

**Tan Dun**  
**Conducting Programs 2020-2022**

# DIALOGUES

**To Celebrate Beethoven's 250th Birthday  
(Beethoven and Tan Dun)**

## **1 NINE TO NINE**

- 1) Tan Dun: Choral Concerto: Nine (Everlasting)  
*Commissioned by London's Royal Philharmonic Society and BTHVN2020*  
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- 2) Beethoven: Symphony No. 9 (Choral)

## **2 NATURE**

- 1) Tan Dun: The Tears of Nature (Percussion Concerto)  
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- 2) Beethoven: Symphony No. 6 (Pastorale)

## **3 TRIPLE CONCERTOS**

- 1) Tan Dun: Triple Concerto (Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon)  
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- 2) Beethoven: Triple Concerto

**(Stravinsky and Tan Dun)**

## **4 FIRE**

- 1) Stravinsky: Feu d'Artifice (Fireworks)
- 2) Tan Dun: Violin Concerto: Fire Ritual  
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- 3) Tan Dun: Passacaglia: Secret of Wind and Birds
- 4) Stravinsky: The Firebird Suite (1919)

## **5 NATURE**

- 1) Tan Dun: The Tears of Nature (Percussion Concerto)  
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- 2) Stravinsky: The Rite of Spring

**(Prokofiev and Tan Dun)**

**6 LOVE**

- 1) Prokofiev: The Love for Three Oranges
- 2) Tan Dun: Farewell My Concubine  
*Double Concerto for Piano and Peking Opera Soprano*  
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- 3) Prokofiev: Romeo and Juliet (Suite)

**7 THE WOLF**

- 1) Borodin: Polovtsian Dances
- 2) Tan Dun: Contrabass Concerto: Wolf Totem  
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- 3) Prokofiev: Peter and the Wolf

**(Mahler and Tan Dun)**

**8 SOUND OF EARTH**

- 1) Tan Dun: Earth Concerto for stone and ceramic percussion with orchestra  
*Salute to Gustav Mahler's Song of Earth*  
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- 2) Mahler: Symphony No. 1 (Titan)

**(Mussorgsky and Tan Dun)**

**9 PICTURES OF MUSIC**

- 1) Tan Dun: Nu Shu: The Secret Songs of Women  
*Symphony for harp, 13 micro films, and orchestra*  
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- 2) Mussorgsky/Ravel: Pictures at an Exhibition

**(Debussy and Tan Dun)**

**10 WATER AND FIRE**

- 1) Debussy: Rhapsody for Orchestra and Saxophone
- 2) Tan Dun: Intercourse of Water and Fire (Cello Concerto)  
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- 3) Debussy: Rhapsodies for Clarinet and Piano
- 4) Tan Dun: Death and Fire: Dialogue with Paul Klee

**(Ravel and Tan Dun)**

**11 RHAPSODY AND FANTASIA**

- 1) Ravel: Bolero
- 2) Tan Dun: Violin Concerto "Rhapsody and Fantasia"  
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- 3) Tan Dun: Symphonic Poem on Three Notes
- 4) Ravel: Daphnis et Chloe: Suite 2

**(Respighi and Tan Dun)**

**12 MARCO POLO AND SILK ROAD**

- 1) Respighi: Ancient Airs and Dances, Suite 1
- 2) Tan Dun: Four Secret Roads of Marco Polo (Concerto for 12 Cellos)  
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- 3) Tan Dun: Passacaglia: Secret of Wind and Birds
- 4) Respighi: Pines of Rome

**(Mozart and Tan Dun)**

**13 FROM MAO TO MOZART**

- 1) Takemitsu: A String Around Autumn (Concerto for Viola and Orchestra)
- 2) Tan Dun: Rock the Violin in Rhapsody (for Violin and Orchestra)  
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- 3) Mozart: Sinfonia Concertante for Violin, Viola and Orchestra

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## THE SECRET

- 1) Mozart: "Cosi Fan Tutte" Overture
- 2) Tan Dun: The Secret of Woman "Nu Shu" (for harp, video and orchestra)  
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- 3) Rimsky-Korsakov: Scheherazade, op.35

(Britten/Takemitsu and Tan Dun)

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## WATER SPIRIT

- 1) Smetana: Vltava from Ma Vlast
- 2) Tan Dun: Water Concerto for water percussion and orchestra  
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- 3) Takemitsu: I Hear the Water Dreaming
- 4) Britten: Four Sea Interludes (from Peter Grimes)

(Bartok and Tan Dun)

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## MIRACULOUS MANDARIN CONDUCTS MIRACULOUS MANDARIN

- 1) Bartok: Dance Suite
- 2) Tan Dun: The Map: Concerto for Cello, Video and Orchestra  
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- 3) Tan Dun: Concerto for Pipa and String Orchestra
- 4) Bartok: The Miraculous Mandarin

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## ORCHESTRAL CONCERTO

- 1) Bartok: Concerto for Orchestra
- 2) Tan Dun: Concerto for Orchestra (Marco Polo)

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## SYMPHONY OF COLORS

- 1) John Adams: Short Ride in a Fast Machine
- 2) Sarasate: Carmen Fantasy for violin and orchestra  
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- 3) Tan Dun: Symphony of Colors (from the Opera "The First Emperor")

(Festival Programs)

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**TAN DUN**

Buddha Passion (for soloists, choir and orchestra)

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**RESURRECTION CYCLE (with Film)**

- 1) "Crouching Tiger" (film concerto for cello)
- 2) "Hero" (film concerto for violin)
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- 3) "The Banquet" (film concerto for piano)
- 4) "Resurrection" (film concerto for violin, cello, and piano)

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**ROCK THE SYMPHONY N' ROLL**

*Dialogue between Symphony and Mongolian Rock Band Hanggai (The Heaven)*

- 1) Hanggai      Festival Overture : The Rising Sun·2019
- 2) Hanggai      Horse of Colors
- 3) Hanggai      Drinking Song (without orchestra)
- 4) Tan Dun      Contrabass Concerto: Wolf Totem
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- 5) Hanggai      The Transistor Made in Shanghai
- 6) Hanggai      Grassland My Beautiful Home
- 7) Hanggai      Borulai
- 8) Tan Dun      Passacaglia: Secret of Wind and Birds
- 9) Hanggai      Samsara
- 10) Hanggai      Swan Geese

ENCORE :

- 11) Hanggai      Xiger Xiger
- 12) Hanggai      Festival Overture : The Rising Sun·2019 (reprise)

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**FILMS OF SOUND**

- 1) Tan Dun      Nu Shu: The Secret Songs of Women
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- 2) Tan Dun      The Map: Concerto for Cello, Video and Orchestra