

# SYMPHONIC VOICES

Pacific Symphony's Opera-Vocal Initiative

Evocative, compelling and nuanced: Four elegant evenings with Pacific Symphony featuring the beauty of the human voice.



## MADAME BUTTERFLY

Feb. 21, 23, 26, 2019

Carl St.Clair, conductor  
Eric Einhorn, stage director  
Cameron Anderson,  
scenic designer  
Pacific Chorale —  
Robert Istad, artistic director  
Cast and soloists to be announced

Puccini's "Madame Butterfly" tells the story of a young naïve Japanese geisha who believes that her love for a handsome American naval officer is eternal. With its lush score and heartbreaking arias, it is a timeless tale that will stir your emotions.



## RAVEL'S "THE CHILD & THE MAGIC SPELLS"

May 16-18, 2019 • 8 p.m.

Carl St.Clair, conductor  
PROKOFIEV: Peter and the Wolf  
RAVEL: L'enfant et les sortilèges

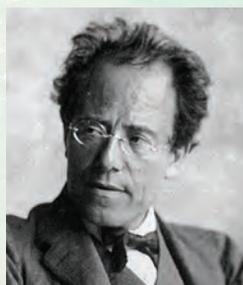
Considered one of Maurice Ravel's masterpieces, "L'enfant et les sortilèges" takes the perspective of a young boy who encounters magical forces.



## MY FAIR LADY

May 31-June 1, 2019 • 8 p.m.

Richard Kaufman, conductor  
Enjoy Lerner and Loewe's elegant and enchanting musical, "My Fair Lady," performed live in a semi-staged concert setting! One of America's favorite musicals, "My Fair Lady" tells the romantic story of a young Cockney flower seller and a linguistics professor who is determined to transform her into his idea of a "proper lady."



## SYMPHONY OF A THOUSAND

June 6-8, 2019 • 8 p.m.

Carl St.Clair, conductor  
Soloists to be announced  
Pacific Chorale —  
Robert Istad, artistic director  
Southern California Children's Chorus —  
Lori Loftus, founding director

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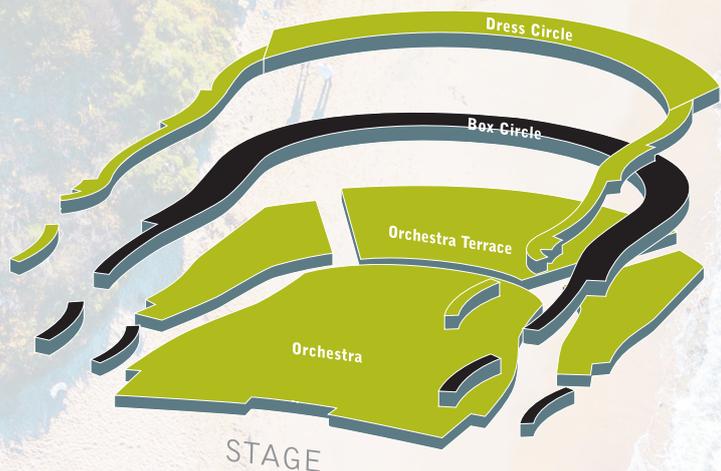
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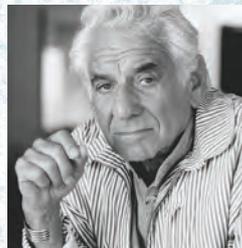
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