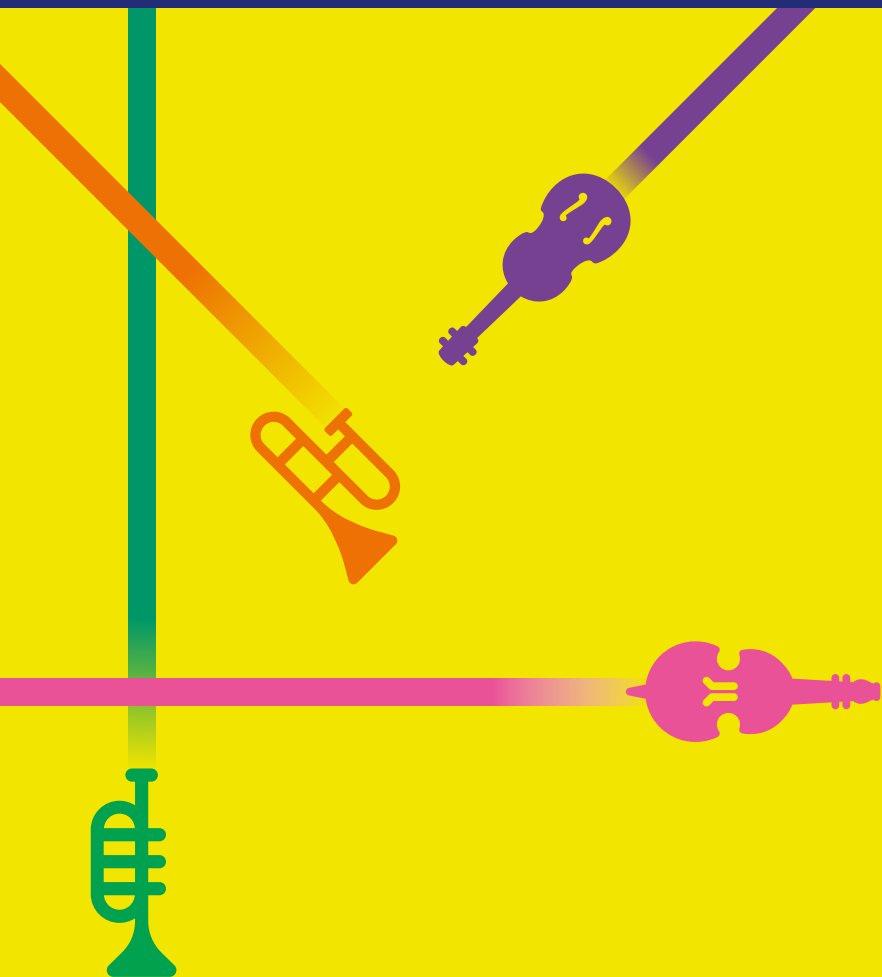


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