



Marcell Bakonyi

Bass-Baritone

Hungarian bass-baritone Marcell Bakonyi's current and most recent guest appearances include BLUEBEARD *Bluebeard's Castle* **Teatro Nacional de São Carlos, Lisbon**, ASHBY *La Fanciulla del West* and COLLINE *La Bohème* **Hungarian State Opera Budapest**, SS-MAN *The Passenger* **Teatro Real de Madrid** and DEPUTATO FIAMINGO *Don Carlo* **Osterfestspiele Salzburg**.

Past guest appearances have included MUSTAFA *L'Italiana in Algeri*, FERRANDO *Il Trovatore*, ESCAMILLO *Carmen* and PIETRO *Simon Boccanegra* **Hungarian State Opera**, SPRECHER *Die Zauberflöte* and DULCAMARA *L'Elisir d'Amore* **Macerata Opera Festival** KASPAR *Der Freischütz* **Stadttheater Gießen**, PUBLIO *La Clemenza di Tito*, ANTINOO *Il ritorno d'Ulisse* **Innsbruck Festival für Alte Musik**, ZWEITER PRIESTER *Die Zauberflöte* **Theatre Vichy**, VARO in Handel's *Ezio* **Schwetzingen Festspiele**, LORD SIDNEY *Il Viaggio a Reims* **Pesaro International Rossini Festival** and ANTINOO *Il ritorno d'Ulisse in Patria* and COLLINE **Oslo DNO** (Alessandro de Marchi). In 2012 he made his debut in the USA as SPRECHER *Die Zauberflöte* **Crested Butte Music Festival in Colorado**. Concert work includes Bach *Christmas Oratorio* **Collegium Iuvenum Stuttgart** (Friedemann Keck), *St. John Passion* **Chiemsee Festival** (Enoch zu Guttenberg), Haydn *Die Schöpfung* (Tamás Vásáry) **Hungarian Radio Symphony Orchestra at Palace of Arts Budapest**, and Mozart *Requiem* (Quentin Hindley) **Théâtre des Champs Elysées**.

Marcell was a member of the ensemble of **Staatstheater Nürnberg** with roles such as LEPORELLO *Don Giovanni*, MUSTAFA *L'Italiana in Algeri* and HUASCAR *Les Indes Galantes*. From 2009 he was member of the ensemble of the **Landestheater Salzburg** where he sang BARTOLO and FIGARO *Le nozze di Figaro*, KASPAR *Der Freischütz*, ANGELOTTI *Tosca*, DULCAMARA *L'elisir d'amore*, LEPORELLO *Don Giovanni*, ALIDORO *La Cenerentola*, and DON ALFONSO *Così fan tutte*. Before that he was a member of the ensemble at **Theater Heidelberg** and of the **Zürich Opera Studio**. For the **Junge Oper** series at **Staatsoper Stuttgart** he sang in the world premiere of Matthias Heep's *Träumer*.

Marcell was born in Győr, Hungary. He studied voice at the Leo-Weiner Conservatory of Music in Budapest, and at the Hochschule für Musik in Stuttgart with Julia Hamari. He won the **International Competition Rolando Nicolosi, Rome** and received a Special Prize at the **Marcello Giordani Competition, Catania**.