

## **Strolling with Strauss am 23.2.19 um 19:00 Uhr in der GALERIE KREMERS**

Das Duo bestehend aus der Sopranistin Marieke Wikesjo und Candy Siu liebt es, an besonderen Orten aufzutreten. Für ihr Strauss-Programm haben sie den Gotischen Saal gewählt.

### **CANDY SIU**

Candy relocated to Berlin, Germany from Vancouver, Canada, where she worked as a répétiteur at the Vancouver Opera. In addition to working as a Korrepetitorin for the Berlin Opera Academy and The Berlin Opera Group, she also performed on the piano and celesta with the Silk Road Symphony Orchestra.

Candy received her Master of Music degree in Piano Accompaniment from the Guildhall School of Music & Drama in London, and trained as a répétiteur at the Flanders Operastudio in Gent, Belgium. Her work as a Korrepetitorin has taken her to Italy, France, Austria, England, Ireland, and Portugal.

### **MARIEKE WIKESJO**

Swedish-Dutch soprano Marieke Wikesjo graduated from the Vienna Conservatory (MUK) and went on to study with renowned belcanto teachers Laura Sarti, Wally Salio and Stefano Anselmi. She has been praised for her portraits of Medea, Cio-cio San (Madama Butterfly), Nedda (Pagliacci) and Violetta (Traviata).

In addition to opera Marieke has a continuous activity as a concert and oratorio singer, with performances in Germany, Scandinavia, Austria and Italy