

# news release

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## **DINING WITH THE STARS 2013 – OPERATIC DELIGHTS AT MANDARIN ORIENTAL, MUNICH**

*Three days – Three concerts – Three exclusive dinners with the stars*

**Hong Kong, 11 January 2013** – Created with opera aficionados in mind, Mandarin Oriental, Munich’s popular “Dining with the stars” event will this year offer the opportunity to enjoy a very exclusive operatic experience, including three exceptional concerts in just three days.

Taking place from 23 to 26 February 2013, “Dining with the stars” provides guests the chance to enjoy “Boris Godunow”, “I Capuleti e i Montecchi” and a special Gala concert celebrating 200 years of Giuseppe Verdi “Messa da Requiem” at the Munich Opera House. Each concert will be followed by an intimate dinner at Mandarin Oriental, Munich with the stars of the production, including internationally renowned maestros Zubin Mehta and Kent Nagano as well as celebrated operatic performers Krassimira Stoyanova, Ekaterina Gubanova, Joyce DiDonato, Ekaterina Siurina, and Joseph Calleja.

Priced at EUR 1937,05 per person, the Dining with the Stars” package includes three nights’ accommodation and breakfast at Mandarin Oriental, Munich, return limousine transfers to the Munich Opera House tickets for the three concerts two meetings with the Chief Dramatic Advisor of the Opera, cocktails at the Mandarin Bar and two gala evenings with the stars at Michelin-starred Restaurant Mark’s. Included is also a guided tour of Munich’s leading museum, the Neue Pinakothek,

The highlights are:

**Saturday 23 February 2013:** “Boris Godunov”, Modest Mussorgsky (1839-1881), directed by Maestro Kent Nagano

**Sunday 24 February 2013:** “I Capuleti e i Montecchi”, Vincenzo Bellini (1801- 835), directed by Yves Abel

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**Monday 25 February 2013:** “Gala birthday concert – 200 years of Giuseppe Verdi”, *Messa da Requiem*.

The “Dining with the stars” package includes the full program as well as a three night luxury accommodation including breakfast and is priced at EUR 1937,05 per person.

For further information or reservations please contact Erwin Tappeiner and his team at +49 (0)89 290 98 808 or e-mail: [etappeiner@mohg.com](mailto:etappeiner@mohg.com). Please click [here](#) for the full program.

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