



DATE/VENUE

Saturday 24 March 2012 – Sunday 15 April 2012
Fleet Steps, Mrs Macquarie's Point, Sydney

ABOUT THE SHOW

EXPERIENCE ONE OF THE WORLD'S BEST-LOVED OPERAS ON ONE OF THE MOST BREATHTAKING STAGES IN THE WORLD: SYDNEY HARBOUR

Opera Australia presents Handa Opera on Sydney Harbour – La Traviata for an exclusive three-week season from March 2012.

One of the greatest operas ever written, Verdi's La Traviata, is presented here for the first time under the stars in a large-scale production with spectacular sets, beautiful costumes, dazzling lighting and effects, fireworks and a huge 9-metre chandelier suspended above a purpose-built, shimmering, floating stage. The Sydney Opera House, Sydney Harbour Bridge and the city skyline will provide the magnificent backdrop.

As the sun sets over the harbour, leave the city noise behind and stroll through the Royal Botanic Gardens to this beautiful and unique venue. With a glass of champagne in hand, get ready for an amazing night out with your friends. This magnificent production of La Traviata is extravagant, devastatingly romantic and perfect for first-time opera-goers.

Directed by one of the world's most exciting directors, Francesca Zambello, and designed by award-winning Australian designers Brian Thomson (Rocky Horror Show, The King and I, Priscilla Queen of the Desert) and Tess Schofield, this will be an unforgettable evening of beautiful music and breathtaking spectacle.

Stage director: Francesca Zambello conductor: Brian Castles-Onion cast includes: Emma Matthews, Rachelle Durkin, Gianluca Terranova, Jonathan Summers and Warwick Fyfe

Performed in Italian with English subtitles.

POST-SHOW COCKTAIL FUNCTION

Don't let the evening end just because the opera has! Treat your guests to an exclusive post-show cocktail function. Your package includes:

- Premium Ticket
- Post-show cocktail function including canapes and a premium beverage selection
- Interval beverages and canapes in the Platinum Lounge
- Official Souvenir Program

\$693 NZD pp

Buy outs available

PRE-SHOW DINING EXPERIENCE

Enjoy a delicious pre-performance meal with the Official Pre-Show Dining experience. Your package includes:

- Premium Ticket
- Pre-show dinner including canapes on arrival, main course, dessert and a premium beverage selection
- Interval beverages and canapes in the Platinum Lounge
- Official Souvenir Program

\$770 NZD pp

Buy outs available

DELUXE PACKAGE

Make a night of it with the Official Deluxe package featuring the best of pre-show dining and post-show cocktail experiences. Your package includes:

- Pre-show dinner including canapes on arrival, main course, dessert and a premium beverage selection
- Post-show cocktail function including canapes and a premium beverage selection
- Interval beverages and canapes in the Platinum Lounge
- Official Souvenir Program

\$889 NZD pp

**Minimum numbers apply
Buy outs available*

STAY & SEE® EXPERIENCE

Packages available from **\$413 NZD pp**, twin share

SINGLE TICKETS

Fantastic Premium and 'A' Reserve Tickets from **\$273 NZD pp**

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