

# **University of Toronto Symphony Orchestra**

Uri Mayer, conductor

Friday, October 21, 2022 at 7:30 pm | MacMillan Theatre, 80 Queen's Park

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## **PROGRAM**

Excerpts from Romeo and Juliet Suites, Vol. I & II

Sergei Prokofiev (1891-1953)

- a. Romeo and Juliet
- b. The child Juliet
- c. Friar Laurence
- d. Dance
- e. Romeo at the Grave of Juliet
- f. Masks
- g. Death of Tybalt

# **INTERMISSION**

Der Rosenkavalier Suite

Richard Strauss (1864-1949)

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# UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Uri Mayer, conductor

Lorenzo Guggenheim, Matheus Coelho do Nascimento, assistant conductors

# Violin I

Talia Sinclair, concertmaster Ryan Lee Chang Joelle Crigger Siri Ducharme-Leblanc Mariia Ivicevic Satchi Kanashiro Sophie Li Ying Sze Alison Li Emma Reader-Lee Daria Schibitcaia\* Kasev Scoboria Christine Yanfei Wang Deborah Alexandra White Nicolas Woitarowicz Mizuki Yaesawa Amanda Yee

# Violin II

Sophia Thaut, principal Bridget Alexander Maya Budzinski Katherine Chen Jasmine Wai-Shan Chu Victor Chung Anthony Gunadi Jennifer Jeon Helen Li Kwan Heng Vincent Poon Julian Przybyslawski Rosaleen Ryel Isabel Ryznar Monique Tong Elise Wiesinger Jisu Woo

#### Violas

Grace Moon, principal Jaedon Daly Ruby Jackson Vena Lin Mobin Naeini Raphael Salonga\* Daphne Blanche Waggener

## Cellos

San Rim, principal Maxwell Darlington Jonah Hansen Matthew Lei Tuuli Olo Jeffrey Paik Tomas Pena Paz Y Mino Mario Rodriguez McMillan Eddie Wei Eliza Wei Ho Yin Michael Wong

# **Double Basses**

Tsz Long Lo, principal Benjamin Kemppainen Jude Littlefield Buschlen Danylo Tkaczyk

### Flutes

Jordana Kleiner Eleanor Song Yelin Youn Ray Zheng

### **Piccolos**

Eleanor Song Ray Zheng

### Oboes

Jason Halliday Aidan Taylor Christopher Vishy Zoe Yang

# **English Horn**

Jason Halliday

## Clarinets

Jasmine Chan Sarah Darragh Anastasia Murdocca

# E-flat Clarinet

Sarah Darragh

# **Bass Clarinet**

Andrew Neagoe

# **Bassoons**

Cian Bryson Gabrielle Luise Eber Rita Ren

# **Contra Bassoons**

Gabrielle Luise Eber Rita Ren

# **Tenor Saxophone**

Christopher Jones

#### Horns

Christopher Fan Julia Fowell Taylor Krause Kevin Li Joanne Yin

Trumpets
Erik Dubeau\*
Justin Ko
Andrew Mendis

Cornet

Justin Ko

Trombones

Dominic Ghiglione Duncan MacFarlane

Bass Trombone
Bien Carandang\*

Tuba

Umberto Quattrociocchi

**Timpani** Andrew Bell Thomas Carli

Percussion
Andrew Bell
Thomas Carli
Brayden Krueger
Matthew Magocsi
Jacob Valcheff

Piano/Celesta

Rina Khan Claire Xiao

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Charlene Chin Emmanuel Luna Wong Cara Nicol

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# **BIOGRAPHY**

**Uri Mayer**, Professor and Director of Orchestral Studies at the University of Toronto, has taught on the faculties of the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Rice University Shepherd School of Music in Houston, McGill University and at the Glenn Gould School of the Royal Conservatory of Music. Renowned for his strong command of broad symphonic, operatic and ballet repertoire, Mayer served as Principal Conductor of the Kansai Philharmonic Orchestra in Osaka and Artistic Director of the Israel Sinfonietta. He has also guest conducted many of the leading orchestras around the world. In Canada, Mayer was Music Director of the Edmonton Symphony and Orchestra London. Under his direction the Edmonton Symphony became one of Canada's most frequently played orchestras on radio. They were awarded the Grand Prix du Disque-Canada for Orchestral Suites of the British Isles and nominated for a JUNO Award for their Great Verdi Arias with Louis Quilico. Mayer has led numerous opera productions in North America, the Netherlands, Hungary and Israel including *The Barber of Seville*, Così fan tutte, Don Giovanni, Rigoletto, The Flying Dutchman, Salome and The Cunning Little Vixen. In 2009, he received a Doctor of Music honoris causa from the University of Western Ontario in recognition of his contribution to the musical life in Canada.



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