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#### CAST CHANGE MESSA DA REQUIEM // LUCIANO GANCI

In order to fulfil the high demand, the Salzburg Easter Festival has scheduled a third performance of »La Gioconda« instead of the originally intended two.

As Jonas Kaufmann would like to concentrate fully on these three performances and his scenic role debut as Enzo Grimaldi, he has expressed the wish to resign his participation in our Choral Concert - Verdi's *Messa da Requiem*.

Now, after a long search, we have found a worthy successor and are pleased to announce that Luciano Ganci will take over the tenor part.

## LUCIANO GANCI

Luciano Ganci gained his first musical experience in the choir of the »Cappella Musicale Pontificia Sistina«. From 2006, he studied lyrical singing in Rome. In 2009, Luciano Ganci made his debut in Mozart's »Le nozze di Figaro« and Puccini's »Gianni Schicchi«, followed by his international debut with »La traviata« in Salzburg in 2012.

Further engagements brought him to the Concertgebouw in Amsterdam as Loris Ipanov in Giordano's »Fedora«, to the Teatro Comunale di Bologna in the title role of Andrea Chénier, to the Opéra Royal de Wallonie-Liège as Zamoro in »Alzira« and to the Vienna State Opera and the Teatro dell'Opera di Roma as Cavaradossi.

Highlights of the last season included »Pagliacci« and »Madama Butterfly« at the Teatro dell'Opera di Roma, the world premiere of »Dalinda« at the Konzerthaus Berlin, the Verdi Requiem on the occasion of the 150th anniversary of Manzoni's death in Milan Cathedral, »Aida« at the Arena di Verona, »Simon Boccanegra« at the New National Theatre in Tokyo and »Un ballo in maschera« at the Teatro Filarmonico in Verona. Luciano Ganci will make his debut at the Salzburg Easter Festival in the Verdi Requiem.

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