

Žilvinas Steponas Miškinis's upcoming engagements include roles of Il dottore Grenvil *La Traviata* at Leipzig Oper and Düsseldorf Deutsche Oper am Rhein, Angelotti *Tosca*, Alidoro *La Cenerentola*, Sprecher *Die Zauberflöte* at Düsseldorf Deutsche Oper am Rhein and Teatro di San Carlo Napoli debut as Zweiter Nazarene *Salome*.

Miškinis's recent engagements include Lorenzo *I Capuletti e Montecchi*, Zweiter Gralritter *Parsifal*, Löwe *Iwein Löwenritter*, Haly *L'italiana in Algeri*, Masetto *Don Giovanni*, Angelotti *Tosca*, Warrior/Laurent in Tchaikovsky's *Maid of Orleans*, Le Caporal *La fille du régiment* as a soloist of the Düsseldorf Deutsche Oper am Rhein.

He returned to the Staatsoper Berlin for the productions of *Der Sache Makropulos* and *Madama Butterfly*. Miškinis made his Leipzig Opera debut as Masetto *Don Giovanni* under the baton of Jonathan Darlington.

As a graduate of the Staatsoper Unter den Linden Berlin Studio under scholarship of the Liz Mohn Culture and Music Foundation, Miškinis could be seen as Il commissario imperiale *Madama Butterfly*, Billy Jackrabbit *La fanciulla del West*, Truffaldin in *Ariadne auf Naxos*.

Miškinis' has worked under Antonio Pappano, Daniel Barenboim, Simon Rattle, Massimo Zanetti, Simone Young, and has collaborated with directors such as Lidia Steier, August Everding, Hans Neuenfels, Eike Gramss, and others.

The young Lithuanian bass-baritone has appeared on stage as Narumov in Dalia Ibelhauptait's production of *Pique Dame* as Surin sharing the stage with Asmik Grigorian, Kristian Benedikt under the musical direction of Gintaras Rinkevičius and Ričardas Šumila at Vilnius State Opera.

He made his debut as Figaro at the age of 22 at the Estonian National Opera in Marco Gandini's production of *Le nozze di Figaro*.

Žilvinas Steponas Miškinis holds a BM from the Lithuanian Academy of Music and Theatre and an MA from Estonian Academy of Music and Theatre under Nadiezdka Kurem. As part of his studies, he participated in opera studios in Lithuania and Gothenburg.



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