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Wagnerian Encounters *in Madrid*

19–23

MAY 2027



TANNHÄUSER – TEATRO REAL

Opera performance



SYMPOSIUM AT MUSEO NACIONAL
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and more activities & visits*



RICHARD WAGNER AWAITS YOU IN MADRID

Discover the enduring legacy of the celebrated German composer in the heart of the Spanish capital.

*The Thyssen-Bornemisza National Museum will present, from 16th February to 23rd May 2027, the **exhibition Wagner, Wagnerism and Painting**, curated by Guillermo Solana and Leticia de Cos.*

This major project aims to offer an ambitious overview of the composer's legacy through a display of around a hundred paintings, drawings, and engravings inspired by Wagner's musical dramas. Wagnerism, both during the composer's lifetime and after his death, exerted a profound influence on painting, and Wagner's work and ideas have never ceased to resurface over time, giving rise to a huge variety of interpretations.

In parallel, the Teatro Real will present, in May, a production of Tannhäuser, featuring two distinguished international casts of the highest calibre.

These events constitute a singular and highly significant occasion of paramount interest to both Wagnerian scholars and devoted enthusiasts. An exceptional and unique opportunity that no Wagnerian should miss.

We warmly invite you to Madrid to experience, first-hand, the Gesamtkunstwerk—Wagner's concept of the Total Work of Art.

We look forward to the pleasure of welcoming you.

Clara Bañeros de la Fuente

President, Asociación Wagneriana de Madrid



PROVISIONAL GENERAL PROGRAMME 19th-23rd May

WEDNESDAY 19th MAY 2027

.At 19:00, **WELCOME RECEPTION** at 'Ocean Drive Madrid': an inaugural gathering featuring a selection of tapas and refreshments. *Attendance is optional, subject to supplement.*

THURSDAY 20th MAY

.From 9:30 - 14:00, **International SYMPOSIUM 'Wagner in Art' at Museo Nacional Thyssen-Bornemisza**. Introduction and inaugural presentations. From 14:00 to 16:00, 2-hour Break, a break for lunch and free time. From 16:00 to 18:00, Resumption of the afternoon lectures and academic presentations.
.At 20:00, **DINNER at RESTAURANT** (exact place to be confirmed).

FRIDAY 21st MAY

.From 10:00 - 13:30, **International Symposium 'Wagner in Art' at Museo Nacional Thyssen-Bornemisza** with academic events and presentations.
.At 19:30, **CONCERT at AUDITORIO NACIONAL DE MÚSICA**: Violin concerto and Sibelius No. 5 Symphony.

SATURDAY 22nd MAY

.Morning (exact time to be confirmed), Guided Tour of PRADO MUSEUM, a guided visit through the museum's illustrious collection. *Attendance is optional, subject to supplement.*
.At 19:00, **opera 'TANNHÄUSER' at Teatro Real** (featuring the first international cast).
.At 23:30, post-performance Farewell dinner at Restaurant Papagena of Teatro Real. An evening dinner in the company of distinguished special guests. *Attendance is optional, subject to supplement.*

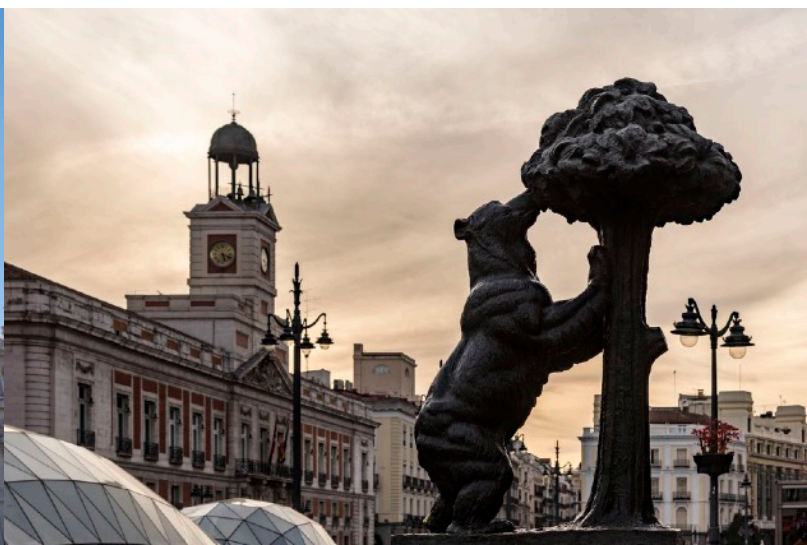
SUNDAY 23rd MAY

.Morning 10:00 to 12:00 approximately, Walking guided tour of Madrid city centre (2 hours). Attendance is optional *subject to supplement.*
.At 18:00, **opera 'TANNHÄUSER' at Teatro Real** (featuring the second international cast).

And if you wish to extend your stay a bit longer you will be able to enjoy this additional event:

MONDAY 24th MAY

.19:30, **CONCERT at AUDITORIO NACIONAL DE MÚSICA**: Tchaikovsky Symphony No.5 Currentzis Musicaeterna. Attendance is optional *subject to supplement.*



International Symposium on 20th & 21st May 2027

‘WAGNER IN ART’

DIRECTOR: PALOMA ORTIZ-DE-URBINA

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Provisional programme of the Symposium taking place at Museo Nacional Thyssen-Bornemisza.

The full names of the distinguished international speakers, together with the titles of their presentations, will be announced shortly.

DAY 1 - THURSDAY 20th MAY 2027 (provisional programme)

9:30_REGISTRATION OF ATTENDEES*

10:00_WELCOME EVENT

10:30_PRESENTATION 1

11.30_BREAK 30’

12:00_PRESENTATION 2

13:00_PRESENTATION 3

14:00 - 16:00 LUNCH BREAK (free time for attendees to visit the exhibition)

16:00_PRESENTATION 4

17:00_DISCUSSION FINAL TALK until 18:00. End of the first day.

DAY 2 - FRIDAY 21st MAY 2027 (provisional programme)

10:00_PRESENTATION 5

11:00_PRESENTATION 6

12:00_BREAK 30’

12:30_PRESENTATION 7

13:30_CLOSING CEREMONY. End.

***REGISTRATION IMPORTANT:** *Participants are kindly requested to register at their earliest convenience by contacting the organisers, indicating whether they wish to attend one or both days (i.e. the full day on 20th May and/or the half day on 21st May). Important: please note that places are limited.*

****LANGUAGES:** presentations will be in Spanish, English, German, French, depending on the speakers - Simultaneous translation into Spanish and English will be available



'TANNHÄUSER', Richard WAGNER

Dates: Saturday 22nd MAY at 19:00 OR Sunday 23rd MAY at 18:00

Conductor: Gustavo Gimeno / Director: David Hermann

Set design: Jo Schramm / Costume design: Bettina Walter / Lighting design: Fabrice Kebour

Choreography: Jean-Philippe Guillois / Chorus director: José Luis Basso - Resident Chorus and Orchestra of Teatro Real.

Teatro Real, in co-production with Opéra National de Lyon

CAST:

Hermann: Georg Zeppenfeld

Tannhäuser: Clay Hilley 22nd May / Andreas Schager 23rd May

Wolfram von Eschenbach: Ludovic Tézier 22nd May / André Schuen 23rd May

Walter von der Vogelweide: Airam Hernández

Biterolf: Levente Páll

Heinrich der Schreiber: Tadeusz Szlenkier

Reinmar von Zweter: Fernando Radó

Elisabeth: Malin Byström 22nd May / Elisabeth Teige 23rd May

Venus: Ausrine Stundyte 22nd May / Irene Roberts 23rd May

Young Shepherd: Cassandre Berthon 22 May / Elionor Martínez 23rd May



CONCERTS at AUDITORIO NACIONAL

Date: FRIDAY 21st MAY at 19:30

(upon request the same concert is also available on Sunday 23rd May at 11h30).

This concert is included in the travel package.

Programme:

Orquesta Nacional de España / Anja Bihlmaier, Musical direction / Sergej Krylov, Violin

Sofiya Gubaidulina Offertorium, Concerto for violin and orchestra [40']

Jean Sibelius, Symphony No. 5 in E-flat major, Op. 82 [30']

Date: MONDAY 24th MAY at 19:30

Programme:

Teodor Currentzis and Musicaeterna will perform Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 5

OPTIONAL SUPPLEMENT: seating availability to be confirmed shortly

Prices: from 100€ to 180€, depending on the chosen seating area.



dates and prices of stays packages: from 20th to 23rd May 2027*

The package INCLUDES:

- **ACCOMMODATION FOR 3 NIGHTS including breakfast** at the chosen hotel.
- **DINNER at a restaurant** on Thursday 20th May at 20.00.
- **CONCERT at AUDITORIO NACIONAL DE MUSICA** on Friday 21st May 19:30 (seating cat. A-B).
- **'TANNHÄUSER' at TEATRO REAL** on Saturday 22nd May OR Sunday 23rd May (seat category A).
- **General admission to the Museo Nacional Thyssen-Bornemisza**, including the exhibition 'Wagner, Wagnerism and Painting' and the permanent collection.
- **Registration for the Symposium at the Museo Thyssen-Bornemisza** on 20th and/or 21st May.
- **Registration, administration and management fees.**

The package does NOT include / OPTIONAL EVENTS subject to supplement:

- Wednesday 19th May at 20:00 **WELCOME RECEPTION** (drinks and menu tapas included): +80€ /person.
- Saturday 22nd May 23:30, post-performance **Farewell DINNER at TEATRO REAL**: +99 euros /person.
- Saturday 22nd May (10:00-12:00), Entrance ticket and guided tour of **PRADO MUSEUM**: +35€ /person.
- Sunday 23rd May 10:00-12:00, **Walking guided Tour** in Madrid (2 hours): +20 euros /person.
- Monday 24th May 19:30, **CONCERT Currentzis at Auditorio Nacional**: from +100€ to +180€ /person.
- ***EXTRA NIGHTS: PRICES ON REQUEST**
- Local tourist tax
- Transportation and transfers, travel insurance

PRICES:

PRICE for a 3-NIGHTS STAY	accommodation BB in a double room / twin room 2 beds shared by 2 adults	accommodation BB individual single room
Hotel MODERNO 3*	970 € /person	1.270 € /person
Hotel EMPERADOR 4*	1.110 € /person	1.470 € /person
Hotel OCEAN DRIVE MADRID 4*	1.170 € /person	1.570 € /person

All prices are quoted per person; administration fees are included.

The room category included is 'standard room'; upgrades to room categories available upon request.

*ADDITIONAL EXTRA NIGHTS ON REQUEST - indicative rates subject to confirmation:

.Hotel MODERNO 3: +230 euros per night and per room.*

.Hotel EMPERADOR 4: +290€ per room night single use / +310€ per room night for double occupancy.*

.Hotel OCEAN DRIVE MADRID 4: +320€ per room night single use / +350€ per room night for double use.*



Accommodation

All the hotels listed are situated in the very heart of the city centre, in the Gran Vía or Puerta del Sol area. Subject to availability at the time of confirmation.

HOTEL MODERNO 3*

Elegant and distinguished. That sums up the Hotel Moderno, a charming hotel right in the heart of Madrid, just a stone's throw from the famous Bear and Strawberry Tree monument in Puerta del Sol, 250 metres from the Plaza Mayor and a few minutes' walk from the Teatro Real.



HOTEL EMPERADOR 4*

An ideal location for exploring Madrid, just a few minutes' walk from the Teatro Real. Gran Vía is in the heart of the city, putting Plaza de España, Puerta del Sol and Cibeles within a few minutes' walk. We are situated close to the city's most popular attractions. We boast Madrid's largest and most historic swimming pool, set on a 1,200 m² terrace offering spectacular views of the Madrid skyline. This space also features a cocktail bar where our signature creations are sure to delight you. Inspired by the hotel's elegant and authentic décor, the rooms are ideal both for those who need a location that serves the whole city and for those seeking a haven of peace in the heart of Madrid's Gran Vía. They all feature a kettle and include either a bath or a shower, as well as access to the swimming pool during the summer months.



HOTEL OCEAN DRIVE MADRID 4*

An unbeatable location in the heart of the city, Plaza de Isabel II, in front of the Opera Palace, a few steps from the Royal Palace, Plaza Mayor, Puerta del Sol or Gran Vía Street, and a short walk from emblematic neighbourhoods such as La Latina, Huertas, Los Austrias, Malasaña or Chueca. OD's identity is reflected in each of the spacious and bright 72 hotel rooms, in the light and open reception area with its lobby bar, restaurant with its indoor garden terrace and co-working area, as well as in its OD Sky Bar, with a swimming pool and solarium where you can enjoy exquisite cocktails while taking in beautiful views. In front of the hotel, a taxi rank and a Metro stop will take you quickly to any part of Madrid or even to the airport. But if you prefer to walk, less than 4 minutes walk away, you have the Plaza Mayor or the San Miguel Market where you can enjoy the local gastronomy.



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A deposit of approximately 50% is required to secure your booking; the remaining balance is due two months prior to the stay.

Payment should be made via bank transfer to the account of the travel agency, MNK LEISURE CONSULTING S.L. and bank details will be provided on the booking invoice.

REFERENCE example: 'MADRID + [Your Name]'.

Payments by credit card are also accepted via a secure payment link.

Booking confirmations will be issued upon receipt of the initial deposit.

Travel documents, such as vouchers, will be sent no later than two weeks prior to your arrival.

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THANK YOU !

We remain at your disposal should you require any further information or suggestions, or should you wish to adapt the program to your requirements.

Sincerely yours,

Axel Ruis

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