



EDUARD FERENCZI-GURBAN

BARITONE

PROFILE

Eduard Ferenczi Gurban is a talented young opera singer from Romania. He has a distinguished musical education, having completed his vocal studies at the "Gheorghe Dima" National Music Academy. Eduard has won numerous awards in singing competitions and has performed at renowned venues across Europe. With a promising international career ahead, he continues to captivate audiences with his powerful voice and compelling stage presence.

SUNG ROLES

El Gallo (2025 - 2026)

- Harvey Schmidt, Les Fantasticks: Théâtre Colmar, Théâtre de la Sinne, Opera du Rhin;

Fifth Judge (2025 - 2026)

- Korngold, Das Wunder der Heliane: Opera du Rhin;

Director, Monsieur Presto, and the Son (2025 - 2026)

- F. Poulenc, Les Mamelles de Tirésias;

Aeneas (2022 - 2023)

- H.Purcell, Dido and Aeneas, Bordeaux National Opera Academy;

Le Dancaïre (2023 - 2025)

- after G. Bizet, Carmen al Andaluz, Opéra Éclaté, tour: Clermont Auvergne Opera, Théâtre de Brunoy, Opera des Landes, and more;

Belcore (2023)

- G.Donizetti, L'elisir d'amore, Gheorghe Dima National Academy of Music;

Nardo (2020 - 2021)

- W.A.Mozart, La Finta Giardiniera, Gheorghe Dima National Academy of Music, Cluj;

Horloge Comtoise and Le Chat (2023)

- M. Ravel, L'enfant et les sortilèges: Monte-Carlo Opera;

Nouvel Adeptes 5

- Petitgirard, Guru: Opera de Nice;

Ajax 2 (2024 - 2025)

- J.Offenbach, La belle Hélène: Opera de Massy, Opera Clermont-Ferrand and more;

Sindbad

- Howard Moody, Sindbad: Opera de Nice;

Figaro

- G. Rossini, Il Barbiere di Siviglia: Hungarian State Opera of Cluj;

Le Dancaïre

- G. Bizet, Carmen al Andaluz: Théâtre de l'Odéon, Thionville Théâtre;

Ajax 2

- Grand Théâtre, Calais, Théâtres en Dracénie.

CONCERT AND RECITAL

2025

- Concert Carte Blanche - Opera Studio du Rhin at Opera Lorraine, Opera du Rhin, Théâtre de la Sinne and Théâtre Colmar;
- Dîners sur scène at Opera du Rhin;
- F. Schubert - Mass no.2, G Major - Soloist with Ensemble Polyphonique de Nice;
- Les Plus Belles Pages de l'opéra - Concert at Opera de Nice;
- Petit Carmen - Fondation de Nice, Concert for Finnish Society;
- Couronne des Rois, Aron - Concert at Opera de Nice;

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EDUCATION

2025

- Opera Studio (Opera National du Rhin);

2024

- Auditioning and Repertoire Workshop for young opera singers (Budapest, Hungary);

2023 - 2024

- Monte-Carlo Opera Academy;

2023

- Gheorghe Dima National Academy of Music, Doctoral Studies, Singing;

2022 - 2023

- Intern, Opera Singing at Opéra de Nice Côte d'Azur;
- Bordeaux National Opera Academy and Masterclasses;

2021 - 2023

- Nice Conservatory - Studies;
- Gheorghe Dima N.A.M., Master's degree; Certificate of Higher Studies of the Psycho-Pedagogical Module, level 1 and 2; piano studies;

2017 - 2021

- Gheorghe Dima N.A.M., Bachelor Diploma;

PRIZES

Singing

- First Prize - Nuits Lyrique de l'Hippodrome, Grand Prix de la Voix, 2024;
- Third Prize - "Béziers International Singing Competition", 36th edition, 2023;
- Young Hope Prize, "Grand Prix de la Voix", 2nd edition 2022;
- First Prize - "Danubia Talents International Competition", Singing Section, 6th edition, 2022;
- First Prize - "Basel International Vocal Competition", 2022;
- Second Prize - "Luigi Cerritelli" International Competition, Singing Section, 2022, 14th edition, 2022;
- Third Prize - "London International Competition", Singing Section, 2022;
- Finalist and guest at the "SoNoRo Festival", Italy, 16th edition, 2022;
- First Prize, Public Prize and "Alin Stoica" Prize at "Christmas Exclusive Fest" 1st Edition;
- Special Mention at "Varadium Art" National Singing Competition, 2018.

Piano

- Third Prize - "Irina Şaţchi" International Piano Competition, Râmnicu-Vâlcea, 2014;
- Third Prize - International Piano Competition "Craiova - Piano", 2011;
- First Prize - National Piano Competition "Young Aspiring Talents", Oradea, 2013;
- Third Prize - National Piano Competition "Lira de Aur", Suceava, 2014;
- First Prize - National Piano Competition "Young Aspiring Talents", Oradea, 2013;
- Diploma of Excellence - Festival "Prietenii Muzicii", PRO-PIANO Romania 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016;
- Diploma of Excellence - J.S. Bach Festival, Cluj - 2010, 2013, 2015.

2024

- OperaBouffe - Original production at Antipolis Théâtre d'Antibes;
- Festival Opus Opera - opera arias;
- Final Gala Recital at the Philharmonic of Arad, Arad International Masterclasses;
- Issigeac International Music Academy, Gala Concert;
- Opus Opera Concert, Festi'Vence, Syrinx Concert;
- Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild, Concert des Fleurs, Academie des Beaux-Arts;
- Auditorium de Bordeaux, Voeux du Maire - Gala concert - soloist.

2023

- Concert Les Prières dans l'opéra at Antipolis Théâtre d'Antibes;
- Concert Summertime at Château de Ferrand with Opera National de Bordeaux;
- Concert Tribute to Napoleon III at Opera de Nice;
- Les Fantômes de l'opéra production at the Théâtre de l'Étang and the Théâtre de Luchon. Show created and directed by Jean Marc Biskup;
- Concert on the theme of nature at the Foyer of the Opera de Nice;
- Concert - Ecstatic death of opera heroines at Opera de Nice, Cagnes-sur-Mer, Chapelle de Beaulieu-sur-Mer.

2022

- Concert Estivales- La fleu de l'age, Villa Masséna Musée, Nice;
- Extraordinary Concert in Memoriam Joseph Schmidt, Municipal Theater of Suceava;
- Symphonic Concert: State Philharmonic of Târgu-Mureş - W.A. Mozart,
- Coronation Mass, soloist, under the baton of Horváth József.
- Concert of arias and art songs, Les grands airs de l'opéra fr. et it. - Nice Opera;
- Recital Cantus Anime, Cluj-Napoca Ethnographic Museum;
- Nice Opera Afterwork Concert - Cave Bianchi;
- Chamber Music Group Concert, Hommage a Renata Tebaldi, grande rivale de la Callas - Foyer of the Opera de Nice;
- Les Fantômes de l'opéra production at the Théâtre de l'Étang and the Théâtre de Luchon. The show was created and directed by Jean Marc Biskup.

2021

- Concert - Young Opera Stars - Concert at the Romanian National Opera in Cluj, accompanied by the Romanian National Orchestra: Belcore (G.Donizetti).

STUDIED ROLES

Almaviva Count

- W. A. Mozart, Le Nozze di Figaro;

Guglielmo

- W. A. Mozart, Così fan tutte;

Malatesta

- G. Donizetti, Don Pasquale;

Figaro

- G. Rossini, Il Barbiere di Siviglia.

Reviews

- Olivier Delauney, 07.02.2023;
- Gilles Charlassier. 08.02.2023;
- Emmanuel Deroeux, 28.05.2023.

References

- Olivier Desbordes;
- Vincent Monteil;
- Jean-Marc Biskup;
- Alain Garichot

Recommendations

- Fabrice di Falco;
- Florin Estefan;
- Erkki Lauri Alste

Languages

- Italian;
- French;
- Hungarian;
- Romanian.