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## THE METROPOLITAN OPERA IN NY HOME FOR CREATIVE ARTISTS FROM ALL AROUND THE WORLD

SUMMER HD FESTIVAL AUG. 10 TO SEPT. 7

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**USPA NEWS** - For ten straight nights, ending on Labor Day, favorite HD presentations will be screened on the façade of the Met. Don't miss this free summertime tradition featuring some of the most popular operas in the repertoire. The event kicks off with a special pre-Festival screening West Side Story...

Each season the Met stages more than 200 opera performances in New York. More than 800,000 people attend the performances in the opera house during the season, and millions more experience the Met through new media distribution initiatives and state-of-the-art technology.

Almost from the beginning, it was clear that the opera house on 39th Street did not have adequate stage facilities. But it was not until the Met joined with other New York institutions in forming Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts that a new home became possible. The new Metropolitan Opera House, which opened at Lincoln Center in September of 1966, was equipped with the finest technical facilities.

On Stage 2015-16

- Anna Bolena
- Anna Netrebko in Recital
- The Barber of Seville
- La Bohème
- Cavalleria Rusticana/Pagliacci
- Don Pasquale
- La Donna del Lago
- Elektra
- L'Elisir d'Amore
- Die Entführung aus dem Serail
- Die Fledermaus
- Lulu
- Madama Butterfly
- Manon Lescaut
- Maria Stuarda
- Le Nozze di Figaro
- Otello
- Les Pêcheurs de Perles
- Rigoletto
- Roberto Devereux
- Simon Boccanegra
- Tannhäuser
- Tosca
- Il Trovatore
- Giacomo Puccini Sep 23 - Jan 30
- Turandot

The Met has been elevating its theatrical standards by significantly increasing the number of new productions, staged by the most imaginative directors working in theater and opera, and has launched a series of initiatives to broaden its reach internationally.

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