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**VANCOUVER OPERA ANNOUNCES
MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM FOR YOUNG PROFESSIONALS**
Young Patrons Circle encourages philanthropy and networking

Vancouver, BC ~ Vancouver Opera announces a new membership program for individuals aged 19-45 who want to engage with Vancouver's vibrant arts and culture scene in a meaningful way.

The Young Patrons Circle (YPC) encourages philanthropy and creates exclusive networking opportunities for young professionals, all while allowing them to enjoy the unique thrills and excitement that Vancouver Opera productions provide for people of all ages.

Membership in the YPC includes tickets to VO productions and access to receptions, networking events, reserved seating and premium concierge service. Part of the annual membership fee is a philanthropic contribution that supports VO's productions and education and community programs.

The YPC program launches today. For more information, visit www.vancouveropera.ca.

About Vancouver Opera

Vancouver Opera is the second largest opera company in Canada. It is regarded worldwide for its fine mainstage productions; for its country-leading education programs, which have reached more than 1.6 million children and their families more than 40 years; for its innovative and award-winning community programs; and for forging groundbreaking cross-cultural creative partnerships that have brought opera to new generations of Canadians.

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