



London Symphony Orchestra 2009/10 season

All concerts are in the Barbican Hall and priced at £7 £13 £19 £25 £32 unless stated otherwise

All details correct at time of going to press (Jan 2009). The LSO reserves the right to make changes when absolutely necessary.

Sun 20 Sep 2009 7.30pm

Debussy La mer
Henri Dutilleux L'Arbre des Songes
Ravel Daphnis and Chloé

Valery Gergiev conductor
Leonidas Kavakos violin
London Symphony Chorus

Tue 22 Sep 2009 7pm

Berlioz The Damnation of Faust

Valery Gergiev conductor
Bernarda Fink Marguerite
Michael Schade Faust
Thomas Quasthoff Mephistopheles
Florian Boesch Brander
London Symphony Chorus

Please note start time
Also part of Great Performers 2009-10

Tickets £7 £13 £20 £27 £34
Limited availability

Thu 24 Sep 2009 7.30pm

Debussy La mer
Ravel Piano Concerto for the Left Hand
Ravel Daphnis and Chloé

Valery Gergiev conductor
Jean-Efflam Bavouzet piano
London Symphony Chorus

Part of UBS Soundscapes

Thu 1 & Sun 4 Oct 2009 7.30pm

Mozart Symphony No 34, K338
Mozart Piano Concerto No 20, K466
Nielsen Symphony No 5

Sir Colin Davis conductor
Radu Lupu piano

4 Oct supported by LSO Friends

Thu 8 Oct 2009 7.30pm

Beethoven Violin Concerto
Sibelius Symphony No 5

Sir Colin Davis conductor
Arabella Steinbacher violin

Sun 11 & Tue 13 Oct 2009 7.30pm

Schubert Symphony No 8 ('Unfinished')
Mahler Das Lied von der Erde

Bernard Haitink conductor
Christianne Stotijn mezzo-soprano
Robert Gambill tenor

13 Oct Takeda Global Concert

Sat 17 Oct 2009 7.30pm

Schubert Symphony No 5
Mahler Symphony No 4

Bernard Haitink conductor
Christine Schaefer soprano

Sun 18 Oct 2009 2.30pm LSO Discovery Family Concert

Suitable for 7- to 12-year-olds

Tickets £4 under-16s, £7 adults

Sun 1 Nov 2009 7.30pm

Grieg Lyric Suite
James MacMillan Epiclesis*
Sibelius Lemminkäinen Suite

Kristjan Järvi conductor
Ole Edvard Antonsen trumpet*

Thu 5 Nov 2009 7.30pm

Berg Violin Concerto
Schubert Symphony No 9 ('Great')

Michael Tilson Thomas conductor
Gil Shaham violin

Sun 8 Nov 2009 7.30pm

Schubert Rosamunde
Mahler Lieder from 'Des Knaben Wunderhorn'
Berg Three Pieces

Michael Tilson Thomas conductor
Matthias Goerne Baritone
London Symphony Chorus

Thu 12 Nov 2009 7.30pm

Jörg Widmann Violin Concerto
Mahler Symphony No 6

Daniel Harding conductor
Christian Tetzlaff violin

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Fri 20 Nov 2009 7.30pm

Mendelssohn Violin Concerto
Mahler (completed Cooke) Symphony No 10

Daniel Harding conductor
Christian Tetzlaff violin

Part of UBS Soundscapes

Sun 29 Nov 2009 7.30pm LSO Chamber Concert

Programme to be confirmed

LSO String Ensemble

Tickets £7 £13 £19

Thu 3 Dec & Sun 6 Dec 2009 7pm

Verdi Otello

Sir Colin Davis conductor
Cast includes:
Torsten Kerl Otello
Gerald Finley Iago
Allan Clayton Cassio
Anne Schwanewilms Desdemona
Eufemia Tufano Emilia
London Symphony Chorus

Concert performance
Please note start time

Thu 10 Dec 2009 7.30pm Masekela 70th Birthday Concert

François-Xavier Roth conductor
Hugh Masekela trumpet
LSO St Luke's Community Choir

Iconic South African trumpeter and vocalist Hugh Masekela returns to the LSO for his birthday celebrations with a programme including urban folk songs and works by leading young jazz musician Jason Yarde

Part of UBS Soundscapes

Sun 13 Dec 2009 7.30pm

Ravel Pavane pour une infante défunte
Debussy Jeux
Strauss Oboe Concerto
Stravinsky Jeu de cartes
Ravel Boléro

Valery Gergiev conductor
Emanuel Abbühl oboe

Fri 18 Dec 2009 7.30pm

Ravel Pavane pour une infante défunte
Debussy Jeux
Henri Dutilleux Symphony No 2
Stravinsky Jeu de cartes
Ravel Boléro

Valery Gergiev conductor

Tue 12 Jan & Thu 14 Jan 2010 7.30pm

Strauss Elektra

Valery Gergiev conductor
Eva Johansson Elektra
Angela Denoke Chrysothemis
Felicity Palmer Klytemnaestra
Matthias Goerne Orest
Ian Storey Aegisth
London Symphony Chorus

Concert performance
12 Jan part of UBS Soundscapes
14 Jan Takeda Global Concert

Sun 7 Feb 2010 7.30pm

Beethoven Symphony No 1
Beethoven Symphony No 9 ('Choral')

Sir John Eliot Gardiner conductor
Soloists include:
Rebecca Evans soprano
Vuyani Mlinda bass-baritone
Monteverdi Choir

Tue 9 Feb 2010 7.30pm

Beethoven Overture: Egmont
Beethoven Piano Concerto No 2
Beethoven Symphony No 6 ('Pastoral')

Sir John Eliot Gardiner conductor
Maria João Pires piano

Thu 11 Feb 2010 7.30pm

Bartók Music for Strings, Percussion and Celesta
Strauss Horn Concerto No 2
Strauss Ein Heldenleben

Valery Gergiev conductor
David Pyatt horn

Sat 13 Feb 2010 7.30pm

Ravel La Valse
Ligeti Atmosphères
Henri Dutilleux Mystère d'Instant
Stravinsky Petrushka

Valery Gergiev conductor

Sun 21 Feb 2010 7.30pm

Philip Glass LIFE: A Journey Through Time

Marin Alsop conductor

A multimedia orchestral performance that chronicles the story of life on Earth through the imagery of National Geographic photographer Frans Lanting and the music of Philip Glass

Wed 24 Feb 2010 7.30pm

Mendelssohn Violin Concerto
Berlioz Symphonie fantastique

Sir Colin Davis conductor
Midori violin

Sponsored by Canon Europe

Sun 28 Feb 2010 7.30pm

James MacMillan St John Passion

Sir Colin Davis conductor
Christopher Maltman baritone
London Symphony Chorus

Thu 4 Mar 2010 7.30pm

Bernstein Symphonic Dances from 'West Side Story'
Rachmaninov Symphonic Dances

Kristjan Järvi conductor

Part of UBS Soundscapes

Sun 7 Mar 2010 7.30pm

Britten Four Sea Interludes
Sibelius Symphony No 6
John Adams Doctor Atomic Symphony

John Adams conductor

Also part of Great Performers 2009-10

Thu 11 Mar 2010 7.30pm

Ravel Valses Nobles et Sentimentales
Stravinsky Concerto for Piano and Wind Instruments
Debussy (orch Colin Matthews) Préludes
John Adams City Noir (European premiere)

John Adams conductor
Jeremy Denk piano

Also part of Great Performers 2009-10

Sun 21 Mar 2010 2.30pm
LSO Discovery Family Concert

Suitable for 7- to 12-year-olds

Tickets £4 under-16s, £7 adults

Thu 25 Mar 2010 7.30pm

Sibelius King Kristian II Suite
Grieg Piano Concerto
Magnus Lindberg Chorale
Sibelius Symphony No 7

Robin Ticciati conductor
Simon Trpceski piano

Sun 28 Mar 2010 7.30pm

Shostakovich Piano Concerto No 2
Brahms Symphony No 4

Semyon Bychkov conductor
Denis Matsuev piano

Sun 25 Apr 2010 7.30pm

Copland Appalachian Spring – Suite
André Previn Miss Sallie Chisum remembers Billy the Kid
Barber Knoxville Summer of 1915
Strauss An Alpine Symphony

André Previn conductor
Barbara Bonney soprano

Thu 29 Apr 2010 7.30pm

Liadov The Enchanted Lake
Rachmaninov Piano Concerto No 4
Copland Symphony No 3

Antonio Pappano conductor
Leif Ove Andsnes piano

Sponsored by Baker & McKenzie LLP

Thu 6 May & Sun 9 May 2010 7.30pm

Haydn Symphony No 97
Mozart Piano Concerto No 17, K453
Nielsen Symphony No 4 ('Inextinguishable')

Sir Colin Davis conductor
Mitsuko Uchida piano

6 May part of UBS Soundscapes
9 May supported by LSO Patrons

Wed 12 May 2010 7.30pm

Debussy Prélude à l'après-midi d'un faune
Stravinsky Symphony in C
James MacMillan Violin Concerto (*world premiere*)
Stravinsky Symphony of Psalms

Valery Gergiev conductor
Vadim Repin violin
London Symphony Chorus

Thu 13 May 2010 7.30pm

Lutoslawski Piano Concerto
Messiaen Turangalila Symphony

Valery Gergiev conductor
Sergei Babayan piano

Wed 19 May 2010 7.30pm

Debussy Prélude à l'après-midi d'un faune
Stravinsky Symphony in C
Ravel Piano Concerto in G
Stravinsky Symphony of Psalms

Valery Gergiev conductor
Hélène Grimaud piano
London Symphony Chorus

Thu 20 May 2010 7.30pm

Henri Dutilleux Métaboles
Messiaen Turangalila Symphony

Valery Gergiev conductor

Sun 23 May 2010 7.30pm

Mozart Piano Concerto No 21, K467
Suk Symphony No 2 ('Asrael')

Daniel Harding conductor
Pierre-Laurent Aimard piano

Thu 3 Jun 2010 7.30pm

Wagner Prelude and Liebestod from
'Tristan and Isolde'
HK Gruber Aerial*
Dvořák Symphony No 7

Daniel Harding conductor
Håkan Hardenberger trumpet*

Sun 6 Jun 2010 7.30pm

Thomas Adès These Premises are Alarmed
Bartók Piano Concerto No 1
Gerald Barry La Plus Forte (*UK premiere*)
Thomas Adès ... but all shall be well

Thomas Adès conductor
Zoltán Kocsis piano
Barbara Hannigan soprano

Thu 10 Jun 2010 7.30pm

Dvořák Scherzo capriccioso
Britten Violin Concerto
Shostakovich Symphony No 6

Mark Elder conductor
Janine Jansen violin

Sun 13 Jun 2010 2.30pm
LSO Discovery Family Concert

Suitable for 7- to 12-year-olds

Tickets £4 under-16s, £7 adults

Wed 16 Jun 2010 7.30pm

Rachmaninov Piano Concerto No 3
Poulenc Gloria

Xian Zhang conductor
Vladimir Feltsman piano
Sally Matthews soprano
London Symphony Chorus

Sun 20 Jun 2010 7.30pm

Bach arr Webern Fugue in Six Voices
Helmut Lachenmann Double (Grido II)
Brahms Piano Concerto No 1

Peter Eötvös conductor
Maurizio Pollini piano

Sun 27 Jun 2010 7pm

Haydn The Seasons

Sir Colin Davis conductor
Singers to be confirmed
London Symphony Chorus

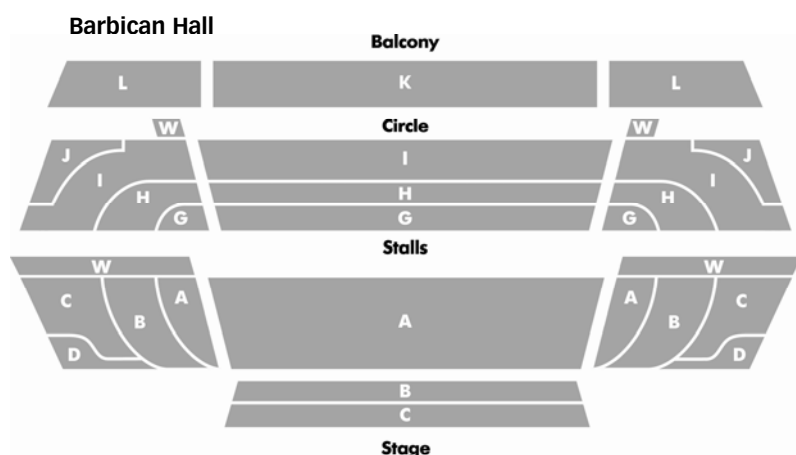
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Thu 1 Jul 2010 7.30pm

Dvořák Violin Concerto
Bruckner Symphony No 7

Daniel Harding conductor
Renaud Capuçon violin





Booking information



Area D – restricted view

Area W – wheelchair and disabled seating

Please note the balcony may be closed for some concerts, requests for areas K or L will then be allocated in the rear circle

-  Visit **lso.co.uk** from Mon 12 Jan for secure online booking (£1.50 bkg fee).
-  Post your completed booking form to **LSO, FREEPOST KE7766, London, EC2B 2RR** (UK only, cheques payable to 'Barbican Centre'; enclose SAE or add 50p to total amount for postage) or **Fax to 020 7374 0127**
-  Call the Barbican Box Office from Mon 26 Jan on **020 7638 8891**, (9am–8pm Mon–Sat, 11am–8pm Sun, £2.50 bkg fee).
-  Book in person from Mon 2 Feb at the Advance Box Office, Level G (Mon–Sat 9am–9pm; Sun and bank hols 12pm–9pm).

Ticket Prices

Concerts	£32	£25	£19	£13	£7	£4
Main LSO concerts	AG	BH	CI	JK	DL	U16s
29 Nov LSO Chamber Ensemble concert			A	B	CD	U16s
LSO Discovery Family concerts					Adults	U16s

Concert	£34	£27	£20	£13	£7	£5
22 Sep Gergiev/Quasthoff concert	AG	BH	CI	JK	DL	U16s

Concessions and other information

Series multi-buy discounts: Book the same number of seats for 3 to 5 concerts and save 10%. Book 6 or more and save 15%. Discounts apply only to concerts booked at the same time before 20 September 2009. Book 10 or more and receive free tickets for the 29 Nov LSO Chamber Ensemble Concert (up to a maximum of 2 tickets).

Under-16s: Adults may purchase up to three tickets for under-16s (unlimited for Family concerts).

Ticket Exchange: Tickets can be exchanged for another LSO concert or credit vouchers valid for 6 months. Tickets for exchange must be received by the Box Office at least 24 hours before the concert. Administration fee of £2 per ticket exchanged.

Spread the cost: If you are paying by credit/debit card (excluding Amex or Maestro) and purchasing tickets with a value of £250 or more it is possible to spread your payment over five months. See booking form for further details. Postal and fax bookings only.

Groups of 10 or more: Receive a 20% discount plus other benefits. Call the Groups hotline on 020 7382 7211 (10am–5pm Mon–Fri)

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