

The Thailand Philharmonic Embarks On Their Phenomenal European Tour

The Thailand Philharmonic Orchestra departed for Budapest on the 27th of August 2022, embarking on their European Tour and carrying with them the pride of not only the College of Music, Mahidol University, but the whole of Thailand. Although they have toured many of Thailand's Southeast Asian neighbours and even countries like Japan before, this is no small journey as they are making their first debut at some of the most iconic concert halls in all of Eastern Europe. These are the same halls that hosted some of the world's most well-known orchestras, such as

the New York Philharmonic, the Berlin Philharmonic, and many other prestigious names in the orchestral world. The Thailand Philharmonic Orchestra will be making their mark on the international stage, placing its reputation among the top orchestras of the world despite the fact that the orchestra began only sixteen years ago.

Read more at, www.music.mahidol.ac.th/blog



On August 24, 2022 - The Thailand Philharmonic Orchestra under the supervision of the College of Music, Mahidol University held a press conference for the Thailand Phil EUROPEAN TOUR 2022 - Beyond the Horizon! For the first time, Thailand Phil, a Thais orchestra

journeys across the horizon for a European tour and performed at the 70th FESTIVAL LJUBLJANA, the world-famous European music festival, on 27 August to 2 September 2022, led by Khunying Patama Leesawadtrakul, Chairperson and Dr. Narong Prangcharoen, Dean

of the College of Music, Mahidol University and Music Director of the Thailand Phil, with the press and distinguished guests attending the press conference at Patamachat Room, 23rd Floor, Arnoma Grand Hotel, Bangkok.



On August 24, 2022 - Dr. Narong Prangcharoen, Dean of the College of Music, received the winning first prize of MU Green Ranking 2021, an award given to the division that promotes operations in driving internal resource management to achieve sustainable development objectives from Prof. Banchong Mahaisavariya, President of Mahidol University, at the opening ceremony of the Mahidol Sustainability Development Conference 2022 at Prince Mahidol Hall

This activity is part of the "Mahidol Sustainability Week 2022" held under the topic "Net Zero Emission" during August 22-26, 2022.





On August 24, 2022, the Department of Music Therapy, College of Music, Mahidol University organized a special lecture for students in music therapy majors and other fields on the topic of "an Educational Sharing of Telehealth Practices", by Dr. Indra Selvarajah, the Founding President, Malaysian Music Therapy Association and Medical Music Therapist & Lecturer, Department of Music, Faculty of Human Ecology, Universiti Putra Malaysia, and Assoc. Prof. Dr. Lori Gooding, the President of the American Music Therapy Association and Music Therapy Lecturer at Florida State University.

Also, Dr. Indra Selvarajah and Assoc. Prof. Dr. Lori Gooding participated in Thai music cultural exchange activity with the music therapy teachers and the music therapist from Siriraj Hospital.









On August 18 - 19, 2022 - The piano department invited Dr. Poom Prommachart, assistant professor at the University College Fairview in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia and one of the most celebrated Thai pianists to the College. We also had a full house at his recital.





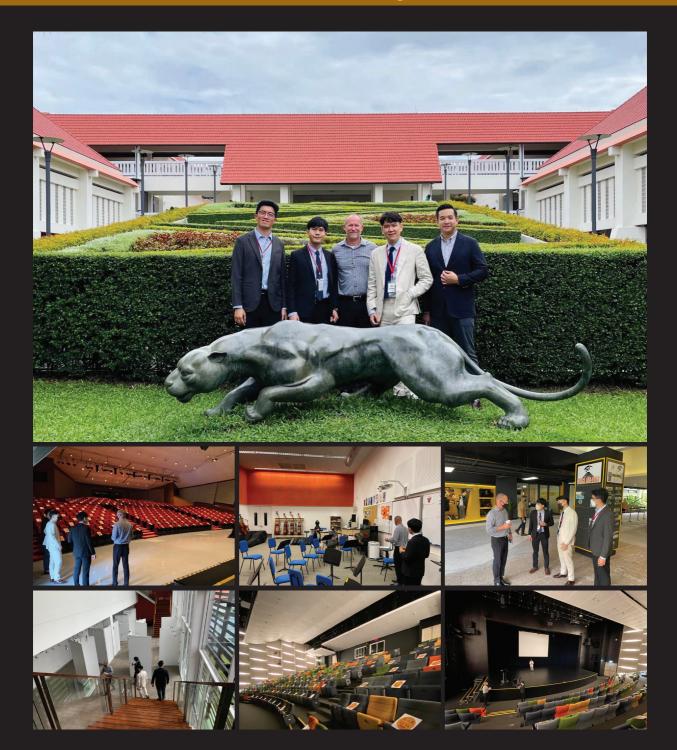




Our Orchestra Skills lesson by Aj. Visanee Vongvirulh at the Young Artist Music Program (for Violin and Viola).

This semester we have a special theme "Orchestra Excerpt by the Pro", in which students will learn how to be professional musicians and getting ready for the orchestra audition. We have special guests from the Thailand Philharmonic Orchestra to share their experiences and tips for practising and performing Orchestra excerpts;

Thank you to our guests lecturer Aj.Omiros Yavroumis, the concertmaster Aj.Inga Causa, the principal of 2nd violin Aj.Danial Keasler, co-principal viola section.



On 16th August 2022, faculty of the (Pre-College) YAMP-Young Artists Music Program, College of Music, Mahidol University visited International School Bangkok (ISB) as a preparation for participating in Bangkok International Band Festival and Bangkok International String Festival during September. YAMP is excited to be able to plan new collaborations and projects with ISB soon!









On Saturday 27 August 2022 - The College of Music, Mahidol University with OKMD and Museum Siam organized the discussion "Songs of the Century" at Museum Siam, led by Asst. Prof. Krit Buranawittayawut and Asst. Prof. Dr. Thanapol Setabramana, with various performances to be enjoyed throughout this discussion.







On September 8, 2022 - The College of Music, Mahidol University participated in the Education and Career Guidance Exhibition at Vajiravudh College to provide admission information, program details and guidelines for preparing for further studies in music.



On September 9, 2022 - The College of Music, Mahidol University participated in the Guidance Week 2022, academic year 2022 at Sarasas Witaed Thonburi School to provide admission information, program details and guidelines for preparing for further studies in music.







On 12 September 2022 - College of Music, Mahidol University organized the Health and Wellness 2022 under the topic "Prevention and Saying Goodbye to Office Syndrome and Exercise for Weight Loss" hostes by Dr.Chonlachai Arnamnart, Deputy Dean of Corporate Image and Communication, College of Sports Science and Technology at room 204, Music Museum building.







On September 15, 2022 - The College of Music, Mahidol University welcomes students from the Sirindhorn School, Surin to visit Young Artist Music Program (YAMP) Pre-College for the school tour, program guidance and see students' music performances.



Faculty Highlights: Congratulations to Dr. Dhanyaporn Phothikawin our Music Education Department faculty, on promotion to "Assistant Professor"



Faculty Highlights: Congratulations to Assoc. Prof. Dr. Narongchai Pidokrajt our Musicology Department faculty, received the Mahidol University Award of Academic year 2021 For Outstanding Teacher category

International News



On 28 August, 2022, Dr. Narong Prangcharoen, Dean of the College of Music, Mahidol University visited the Franz Lizst Academy of Music in Budapest, Hungary where he met with Prof. Gyula Fekete, the Vice President of Research and International Affairs to discuss areas of mutual interest and cooperation including an MOU agreement, student and faculty exchanges, and an ERAMUS + partner application. Asst. Prof. Dr. Joseph Bowman, Associate Dean for International Affairs also attended. The visit included a tour of the Lizst Academy, which was founded by famous composer and pianist Franz Lizst in 1875. The Academy is one of the most highly regarded music schools in Europe and the College of Music is excited for the future collaborations to come.

Alumni



Alumni Spotlight - Congratulations to Ice Kunlachard Phupanla, our alumni of Classical Music Performance (Bass Trombone), Brass and Percussion department studied with Dr.Michael Robinson jr. and won the first prize in Thailand International Trombone Festival 2022

Upcoming Events



September 21, 2022 - Founding Day of the College of Music, Mahidol University marks its 28th Anniversary.



Open the door to your stage!

Mahidol Music admissions for the academic year 2023-2024 are now open.

Young Artist Music Program – International Music Boarding School (High School equivalent) and Bachelor of Music (B.M): Applications are available from August 25, 2022

Mahidol Music admissions for the academic year 2023-2024 are now open. Doctor of Music (D.M.): Applications are available from September 26, 2022

More information: www.music.mahidol. ac.th/admission

Scholarships are available for all programs for strong music ability and those with financial needs.

Special Instrument Scholarships are also available for viola, cello, double bass, oboe, bassoon, and French horn.

In 2022, Mahidol University earned a Top 50 ranking in the QS Performing Arts Subject Rankings.

Come join us! and make your musical dreams a reality.

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Invited to join the special panel discussion on the topic "Why Music Festival is still an Immortal Trends that influence the Music industry, music fans and host cities around the world" by Mr. Boonperm Inthanapasat, President of the Thai International Fairs and Festivals Promotion Association (TIEFA)

On the occasion of the 28th Anniversary of the Founding of the

College of Music, Mahidol University

Wednesday 21st, September 2022 at 10 am.

At MACM, College of Music, Mahidol University

Free admission!



We would like to share details of the annual classical guitar event in Thailand to be held by the College of Music, Mahidol University,



now as the 3rd "Mahidol Classical Guitar Forum."

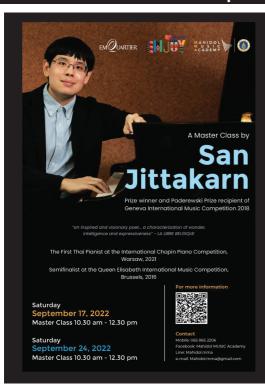
Please follow the attached link for

details of the competition and some other activities. There are no restrictions on the nationality of participants. Downloadable materials in English included.

Prof. Alexander-Sergei RAMIREZ from Germany will visit Thailand and perform in the event as our special guest. More details will follow, please follow the page and stay tuned.

Please visit often our Classical Guitar Department Mahidol University's Facebook page (@GuitarMSMU) for details on the competition, concerts and activities.

Upcoming Events



Mahidol MUSIC Academy presents A Master Class by San Jittakarn

Registration is now open for a master class with our distinguished artist, San Jittakarn.

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Past Event Features







The Thailand Philharmonic Orchestra ends its 2021-2022 season in style with a tale of two cities. Revel in the bustling musical sounds of Paris and New York, with stops along the way in Thailand and Poland.

Opening this rousing program is Phenomenon, the best-known work by Thailand's most internationally-renowned composer, Narong Prangcharoen. The Thailand Phil will then be joined by the Slovenian violinist Lana Trotovšek to perform Henryk Wieniawski's Violin Concerto No. 2, a piece that balances lush lyricism with technical fireworks. Leonard Bernstein's West Side Story then offers a classic re-telling of Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet, yet one that is set in the rough and tumble world of New York City's gangs. Finally, Gershwin's American in Paris vividly evokes the excitement of visiting the City of Love with whirling melodies.

Past Event Features





Wrapped up the Thailand Phil Istituto Italiano di Cultura Budapest #hungary concert Sunday 28 August 2022

PRANGCHAROEN Phenomenon DVORAK Symphony n.9 "From the New World"

BERNSTEIN West Side Story - suite GERSHWIN An American in Paris

Thailand Phil was honored by H.E. Nipon Petchpornprapas, Ambassador of the Royal Thai Embassy in Budapest together with diplomats attending the concert. Thanks to the Royal Thai Embassy in Budapest for their kind support and facilitated our Budapest visit.

Wrapped up the Thailand Phil at Narodowe Forum Muzyki #poland concert

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