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Mozarteum Hellas participates at the 2022 Austrian-Greek Music Summer



For the second time Mozarteum Hellas participated at the 2022 Austrian-Greek Music Summer organised by the Austrian Embassy in Athens.

Zagora/Pilion (24 July) and Kifissia Municipality (25 July) welcomed the distinguished pianist Florian Podgoreanu, Universität Mozarteum Salzburg and violinist Nina Patrikidou, Vice-President Mozarteum Hellas, in an evening of chamber music inspired by the works of W. A. Mozart and other classical masters.

The Summer season music program ended on August 30th, in the magnificent atmosphere of the medieval

Palace of the Grand Master of the Knights of Rhodes. Nina Patrikidou and Evgenia Votanopoulou performed an array of classical sonatas by W.A. Mozart, S. Prokofiev, M. Ravel for piano and violin, and Y. Constantini-di's Dodecanesian Suite.

The fundamental idea of the the Austrian-Greek Music Summer is the dialogue between Austrian and Greek artists. Musicians from both countries perform together in different locations around Greece.

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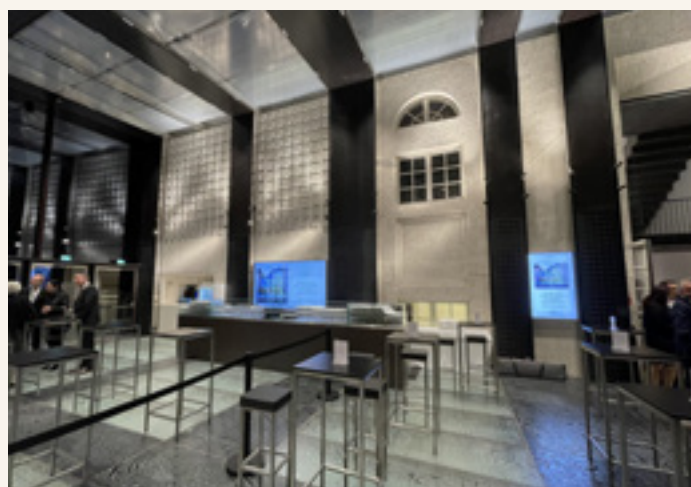
The Secretary General of Mozarteum Hellas participates in the ceremony for the opening of the new foyer building



The Secretary General of Mozarteum Hellas, Dr Kostas Ilatrou, participated in the ceremony for the opening of the new foyer building that took place on Wednesday 19 October.

The new foyer building has been completed as well as the first stage of the renovation work of the Great Hall. This new building marks a milestone in the more than 140-year history of the Mozarteum Foundation.

The new foyer building nestles between the two existing parts of the Mozarteum, both of which are listed buildings, creating an impression of lightness, brightness and elegance.





25/11/2022

Mozarteum Hellas participates in the 2022 Mozarttag



Mozarteum Hellas participated in the 143rd Mozart Day held in hybrid format on Friday 25th November 2022. The organisation was represented by Evgenia Votanopoulou, President (virtually) and Dr Kostas Iatrou, Secretary General.

Rainer Heneis, CEO of Mozarteum presented the 2021/22 annual report.



03/03/2023

The President and the Secretary General were admitted as founders of the Internationale Mozarteum Foundation



Evgenia Votanopoulou, President of Mozarteum Hellas and Dr Kostas Iatrou, Secretary General of Mozarteum Hellas & Director General of Hermes – Air Transport Organisation, and their family were admitted as founders of the Internationale Mozarteum Foundation for their contribution to the organization. The ceremony was held in Salzburg.





12/03/2023

The President of Mozarteum Hellas meets the President of Mozartgemeinde Wien



On the occasion of the 2023 Mozarteum Hellas AGM and Conference, the President of Mozarteum Hellas, met the recently elected President of Mozartgemeinde, SenR Dr. Wolfgang Gerold. The two agreed to expand and strengthen the cooperation between the two organizations.

Evgenia Votanopoulou, *President of Mozarteum Hellas*

Who is the Mozarteum Hellas organisation?

The Mozarteum Hellas was founded in March 2019 and is a member of the International Mozarteum Foundation since June of the same year. It aims to spread the work of Wolfgang Amadé Mozart and also to promote classical music in Greece through a wide range of cultural activities: lectures, conferences, seminars, educational programs, musical exchanges, exhibitions and concerts in collaboration with the International Mozarteum Foundation as well as with other cultural organisations.

How did Mozarteum come to Greece?

Due to the close relationship we have, for about a decade, with the International Mozarteum Foundation we decided with professional musicians and not only to create a non-profit organisation based in Greece.

What is your own role, your contribution?

In 2016 I had the honour of playing on an historic musical instrument, Mozart's fortepiano which is located in the Mozart's Wohnhaus Museum in Salzburg. It was for me a unique experience that affected me deeply. This special moment of mine was the key to establish Mozarteum Hellas.







What is your vision for Mozarteum Hellas?

Through our presence in Greece we want not only to bequeath to young people and the next generations the interest and love for classical music but to highlight new talents as well.

Where is it addressed?

It is aimed at those who appreciate culture and classical music especially Wolfgang Amadé Mozart. As Rolando Villazon says, who, among other, is the artistic director of the Mozart Week Festival organised every year in Salzburg by the International Mozarteum Foundation, "Mozart lives".





Who are its Members?

Its members are professional musicians as well as those who are lovers of classical music.

What are its actions?

We have already held concerts with great success in different places in Greece in collaboration with various organisations, with the Austrian embassy and the “Greek-Austrian Music Summer” which is organized on an annual basis, with municipalities and

regions such as the Municipality of Kifissia, Marathon, Nafplio, Zagora, Rhodes and the region of the South Aegean. Our aim is to have a presence throughout Greece and beyond.

In 2019, our members had the opportunity to admire and listen to Mozart’s violin (Costa Violin) which came especially to Greece for Mozarteum Hellas. Also last May, Mr. Linus Klumpner, Director of the Museums of the International Mozarteum Foundation, displayed to the Mozarteum Hellas a manuscript of W.A. Mozart for piano which is kept in the

archive of the International Mozarteum Foundation. This score was also presented to the students of the Second Arsakeio Primary School of Psychiko with great appeal. It was the first time such a presentation was held in a school globally, so I am extremely happy about it.

Also this year, Mozarteum Hellas entered into a partnership with the corresponding organisation in Vienna, the Mozartgemeinde Vienna, for the realisation of cultural events both in Greece and Austria. And there are many more to come.



17/01/2022

2022 Mozarteum Hellas AGM & Conference

On the 17th of January 2022 has been held the Annual General Meeting and Conference of Mozarteum Hellas in a hybrid format.

The President of Mozarteum Hellas, Evgenia Votanopoulou, presented the Annual report. HE Hermine Poppeller, Ambassador of Austria in Greece and-Keynote Address, Rainer Heneis, CEO, Mozarteum Salzburg Foundation (virtually) delivered the keynote addresses. Mozarteum Hellas bestowed HE Hermine Poppeller. Appreciation plaque ceremony

At the end of the event Mrs Evgenia Votanopoulou (piano) and Mrs Nina Patrikidou (violin) performed the Sonata for piano and violin E-flat Major, KV 481/ First movement (W.A.Mozart).



21/05/2022

Special Presentation of International Mozarteum Foundation in Greece: The Grassi-Medaillon & the Posch-Medallion

The Grassi-Medaillon & Posch-Medallion were presented in an exclusive event on Saturday 21 May in Athens, Greece to Hermes and Mozarteum Hellas members.

These two objects had never been put before on display outside the museums in Salzburg. The Grassi-Medaillon is one of the most valuable pieces, as it is one of the few (and last) portraits giving an authentic impression of how Mozart looked like.

On the other hand, the “Posch-Medallion” has become one of the most famous “idealized” images of the composer ever created.

Put together, as a pair these two delicate objects give a wonderful impression of how the Mozart-iconography developed within only a couple of years.

Further, as the Grassi-Medaillon is mounted on Mozart’s tabatiere, this object is a rare example of the few remaining personal belongings of the great composer.

In his presentation Mr Linus Klumpner, Director Mozart Museums, International Stiftung Mozarteum said: “On behalf of the International Mozarteum Foundation I would like to express my sincere gratitude to the Mozarteum Hellas for organizing this event. The presentation of these two particular fine objects gave the unique opportunity to offer an ex-







clusive insight into the thrilling and vast field of Mozart-Icography – for a cercle of people who are particularly interested in discovering the life and oeuvre of Wolfgang Amadé Mozart.”

H.E. Hermine Poppeller, Ambassador of Austria in Greece:
“A great thank to Mozarteum Hellas for making this event

possible and giving us the opportunity to have these two invaluable objects in Greece and of course I would like to express my gratitude to Salzburg Mozarteum Foundation for making not only the music of Mozart Amadeus Mozart but also his life and his personality accessible to all people and generations“

“This is a unique day for Mozarteum Hellas and for its cooperation with Salzburg Mozarteum Foundation as we welcome two objects exhibited for the first time outside the Mozarteum museums. For Mozarteum Hellas the Posch-Medallion has also a significant importance as our logo is inspired by that” said Mrs Evgenia Votanopoulou, President of Mozarteum Hellas.

“Today we are thrilled to present two objects of Mozart, i.e. the Grassi-Medaillon and the Posch-Medallion to our members. During the 2019 Hermes Leaders Forum the participants witnessed the signature of the MoU between Hermes and Mozarteum Foundation (SMF). Under this MoU, the two organizations established a long term partnership” added Dr Kostas Iatrou, Director General, Hermes – Air Transport Organisation.

27/05/2022

2022 Mozarteum Hellas Summer Concert



The traditional Mozarteum Hellas Summer concert was held in Ecali Club on Friday 27 May.

The concert was attended by numerous members of Mozarteum Hellas and friends of the organisation.

Evgenia Votanopoulou (piano)
and **Nina Patrikidou** (violin)

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756 -1791)

Sonata for piano and violin No. 23, in D Major, K. 306

1. Allegro con spirito
2. Andante cantabile
3. Allegretto

Franz Schubert (1797-1828)

Grand Duo for Violin and Piano in A major, op. posth. 162, D 574

1. Allegro moderato
2. Scherzo. Presto
3. Andantino
4. Allegro vivace

Fritz Kreisler (1875-1962)

Alt -Wiener Tanzweisen:

- Liebesfreud – Love's Joy
- Liebesleid -Love's Sorrow
- Schön Rosmarin -Lovely Rosemary

Marche Miniature Viennoise



11/03/2023

2023 Mozarteum Hellas AGM & Conference



On Saturday 11th of March 2023 has been held the Annual General Meeting and Conference of Mozarteum Hellas in the Culture Centre of the Greek Church.

The President of Mozarteum Hellas, Evgenia Votanopoulou, presented the 2023 Annual report.

Philipp Wassermann, Minister Counsellor, Deputy Head of Mission of Austria in Greece and Rainer Heneis, CEO, Mozarteum Salzburg Foundation delivered the keynote addresses.

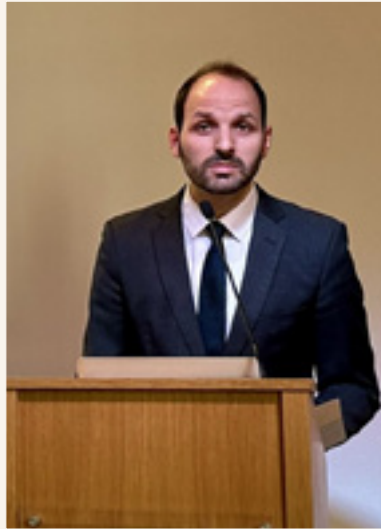
Mozarteum Hellas bestowed Rainer Heneis, CEO, Mo-

zarteum Salzburg Foundation with an appreciation plaque for his contribution to Mozarteum Hellas.

Marina Corliano Nahi, Assistenz Fundraising & Mozart Communities made a presentation of Mozarteum Salzburg Foundation Mozart Communities.

Finally, SenR Dr. Wolfgang Gerold, President of Mozartgemeinde Wien made a presentation of his organisation.

The event concluded with a concert of the Youth and Kids orchestra of Nina Patrikidou (VP of Mozarteum Hellas).



08/04/2023

Mozarteum Hellas and Mozartgemeinde Wien sign a Memorandum of Understanding



Mozarteum Hellas, represented by its President Evgenia Votanopoulou, and Mozartgemeinde Wien, represented by its president SenR Dr. Wolfgang Gerold, signed a Memorandum of Understanding on Saturday 8th April in Athens aiming at strengthening cooperation and exchange of ideas.

Mrs Votanopoulou thanked Dr Gerold for the cooperation and Dr Gerold thanked for the invitation.

Philipp Wassermann, Deputy Head of Mission of the Austrian Embassy, expressed his gratitude for the “promotion of Austrian culture in Greece” and expressed his certainty that this MoU will establish “a close and fruitful cooperation”.

The event was followed by a concert of mostly Austrian composers: E. Votanopolou on the piano, Nina Patrikidou on the violin while Marina Rechkalova and Dr Gerold rejoiced attendants with their singing.



22/05/2023

Special Presentation of International Mozarteum Foundation in Greece: Mozart's Autograph K. 590b



On Monday 22nd May, Hermes members and Mozarteum Hellas members had the unique opportunity to see in an exclusive event Mozart's Autograph K. 590b.

"For more than 140 years the International Mozarteum Foundation's mission has been to keep Wolfgang Amadè Mozart's legacy, making a unique collection of family treasures accessible to the public and spreading the magic of his music among future generations and people of every age and culture. An important part of this work are sustainable partnerships with communities of Mozart-friends around the world, among them Mozarteum Hellas. Against this background I was very pleased to bring one of the foundations treasure, the original au-

tograph of K. 590b, the fragment of a sonata to Athens. Discussing the story behind this fantastic work with the audience has been a true pleasure, especially, as this has been the first time this important piece of Austria's cultural heritage has traveled abroad." said Linus Klumpner, Director Mozart-Museums, International Mozarteum Foundation.

Evgenia Votanopoulou, *President of Mozarteum Hellas*, said: "We were thrilled to welcome for the first time in Greece an autograph of Mozart! On behalf of Mozarteum Hellas I would like to thank Linus Klumpner and the International Mozarteum Foundation for this unforgettable moment."



Dr Kostas Iatrou, *Director General of Hermes – Air Transport Organisation*, added “Following the 2019 exclusive presentation of the Costa violin and the special presentation of the Grassi-Medaillon & the Posch-Medaillon in 2022 we are honored to welcome K. 590b.

We would like to thank Linus Klumpner and the International Mozarteum Foundation for this great moment. Hermes has established a long standing cooperation with International Mozarteum Foundation since 2019. We are really happy that our members had the opportunity to participate in this unique event!”





Mozarteum Hellas continues the close collaboration with International Mozarteum Foundation offering this year Mozarteum Hellas members the unique opportunity to witness an autograph of Mozart for the first time in Greece. The guests had the opportunity to listen the K. 590b performed by Mozarteum Hellas President Mrs Votanopoulou.

Finally Mrs Votanopoulou presented a plaque as a token of appreciation to Mr Linus for his contribution to Mozarteum Hellas

The following day, thanks to the initiative of Mrs Votanopoulou, the students of Arsakeia Schools had the opportunity to see this autograph and learn more about Mozart and his life. "The education of the younger generations is one of the primary goals of the International Mozarteum Foundation. This time we have come to Greece for a very special occasion: Wolfgang Amadé Mozart's original autograph of K. 590b was guest at one of the oldest schools in Greece. Pupils at the Arsakeia school, founded in 1836, learned about the composition and the

world-famous composer. Our team from the Mozart Museums, Director Linus Klumpner and Deborah Gatewood enjoyed a fun and interesting exchange with the very engaged pupils of music. This lively educational collaboration is the proof: Mozart lives!" added Mr Klumpner during his presentation at Arsakeia Schools.

This manuscript by Wolfgang Amadé Mozart is part of the precious collection of the International Mozarteum Foundation. It is kept in the Autograph Vault of the foundation, and very rarely leaves Salzburg. Composed in Vienna between 1787 and 1789, the work exemplifies one of the composer's most exciting creative periods. In the same years, the great operas of the Da Ponte cycle evolved, which to this day underscore Mozart's role as an unmistakable genius. K. 590b is one of the works bequeathed to the International Mozarteum Foundation by Mozart's son, Franz Xaver Wolfgang Mozart. The fragment of a sonata for piano, written down by Wolfgang Amadé Mozart himself, can be performed today as a complete piece thanks to his son, who later completed the work, and dedicated it to his "dear mother" in 1802 for her name day.



Review of Austrian Greek Music Summer 2023



This year the "Austrian-Greek Music Summer" is taking place already in its eighth edition all over Greece. I am very pleased that musicians from both countries will perform together again in different locations and formations, showing the diversity of the musical landscape of Austrian music.

The "Austrian-Greek Music Summer" aims to foster dialogue between Austrian and Greek creative artists, the diversity represented by the various musical genres and the friendship between Austria and Greece.

The Austrian Embassy supports the concerts mentioned in this flyer inter alia financially or through promotion in order to help the organizers as well as the artists and musicians to make these musical encounters possible.

I am pleased to announce that during the Austrian-Greek Music Summer there will be more than 30 concerts all over Greece, from Koroni to Rhodes and from Ioannina to Patmos.

It is a great honor and a pleasure for the Austrian Embassy that the General Secretariat for Greeks Abroad and Public Diplomacy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Hellenic Republic as well as the Ministry of Culture of the Hellenic Republic have given their auspices for the Austrian-Greek Music Summer also this year, thereby expressing their appreciation for this initiative. I would like to express my deep gratitude for their continuing support.

I would especially like to thank all those who realized this series of concerts and thus contributed to an intensification



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MAY

26/05 Athens
Athens Jazz
Candlelight Ficus

28/05 Corinth
Kaloy Foundation
Arieta Liatsi

JUNE

10/06 Ioannina
Yard of The Silversmithing Museum – Castle
Zografelo School
Sketchbook Quartet

12/06 Thessaloniki
Thessaloniki Concert Hall
Sketchbook Quartet

13/06 Karditsa
Pafsilipos Park
Municipality of Karditsa
Sketchbook Quartet

17/06 Kythnos
Little Theater of Dryopida
Kythniale Cultural initiative
in cooperation with the Municipality of Kythnos
Jakob Steinkellner

JULY

04/07 Loutraki
Municipality of Loutraki
Danubia Soloists & Loutraki Concert Band

05/07 Ancient Corinth
Association of Friends of Music
Danubia Soloists and Friends

06/07 Patras
Cultural Organization/Municipality of Patras
Danubia Soloists and Friends

06/07 Syros
Hermoupolis Guitar Festival
Florian Palier

09/07 Paxi
Paxos Music Festival
Florian Palier

10/07 Corfu
Archaeological Museum of Corfu
in collaboration with the Ephorate of Antiquities of Corfu
Florian Palier

10/07 Nafplion
Nafplion International Music Festival
Austrian Honorary Consulate
Hanna Bachmann, Ilias Livieratos

13/07 Rhodes
Rhodes Piano International Music Festival
Austrian Honorary Consulate
Hanna Bachmann, Ilias Livieratos

15/07 Marathonas
Municipality of Marathon in cooperation with
Mozarteum Hellas
Anja Morgenstern, Evgenia Votanopoulou

18/07 Kifissia
Athino
Municipality of Kifissia in cooperation with
Mozarteum Hellas
Anja Morgenstern, Evgenia Votanopoulou

24/07 Messini
Ancient Theater
Foundation Kaloy
Arieta Liatsi

AUGUST

07/08 Lipsi
Municipality of Lipsi
Natascha Petrinsky, Luca Lombardo,
Vassilis Konstantinou

09/08 Patmos
Cultural center Patmion
Municipality of Patmos
Natascha Petrinsky, Luca Lombardo,
Kostas Stampoulis, Vassilis Konstantinou

24/08 Kampos
Koumoundouros Mansion
Municipality of West Mani
Strings in Motion

25/08 Stupa
Municipal Open Theatre
Municipality of West Mani
Strings in Motion

26/08 Kardamilli
Pyrgospita Mourtzinou
Municipality of West Mani
Strings in Motion

27/08 Koroni
Proavlio Panagias Eleistrias
Koroni Festival
Strings in Motion

27/08 Volos
Athanassakeio Archaeological Museum of Volos
Friends of the Athanassakeio Archaeological
Museum
Maria Louisa Geladari-Hanicz, Alba Hernández

28/08 Lindos
Ancient Theater – Agios Stefanos Square
DOPAR, under the Auspices of the Region of
South Aegean in cooperation with Mozarteum
Hellas and the Municipality of Rhodes
Nina Patrikidou, Evgenia Votanopoulou

29/08 Skiathos
Municipality of Skiathos, Cultural Association
"Skiathos"
Maria Louisa Geladari-Hanicz, Alba Hernández

29/08 Koroni
Proavlio Panagias Eleistrias
Koroni Festival
Strings in Motion

29/08 Rhodes
Museum of Modern Greek Art of Rhodes
DOPAR, under the Auspices of the Region of
South Aegean
in cooperation with Mozarteum Hellas and the
Municipality of Rhodes, in cooperation with
Mozartgemeinde Vienna
Nina Patrikidou, Evgenia Votanopoulou,
Wolfgang Gerold

31/08 Kalamata
Megaro Chorou
International Kalamata Music Days
in cooperation with Laskaridis Foundation
Strings in Motion

SEPTEMBER

02/09 Kozani
Municipal Art Hall
41st Lassaneaia Festival
Organization of Sports, Culture and Youth/
Municipality of Kozani
Dr. Gerda Guttenberg, Maria Louisa Geladari
Hanicz

OCTOBER

09/10 Piraeus
Dimotiko Theatro Peiraia
Laskaridis Foundation
Strings in Motion

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of the musical network between Austria and Greece: Above all, our sponsors Desserta/ Alpiland, the Austrian Language Diploma ÖSD as well as the company InformLykos, the highly talented musicians, the professional event partners and the dedicated new organization duo Philipp Wassermann, Deputy Head of Mission and Chara Mamata.

Together we would like to make this summer for you, our audience, once again a special music experience among friends. We invite you to visit our concerts in Greece and experience the unique atmosphere and spirit of the Austrian-Greek Music Summer!

Hermine Poppeller
Austrian Ambassador to the Hellenic Republic