# New England Conservatory Opera Studies Department

presents

# Perkin Opera Scenes

Music Preparation
Brett Hodgdon
Timothy Steele

Stage Directors
Joshua Major
Steven Goldstein

Thursday, October 23, 2025 Friday, October 24, 2025 6:00 p.m. Plimpton Shattuck Black Box Theatre

This program is generously supported by Winnie Perkin Gray and the Perkin Family Foundation.

#### **PROGRAM**

\* Friday cast

# Gaetano Donizetti

(1797 - 1848)

# Don Pasquale

Norina: Jiyeon Chung, \* Chris Li Don Pasquale: Jingyao Zhou, \* Yiming Liu

Piano: Timothy Steele, \* Pualina Lim Mei En

Music Director: Timothy Steele Stage Director: Steven Goldstein

#### Gaetano Donizetti

# Il Campanello

Serafina: Yejin Jang, \* Yunxi Ye Enrico: Qinglin Liu, \* Liangyu Chen

Piano: Brett Hodgdon

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# Gioacchino Rossini

(1792-1868)

#### La Gazzetta

Lisetta: Yunxi Ye, \* Feier Meng

Don Pomponio: Xingchi Dong, \* Liangyu Chen

Piano: Timothy Steele

Music Director: Timothy Steele Stage Director: Joshua Major

# **Jacques Offenbach**

(1819-1890)

## Le Mariage aux Lanternes

Catherine: Chris Li, \* Jiyeon Chung Fanchette: Feier Meng, \* Yoojin Oh

Piano: Brett Hodgdon

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# **Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart**

(1756-1791)

## Don Giovanni

Donna Elvira: Yoojin Oh , \* Yejin Jang Leporello: Jingyao Zhou, \* Yiming Liu Don Giovanni: Qinglin Liu, \* Xingchi Dong

Piano: Brett Hodgdon

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#### **NEC OPERA STUDIES**

Chair of Opera Studies Joshua Major
Music Director Robert Tweten
Acting Instructor Steven Goldstein

Movement Instructor DeAnna Pellecchia

Stage Combat Sarah Flanagan

Administrative and Production Director

for Opera & Voice Úna Rafferty

Vocal Coaching & Musical Preparation Joel Ayau, Brett Hodgdon

Ji Yung Lee, JJ Penna, Timothy Steele

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