

25 November 2021 | THURSDAY

Ma Mingyuan

Violin Recital

Ge Xiaozhe, *piano*

Programme

SIBELIUS

Violin Concerto in D Minor, Op. 47

I. Allegro Moderato

II. Adagio di molto

III. Allegro mo non tanto

About The Performer

Ma Mingyuan, who studied violin at the age of five, participated in CCTV piano and violin competition in 2011 and won the Excellence Award. In 2013, he was admitted to the middle school attached to Shanghai Conservatory of music, and the professional teacher is the famous violinist Song Yang. In October of the same year, he performed on the same stage with master Shlomo Mintz. In May 2015, he participated in the afternoon tea concert. In June 2015, he accepted the invitation of conductor Jin Chenghao and performed Paganini's Violin Concerto No. 1 in D major with Zhendong Symphony Orchestra in Shenyang Shengjing Grand Theatre. In October of the same year, he participated in Ningfeng master class, entered the orchestra of the middle school attached to Shanghai Conservatory of music in September 2016, performed with the orchestra in Fuzhou in October, and performed with the orchestra in the concert hall of Shanghai Symphony Orchestra in November. In October 2016, he participated in the master class of Prof. Kathleen Winkler and Prof. Regis Pasquier. In October of the same year, he participated in the concert of outstanding students in the middle school attached to Shanghai Conservatory of music. In November, he participated in the master class of brilliant Violin Master Roman Kim. In February 2017, he was invited by Shanghai poly Grand Theatre to perform the violin concerto of "Liang Zhu", spring festival music, good night and the second Tango in China, which was a great success. In May 2017, he took part in the school Violin Competition and won the fourth place. In July of the same year, he was admitted to NYO China Symphony Orchestra and followed the orchestra on the stage. He toured Carnegie Hall, Beijing Concert Hall, Shanghai Oriental Art Center and Suzhou Grand Theater. In 2019, he was admitted to the YST Conservatory of music in Singapore with a full scholarship and has studied with Professor Qian Zhou. During this period, he has performed with the Shanghai Philharmonic Orchestra for many times and had master classes with Shlomo Mintz for many times.

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Sibelius wrote only one Violin Concerto in his life. Although this work was not successful at the beginning of its birth, it has become one of the most popular Violin Concertos in history.

Programme notes by Ma Mingyuan.