

KHATUNA MIKABERIDZE



BIOGRAPHY

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Mezzosoprano

The native Georgian completed her singing studies at the State Conservatory in Tbilisi. After her studies, she was engaged as a soloist at the Batumi Opera and the Tbilisi Opera.

She was hired as Azucena at the Dortmund Opera in 2001. From there she went as an ensemble member to the Meininger Theater (Dorabella, Jezibaba, Brangäne), to the Landestheater Linz (Carmen, Jezibaba, Grand Duchess of Gerolstein, Orlofsky) and finally to the Hanover State Opera. Her roles at the Hanover State Opera include Santuzza, Eboli, Carmen, Ulrica, Venus, Fricka, Waltraute, Suzuki, Principessa, Frugola, Preziosilla, Herodias, Brangäne and Amneris.

Khatuna Mikaberidze has made repeated guest appearances at the Vienna Volksoper (La Madre in Luigi Dallapiccola's "Il prigioniero", Czipra in "The Gypsy Baron"), at the Frankfurt Opera (La Madre in "Il Prigioniero"), at the Oslo Opera House (Eboli), at the theater Bremen (Amneris), at the Kassel State Theater (Santuzza), at the Deutsche Oper am Rhein (Eboli and Amneris), at the Hamburg State Opera (Maddalena), at the Graz Opera (Eboli), at the Basel Theater (Jezibaba), at the Felsenreitschule Salzburg (Ortrud), at the Bonn Opera (Eboli), at the Wiesbaden State Theater (Brangäne), as well as at the Leipzig Opera (Carmen) and at the Bolshoi Theater (Ortrud).

Her repertoire also includes contemporary works such as "Intolleranza 1960" (A Woman) by Luigi Nono, "Orest" (Elektra) by Manfred Trojahn, "The Devils of Loudun" (Jeanne) by Krzysztof Penderecki, "Caligula" (Caesonia) by Detlev Glanert, "Lot" (Woman) by Giorgio Battistelli and Luciano Berio's "Folks Songs".

She received nominations in the “Opernwelt” for her portrayal of Jeanne in “The Devils of Loudun”, for her Eboli and most recently for her Amneris (productions at the Hanover State Opera).

In 2015 the CD “Der Zigeunerbaron” was released (NDR Radiophilharmonie & NDR Choir, Lawrence Foster, Pentatone), on which she sings Czipra..

REPERTOIRE

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Komponist	Oper	Partie
Battistelli	Lot	Frau
Bellini	Norma	Adalghisa
Berio		Folk Songs
Bizet	Carmen	Carmen
Britten	Peter Grimes (deutsch)	Auntie
Dallapiccola	Il Prigioniero	La Madre
Dvorak	Rusalka	Jezebaba
Glanert	Caligula	Caesonia
Mascagni	Cavalleria rusticana	Santuzza
Nono	Intolleranza 1960	Eine Frau
Penderecki	Die Teufel von Loudun	Jeanne
Puccini	Madame Butterfly Il Tabarro Suor Angelica	Suzuki Frugola La Principessa
J. Strauß	Zigeunerbaron	Chipra
R. Strauss	Salome	Herodias
Trojan	Orest	Elektra
Verdi	Aida Don Carlos Otello Il Trovatore Forza del Destino Ballo in Maschera Rigoletto Requiem	Amneris Eboli Emilia Azucena Preziosilla Ulrica Maddalena Altistin

Wagner	Tristan und Isolde Walküre Tannhäuser Das Rheingold Walküre Die Götterdämmerung Lohengrin	Brangäne Schwertleite Venus Fricka Fricka Waltraute Ortrud
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