Annex A: Concert details

Show 1: Youth Rhapsody



Conductor : Liu Chiang-Pin Date : 21 Dec 2024 (Sat) Time : 7.30pm Venue : SCO Concert Hall Ticket Price: \$22 Ticket Purchase link: https://bit.ly/49kcDhN

The 24/25 members intake of Singapore National Youth Chinese Orchestra (SNYCO) presents their first concert of the year with guest conductor Liu Chiang-Pin. Under his baton and curation, the National Project of Excellence orchestra presents a line-up of repertoire from renowned composers. Talented SNYCO members Yu Haotian will be performing the liuqin concerto *Melody on a Moonlit River*, and Khor Yee Sing will be performing the dizi concerto *Love for the Eagle*. Don't miss the picturesque and scenic Taiwan in *Capriccio Taiwan* or the heroic story of Shadi'er from Xinjiang in *The Legend of Shadi'er*.

Second Concert: Musical Voyage II



Conductor : Lien Boon Hua Date : 22 Mar 2025 (Sat) Time : 7.30pm Venue : SCO Concert Hall Ticket Price: \$22

Conducted by SNYCO Conductor Lien Boon Hua, this captivating concert showcases a journey through both local heritage and imaginative landscapes beyond Singapore. The night opens with a world-premiere composition by esteemed Singaporean jazz musician Chok Kerong, setting an inspiring tone for the evening.

Maestro Kuan Nai-chung's iconic work *A Trip to Lhasa* blends the composer's impressions and imagination of the city, from the grandeur of The Potala Palace to the powerful tradition of celestial burial. Young composer Wen Zhanli, on the other hand, offers a deeply personal perspective of Tibet, inspired by the composer's own travels through his evocative piece, *The Encounter and The Forgotten Valley*.

Audiences will also enjoy Singapore-inspired pieces like *Prince Sang Nila Utama and Singa* by Law Wai Lun, retelling the legend of Singapore's founding prince, and *Storytellers on Ann Siang Road* by Phang Kok Jun, a chamber ensemble piece that evokes the vibrant, multicultural past of Singapore's historic streets. Together, these pieces offer a rich tapestry of musical storytelling, brought to life by SNYCO's talented young musicians.

Third Concert: Legacy III



Conductor : Quek Ling Kiong Date : 26 July 2025 (Sat) Time : 7.30pm Venue : SCO Concert Hall Ticket Price: \$22

It is an annual concert that both orchestras look forward to each year. Other than being the finale concert in the current season before new membership year begins, selected members also go through rounds of concerto listening and compete for a privileged opportunity to perform concertos alongside with the SCO. An exhilarating concert, jointly presented by the teacher artists and their protégé, not to be missed!