

May 2019 Synopsis

Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall

Oregon Symphony Special – **Music of the Rolling Stones** – May 2, 7:30pm

Vegas veteran Brody Dolyniuk delivers as Mick Jagger alongside the Symphony and a full rock band in an evening full of legendary hits.

Oregon Symphony Special – **Amadeus in Concert** – May 4, 7:30pm

Experience this motion picture classic like never before while the Oregon Symphony performs the soundtrack live.

Portland Youth Philharmonic – **Portland Youth Philharmonic #4** – May 5, 4:00pm

Oregon Symphony Classical #15 – **Peer Gynt** – May 11 - 13, check calendar for times

The redemptive journey of Peer Gynt, from his humble peasant village to the troll-infested mountains of Norway is depicted in bold, animated photos and art projected on screens above the orchestra.

Oregon Symphony Classical #16 – **Mahler's First Symphony** – May 18 - 20, 7:30pm

Storm Large performs with the Symphony, bringing the Classical Season to a close.

Metropolitan Youth Symphony #4 – **America's Florence** – May 21, 7:30pm

Named for the pioneering African-American composer Florence Price, this concert features what is believed to be the West Coast premiere of her *Symphony No. 1* in E minor. Premiered in 1933 by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, this was the first symphony by a black woman ever to be performed by a major American orchestra.

Keller Auditorium

Portland Opera – **Big Night Gala** – May 11, 7:30pm

The Opera's annual Gala.

Newmark Theatre

Oregon Children's Theatre – **Diary of a Worm, a Spider, and a Fly** – May 4 – June 2, check calendar for times

This musical captures all of the humor and whimsy of the wildly popular books by Doreen Cronin and Harry Bliss.

OHSU Brain Institute – **Katie Witkiewitz, Ph.D** – May 6, 7:00pm

Intriguing new scientific data on mindfulness and brain stimulation in addiction recovery.

OHSU Brain Institute – **Lynne Shinto, N.D., M.P.H.** – May 13, 7:00pm

Can simple activities like yoga, meditation and cooking meals offset medication side effects and reduce psychotic symptoms in teenagers?

WorldOregon – **Jaha Dukureh** – May 14, 7:00pm

An activist for women's rights and the first UN Women Goodwill Ambassador for Africa, Dukureh was nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize in 2018.

AEG Live – **Hannah Gadsby** - May 15 – 19, check calendar for times

Stand up comedian follows her wildly popular Netflix special with her first US tour.

OHSU Brain Institute – **Anthony P. Bossis, Ph.D** – May 20, 7:00pm

Magic Mushrooms: Easing Depression and Anxiety at End of Life

WorldOregon – **Farah Pandith** – May 29, 7:00pm

How We Win: Youth and the Visionary Fight Against Extremism

Winningstad Theatre

Oregon Children's Theatre – **Jason & the Argonauts** – April 20 – May 19, check calendar for times

Get ready for a quirky and hilarious retelling of this classic tale!

Northwest Academy – May 21-24, check calendar for times

Portland Choirs – **Year-End Concert** – May 28, 6:00pm

Brunish Theatre

Stumptown Stages - **Urinetown** – April 18 – May 19, check calendar for times

Winner of three Tony Awards, Urinetown is a hilarious musical satire of the legal system, capitalism, social irresponsibility, populism and bureaucracy.

Rotunda Lobby

Noontime Showcase – **Two Spirit Jazz** – May 13, 12:00pm