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China Everbright Ltd. Proudly Presents Romeo + Juliet

About Romeo + Juliet

Epic and tragic. A love story set in Hong Kong in 1960s.

Warring triad families. Passion and tragedy. The famous balcony scene. Shakespeare's timeless tale of star-crossed lovers has captivated audiences for generations and is given a fresh and thought-provoking retelling in Septime Webre's new *Romeo* + *Juliet*. Set in 1960s Hong Kong with designs incorporating mid-twentieth century Hong Kong street life details, this epic love story captivates with vivid dancing, complex drama, sumptuous cheongsams and iconic scenes from the tragic tale. With Webre's original choreography accompanied by Prokofiev's dramatic score, this brilliantly imagined adaptation is especially relevant for contemporary audiences as it fuses dance and drama against a backdrop of world in flux.

Download synopsis

Creative Team

Choreography Septime Webre Music Sergei Prokofiev Costume Design Mandy Tam Set Design Ricky Chan Lighting Design Billy Chan Dramaturge Yan Pat To Make-up Design M·A·C Cosmetics Martial Arts Advisor Hing Chao Martial Arts Partner International Guoshu Association Live Accompaniment Hong Kong Sinfonietta Conductor Yip Wing-sie Principal Guest Artist Daniel Camargo

Principal Guest Artist



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Daniel Camargo International Ballet Star Former Principal Dancer, Dutch National Ballet and Stuttgart Ballet

Performances: 18-19.6.2021 (Fri-Sat) 7:30pm

Born in Sorocaba, Brazil, Daniel Camargo trained at John Cranko Ballet School, joined Stuttgart Ballet upon graduation and became a Principal Dancer in 2013. He guest performed at Dutch National Ballet and joined the company in 2016.

An acclaimed guest artist, Camargo has danced with numerous companies worldwide such as The Royal Ballet, the Mariinsky Ballet, The Australian Ballet and The Tokyo Ballet. His accolades include European Foundation for Culture's 2009 European Most Promising Award, the 2011 Audience Choice award at the Erik Bruhn Prize competition in Toronto, Canada, the 2017 Positano Premia la Danza and a 2018 Prix Benois de la Danse nomination.

Performance Details

Opening Night 18.6.2021 (Fri) 7:30pm 19-20.6.2021 (Sat-Sun) 2:30pm & 7:30pm Grand Theatre, Hong Kong Cultural Centre 5 performances with live accompaniment \$1,000 (VIP tickets) [#], \$680, \$480, \$280, \$140 | \$340, \$240, \$140, \$70 * * Available for full-time students, senior citizens aged 60 or above and people with disabilities and their caretakers

Tickets available at URBTIX Internet Booking: <u>www.urbtix.hk</u> Credit Card Booking: 2111 5999 Ticketing Enquiries: 3761 6661 Programme Enquiries: 2105 9724 Suitable for ages 6 and above.

The presenter reserves the right to alter the programme and artists.

The performance lasts approximately two hours, including one intermission.

Discounts

50% off	Full-time students, senior citizens aged 60 or above, people with disabilities and the minder (Limited tickets for students and senior citizens available on a first-come, first-served basis. This discount cannot be used in conjunction with other discounts.)
15% off	Friends of Hong Kong Ballet members
10% off	CCDC Dance Inspirations/Student Dance Inspirations Card holders, Chung Ying Theatre Company's Energy Fun Club plus members, Friends of HKCO members, Friends of HKDC Prestige members, HK Phil's Club Bravo/Young Audience Scheme members, HKRep Pals members, Zuni Friends members, Fringe Club Members, Hong Kong Arts Administrators Association members, The Hong Kong Association of Theatre Technicians & Scenographers members, HKBU Foundation members, Hong Kong Dance Alliance members and MOViE MOViE members
Group	10% off for every purchase of 10-19 tickets at standard price;
Booking	15% off for 20-40 tickets at standard price

Patrons can enjoy only one of the above discounts for each purchase. Discounts are not applicable to \$1,000 VIP tickets.

For \$1,000 VIP Ticket-holders*

Present your ticket stub to Hong Kong Ballet's reception counter (Level 2 Foyer, Hong Kong Cultural Centre) before the end of intermission to receive a coupon for a free drink. Each ticket stub is valid for one free drink only.

*If cash bars at the performance venue are closed due to COVID-19 or any other unexpected circumstances, complimentary drinks for VIP ticket holders will be unavailable.

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Ticket holders can enjoy special sets and/or menus at Bayfare Social, Holt's Café, Tea Conservatory and The Butterfly Room at Rosewood Hong Kong upon presentation of their Hong Kong Ballet tickets.

Details: www.rosewoodhotels.com/en/hong-kong/dining

Enquiries: 3891 8732 | hongkong.restaurants@rosewoodhotels.com

Reservations must be made in advance

Terms and conditions apply

15% Off Food and Beverage at K11 ARTUS

Ticket holders can enjoy one complimentary drink per person and 15% off a la carte menu at The Commune, 10/F at K11 ARTUS during the month of June at dinner period after 6:30pm upon presentation of their tickets.

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Romeo + *Juliet* Pre-performance Talk

19.6.2021 (Sat) 7:00pm – 7:20pm (Conducted in English) 20.6.2021 (Sun) 2:00pm – 2:20pm (Conducted in Cantonese) Level 2 Foyer, Hong Kong Cultural Centre

Join Hong Kong Ballet for a lively exploration of *Romeo* + *Juliet* before the curtain rises. How was 1960s Hong Kong recreated in this modern adaptation of Shakespeare's classic story of forbidden love? Guests will learn about the ballet's creative process and interpretations firsthand from the innovative team who brought this exhilarating tale of young love and loss to life. Come experience this iconic dance and audience favourite like you've never seen it before!

Free admission with China Everbright Ltd. Proudly Presents *Romeo* + *Juliet* tickets Approximately 20 minutes Details: <u>hkballet.com/pre-talk</u>

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