

Roberto Paternostro Conductor



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Roberto Paternostro was assistant to Herbert von Karajan, General Music Director at the Kassel State Theatre as well as music director of the Israel Chamber Orchestra.

He has made guest performances at the **Bavarian State Opera**, the **Deutsche Staatsoper Berlin**, the **Teatro Colón**, the **Semperoper Dresden**, the **State Opera Hamburg**, the **Opera Stuttgart**, the **Volksooper Vienna**, the **State Opera Budapest**, at **Teatro La Fenice**, **Teatro San Carlo Neapel**, **Teatro Liceu**, **Teatro Bellini**, in Tokyo and Toronto, as well as at international festivals like.

The conductor has worked with orchestras such as the **WDR Symphony Orchestra Cologne**, the **Munich Philharmonic Orchestra**, the **Hamburg Symphony Orchestra**, the **Tokyo Philharmonic Orchestra**, the **Vienna Symphony**, the **HR-Symphony Orchestra Frankfurt**, the **SWR Symphony Orchestra Stuttgart**, the **NDR Philharmonic Hannover**, the **MDR-Symphony Orchestra Leipzig**, the **Jerusalem Symphony Orchestra** or the **Bruckner Orchestra Linz**.

Roberto Paternostro received the prestigious German **'ECHO Klassik' Award** 2012 for his live CD recording *Historical Moment in Bayreuth* with the Israel Chamber Orchestra.

Press:

"The Colón's Elektra, best mark of the season. I was very impressed by the huge orchestra led by Roberto Paternostro, absolutely basic for a fine Elektra. The professional firmness of everyone, the Expressionist response to the innumerable accents, the rapport with the stage, the impeccable tempi, were necessary for the undoubted success of this Elektra."

"Die Aufführung im Theater an der Wien war konzertant und das Ensemble stark...Doch was der bedeutende Dirigent Roberto Paternostro auf leerer Bühne zu erzeugen verstand, ließ nichts an Dramatik und Plastizität vermissen."

"Conducted by Roberto Paternostro, the all-star cast gave a memorable staging of the opera. So it was rewarding to see the Palm Beach Opera Orchestra shining under Paternostro. It was the orchestra's best performance in years. The distinguished maestro was able to get the best from the musicians."

"...die herausragende Leistung des Wiener Dirigenten Roberto Paternostro - brillant in seiner Auslegung und außerdem einem noch nie gesehenen Anspruch unterworfen, so viele Stunden am Pult zu sein."

Highlights in past/upcoming seasons:

"Cavalleria/Pagliacci"

(Teatro Colón)

"Le nozze di Figaro"

(Teatro Municipal, Rio de Janeiro)

"Tosca"

(Opera Stuttgart)

"Die Zauberflöte"

(New National Theatre, Tokyo)

Israel Chamber Orchestra

(Eilat Music Festival)

Bruckner Orchestra

(Brucknerhaus Linz)

Bruckner Symph Nr. 3

(Wurttemberg Philharmonic)

CD Recording (Label Capriccio)

(Staatsphilharmonie Rheinland-Pfalz)

"Historical Moment in Bayreuth"
Winner of ECHO Klassik Prize



The Colón Ring (5 DVDs)
"Der Ring des Nibelungen"

