

McCarter THEATRE CENTER

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ALL 2018-2019 PERFORMANCES ON SALE NOW AT McCARTER THEATRE CENTER

PRINCETON, NJ: McCarter Theatre Center announced today that patrons can immediately access tickets for all events throughout the upcoming 2018-2019 season. In addition to its five-show Theater Series and annual production of Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*, an eclectic mix of the world's greatest musicians, dance companies, and performing artists are on tap, including several returning favorites and McCarter debuts.

Numerous new additions to the previously announced season schedule are now on sale as well, including a hilarious 90s flashback with *FRIENDS! The Musical Parody* (October 30), comedian and satirist Andy Borowitz (February 8), alt-folk super-group I'm With Her (February 16), singer-songwriter Angelique Kidjo (April 12), and jazz pianist Ahmad Jamal (May 18).

Of note for the Theater Series: for *The Age of Innocence*, (Sept. 7 – Oct. 7), McCarter will now be offering 2p.m. matinee performances on Wednesday, September 26 and Wednesday, October 3. These performances will replace the originally scheduled Sunday evening performances on September 23 and September 30.

Under the leadership of Artistic Director Emily Mann and Managing Director Michael S. Rosenberg, McCarter Theatre Center is recognized as one of the nation's premier theater companies. Renowned for major contributions to the theatrical canon, McCarter premieres include such works as Christopher Durang's *Vanya and Sonia and Masha and Spike* (winner of the 2013 Tony Award® for Best Play) and McCarter was honored in 1994 with the Regional Theatre Tony Award®.

Thanks to the efforts of Special Programming Director William W. Lockwood, McCarter Theatre Center is also a premier presenter of artists renowned around the world and across genres as varied as dance, classical, pop, jazz, comedy, magic, children's theatre, and much more.

THE 2018-2019 SEASON AT McCARTER THEATRE CENTER:

<u>DATE(S)</u>	<u>ARTIST/PRODUCTION</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
9/7/18 through 10/7/18 opening: 9/15/18	<i>THE AGE OF INNOCENCE</i> by Edith Wharton adapted for the stage by Douglas McGrath directed by Doug Hughes World Premiere in association with Hartford Stage	Berlind
10/9/18 through 10/28/18 opening: 10/13/18	<i>DETROIT '67</i> by Dominique Morisseau directed by Jade King Carroll in association with Hartford Stage	Matthews
10/17 & 18/18 at 7:30 p.m.	BALLETX	Berlind
10/20/18 at 8 p.m.	THE IMPROVISED SHAKESPEARE COMPANY	Berlind
10/30/18 at 7:30 p.m.	<i>FRIENDS! THE MUSICAL PARODY</i>	Matthews
11/2/18 at 8 p.m.	MARY CHAPIN CARPENTER	Matthews
11/12/18 at 7:30 p.m.	BÉLA FLECK, ZAKIR HUSSAIN, EDGAR MEYER	Matthews
11/16/18 at 8 p.m.	JESSICA LANG DANCE	Matthews
11/17/18 at 7:30 p.m.	THE NEW CHINESE ACROBATS w/Cirque Éloize	Matthews
11/18/18 at 3 p.m.	CÉCILE McLORIN SALVANT	Matthews

12/4/18 through 12/29/18 opening: 12/7/18	A CHRISTMAS CAROL by Charlies Dickens, adapted by David Thompson directed by Adam Immerwahr	Matthews
12/14 & 15/18 at 8 p.m.	THE HOT SARDINES	Berlind
12/19/18 at 7:30 p.m.	THE KING'S SINGERS	Richardson
1/11/19 through 2/10/19 opening: 1/19/19	THE NICETIES by Eleanor Burgess, directed by Kimberly Senior World Premiere in association with the Huntington Theatre Company and Manhattan Theatre Club	Berlind
1/18/19 at 8 p.m.	WE SHALL OVERCOME – A Celebration of MLK, Jr.	Matthews
1/19/19 at 11 a.m.	THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR SHOW	Matthews
1/26/19 at 3 p.m. & 8 p.m.	POTTED POTTER – The Unauthorized Harry Experience	Matthews
1/28/19 at 7:30 p.m.	CHAMBER MUSIC SOC. OF LINCOLN CENTER	Matthews
2/1/19 at 8 p.m.	THE MIDTOWN MEN	Matthews
2/8/19 at 8 p.m.	ANDY BOROWITZ	Matthews
2/9/19 at 8 p.m.	THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE	Matthews
2/10/19 at 3 p.m.	SWAN LAKE – National Ballet Theatre of Odessa	Matthews

2/13/19 at 7:30 p.m.	DIANNE REEVES – <i>Be My Valentine</i>	Matthews
2/16/19 at 8 p.m.	I'M WITH HER	Matthews
2/22/19 at 8 p.m.	JORDI SAVALL & HESPÉRION XXI	Matthews
2/23/19 at 7:30 p.m.	FARRUQUITO – Return of a Flamenco Legend	Matthews
2/24/19 at 7:30 p.m.	ERIC OWENS, bass-baritone LAWRENCE BROWNLEE, tenor	Matthews
2/26/19 at 7:30 p.m.	PADDY MOLONEY & THE CHIEFTAINS	Matthews
3/2/19 at 3 p.m.	THE LAURIE BERKNER BAND	Matthews
3/12/19 through 3/31/19 opening: 3/16/19	Ken Ludwig's <i>THE GODS OF COMEDY</i> directed by Kathleen Marshall World Premiere in association with The Old Globe	Matthews
3/15/19 at 8 p.m.	RANKY TANKY	Matthews
3/16/19 at 8 p.m.	A WORLD OF STRINGS	Berlind
3/17/19 at 3 p.m.	OMAR SOSA & SECKOU KEITA	Berlind
3/18/19 at 7:30 p.m.	JAN LISIECKI, piano	Matthews
4/5/19 at 8 p.m.	BOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD A Live Journey Through Hindi Cinema	Matthews

4/6/19 at 8 p.m.	MOMIX	Matthews
4/8/19 at 7:30 p.m.	DAVID SEDARIS	Matthews
4/10/19 at 7:30 p.m.	THE SPRING QUARTET: Jack DeJohnette, Joe Lovano, Esperanza Spalding, and Leo Genovese	Matthews
4/12/19 at 8 p.m.	ANGELIQUE KIDJO	Matthews
4/15/19 at 7:30 p.m.	MIDORI, violin; JEAN-YVES THIBAUDET, piano	Matthews
4/23/19 at 7:30 p.m.	MITSUKO UCHIDA, piano	Matthews
4/26/19 at 8 p.m.	TRINITY IRISH DANCE COMPANY	Matthews
5/3/19 through 6/2/19 opening: 5/11/19	SKYLIGHT by David Hare, directed by Emily Mann	Matthews
5/11/19 at 7:30 p.m.	AIR PLAY - Acrobuffos	Matthews
5/17/19 at 8 p.m.	MARK MORRIS DANCE GROUP	Matthews
5/18/19 at 8 p.m.	AHMAD JAMAL	Matthews

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