

This programme has been produced by Music at LiU to provide information about the concerts during the year in a convenient format. For more information and questions, contact **Christina Hörnell**, 013-284018 or christina.hornell@liu.se.

We look forward to seeing you at our musical events in 2020.

## March

#### **Bundled feminism**

The Linköping University Women's Choir - Linnea holds its traditional benefit concert Bundled feminism to mark International Women's Day with guest artists and invited speakers.

All income from the concert is donated to women's shelters and young women's shelters in Linköping.

Linköping University Women's Choir - Linnea Merete Ellegaard, conductor

Sunday 8 March, 4.00 pm, Baptist Church, Linköping

#### Mahler & the sound of brass

The Linköping University Symphony Orchestra performs Gustav Mahler's wonderful 5th symphony in a joint production with the Linköping Symphony Orchestra. The first half of the programme offers a trumpet delight as world-famous Jeroen Berwaerts performs no less than two trumpet concertos and a piece for 15 trumpets and trombones, together with the massed symphony orchestra.

Jeroen Berwaerts, trumpet Linköping University Symphony Orchestra Linköping Symphony Orchestra Merete Ellegaard, conductor

Sunday 22 March, 6.00 pm, Crusellhallen, Linköpings Konsert & Kongress

# Jazz and ballads – the Linköping University Chamber Choir meets pianist and composer Elise Einarsdotter

A unique collaboration between the Linköping University Chamber Choir and pianist and composer Elise Einarsdotter offers a jazz-inspired concert based on Elise' own music and her selection of texts to enrich, impact and touch. Elise Einarsdotter, winner of the Jazzkatten 2019 award, will perform together with Olle Steinholtz on the double bass and jazz singer and harpist Margareta Bengtsson.

Margareta Bengtsson, vocal artist Olle Steinholtz, double bass Elise Einarsdotter, piano Linköping University Chamber Choir Christina Hörnell, conductor

- Saturday 28 March, 4.00 pm, Mission Church, Linköping
- Sunday 29 March, 5.00 pm, Hedvig Church, Norrköping

# **April**

#### Final concert for the Linköping University Male Voice Choir Composition Award 2020

This concert is the final of the 2nd Linköping University Male Voice Choir Composition Award 2020, in which female composers who write music for male voice choirs compete. This is the exciting final concert for which several choral pieces have qualified, after jury assessment, in fierce competition with contributions from all over the world. The winner will be decided at this concert. Don't miss this unique occasion! Linköping University Male Voice Choir Christina Hörnell, conductor

Saturday 18 April, 3.00 pm, Frälsningsarmén, Ågatan 23, Linköping

## **Nordic Student Singers' Summit**

The Linköping University Male Voice Choir and the Linköping University Women's Choir - Linnea participate together with student choirs from the Nordic countries in the 11th Nordic Student Singers' Summit (NSSS), held this year in Trondheim, Norway.

23-26 April, Trondheim, Norway

## Hat donning ceremony on Walpurgis Night

The Linköping University Male Voice Choir greets the spring at Borggården, Linköping Castle. The choir will perform traditional spring-themed songs such as "Vintern rasat", "Sköna maj" and "Glad så som fågeln". The event includes the hat donning ceremony and speeches to welcome spring.

Linköping University Male Voice Choir Christina Hörnell, conductor

Thursday 30 April, 3.00 pm, Borggården, Linköping Castle, Linköping

# May

#### University Gala Concert - We belong to the world

The University Gala Concert for 2020 is the start of celebrations for the Linköping University Commencement Ceremony, and is dedicated to humanity and the planet we share. We present a concert experience inspired by folk traditions from all over the world, and the need of people to express joy, grief, aspirations and hope.

Linköping University Women's Choir – Linnea
Linköping University Symphony Orchestra
Merete Ellegaard, conductor

Friday 15 May, 7.00 pm, Crusellhallen, Linköping Konsert & Kongress

# **October**

#### **Autumn concert**

An autumn concert with the Linköping University Male Voice Choir and the Linköping University Women's Choir - Linnea

In an electric meeting between siblings, the Linköping University Women's Choir - Linnea and the Linköping University Male Voice Choir join to form a large and melodious mixed choir. They promise a genre-busting and exciting programme with warmth, thought-provoking texts and wonderful music!

Linköping University Women's Choir – Linnea and the Linköping University Male Voice Choir

Conductors: Merete Ellegaard & Christina Hörnell

Saturday 17 October, 4.00 pm, Mission Church, Linköping

#### **November**

#### **Orient - Espressivo!**

An autumn concert with exciting tones and rhythms! The Linköping University Symphony Orchestra meets the Egyptian violinist Mohamed Sharara in a musical collaboration with a taste of the Orient.

Mohamed Sharara, violin Linköping University Symphony Orchestra Merete Ellegaard, conductor

Sunday 22 November, 5.00 pm, Mission Church, Linköping

## **December**

#### Christmas Concerts with the Linköping University Male Voice Choir

Four Christmas concerts with the Linköping University Male Voice Choir, a deeply loved tradition in Linköping with a long history. The choir conveys authentic Christmas spirit with classical Christmas music, new pieces for a male voice choir, some good-hearted crazy fun and much more. Come in and enjoy the Christmas spirit.

Linköping University Male Voice Choir
Christina Hörnell, conductor

- Wednesday 2 December 7.00 pm, St. Lars Church, Linköping
- Thursday 3 December, 7.00 pm, St. Lars Church, Linköping
- Saturday 5 December, 3.00 pm, St. Lars Church, Linköping
- Saturday 5 December 5.30 pm, St. Lars Church, Linköping

#### Great event with choir

The Linköping University Chamber Choir unites with the Norrköping Symphony Orchestra once again for two concerts. The programme will be announced later.

Vocal soloists

Linköping University Chamber Choir

Norrköping Symphony Orchestra

Stefan Solyom, conductor

- Thursday 10 December, 7.00 pm, Crusellhallen, Linköping
- Friday 11 December, 7.00 pm, DeGeerhallen, Norrköping

## Lucia

As tradition demands, the Linköping University Women's Choir - Linnea presents a Lucia procession to bring warmth, light and anticipation, with beautiful songs in the winter darkness.

Linköping University Women's Choir - Linnea Merete Ellegaard, conductor

- Sunday 13 December, 7.00 pm, Mission Church, Linköping
- Sunday 13 December, 8.15 pm, Mission Church, Linköping

**CHRISTINA HÖRNELL** was appointed director musices at Linköping University in 2014. A position with responsibility for the musical activities at the university carried out under Music at LiU. The position was placed under University Services (UF) in 2020, in the Communications and Marketing Division (KOM). The director musices is also responsible for music at the university's ceremonies and celebrations. As part of her service, Christina is artistic leader for the Linköping University Male Voice Choir and the Linköping University Chamber Choir.

**MERETE ELLEGAARD** was appointed assistant director musices at Linköping University in 2009. She is artistic leader for the Linköping University Symphony Orchestra and the Linköping University Women's Choir – Linnea. Merete is also responsible for the courses for orchestral musicians and song artists given under the auspices of Music at LiU.

**THE LINKÖPING UNIVERSITY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA** started in 1993 as a course for orchestral musicians at Linköping University. Under the leadership of Merete Ellegaard, the orchestra has progressed from being a small chamber orchestra specialising in Viennese music to a full symphony orchestra with high ambitions. **www.laorkester.se** 

**THE LINKÖPING UNIVERSITY MALE VOICE CHOIR**, was formed in 1972 (when it went under the name "Lihkören"). The choir, which is an active part of the Nordic student choir tradition, upholds the traditions considered to be worthy of maintaining, while at the same time challenging these with courage and curiosity. The choir interacts with audiences and creates musical experiences with a certain amount of crazy fun. It has a large and broad repertoire, from classical male voice choir music to newly written pieces, and light-hearted student fun. **www.lkss.se** 

THE LINKÖPING UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S CHOIR - LINNEA is a female choir at Linköping University. It was formed in 1997 on the initiative of the male choir Linköpings Studentsångare (called LiHkören at that time) and its conductor Hans Lundgren. Linnea was intended to give female choral singers the same opportunities to sing together at the university as men, and to open the possibility for a large mixed choir with both choirs on occasions. www.damkorenlinnea.se

THE LINKÖPING UNIVERSITY CHAMBER CHOIR was formed in 1989 and has had an ambition right from the start to achieve the highest possible artistic level. The choir consists of 40 highly experienced song artists, approximately half of whom have taken advanced studies in music and are professional musicians. The repertoire is broad, and extends from baroque music and romanticism, through opera music and contemporary music, to exciting artistic collaborations within jazz. The choir is in constant collaboration with orchestras in the region, such as the Östgöta Blåsarsymfoniker and the Norrköping Symphony Orchestra. www.liu.se > LiU > Musik > Ensembler

