



## Piotr Anderszewski's Polish tour with Sinfonia Varsovia – 40th anniversary of the orchestra

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Polish Baltic Philharmonic, Gdańsk Mieczysław Karłowicz Philharmonic, Szczecin Teatr Wielki – Polish National Opera, Warsaw

Pianist Piotr Anderszewski will play three times with Sinfonia Varsovia on the occasion of the orchestra's 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary. The concerts will take place on March 7, 8 and 11 in Gdańsk, Szczecin and Warsaw. Anderszewski will lead the ensemble from the piano in concertos by Haydn and Beethoven. The program also includes Mozart's *Haffner* Symphony, in which the orchestra will be led from the violin by its first concertmaster, Jakub Haufa.

Piotr Anderszewski is regarded as one of the most charismatic pianist. He is a recipient of the Gilmore Award, BBC Music Magazine Award and Gramophone Award, among others. Anderszewski performs regularly with leading contemporary orchestras such as the Berlin Philharmonic, the London and Chicago Symphony Orchestras, the Royal Concertgebouw Orchestra and the Gewandhaus Orchestra. The pianist established a relationship with Sinfonia Varsovia 25 years ago. At that time, in addition to a number of concerts, the orchestra accompanied the artist in his recording debut as a conductor, when he led from the instrument performances of the piano concertos No. 21 in C Major, K.467, and No. 24 in C Minor, K.491 (Virgin Classics 2002).

The orchestra's joint program of March concerts with Piotr Anderszewski will include Ludwig van Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 1 in C Major, Joseph Haydn's Piano Concerto in D Major Hob. XVIII:11 and *Haffner* Symphony No. 35 K.385. The series of events with the pianist will begin with a concert on March 7, 2024 at 7:00 pm at the Polish Baltic Frédéric Chopin Philharmonic in Gdańsk, then the orchestra will visit Szczecin to perform at the Mieczysław Karłowicz Philharmonic in Szczecin on March 8, 2024 at 7:00 pm, and the tour will conclude







with a concert at the Teatr Wielki - Polish National Opera in Warsaw on March 11, 2024 at 7:00 pm.

Tickets for the concerts are available on the following websites: Polish Baltic Philharmonic, <u>Szczecin Philharmonic</u> and <u>Teatr Wielki – Opera Narodowa</u>.

For more information about Sinfonia Varsovia's 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration, visit: https://www.sinfoniavarsovia.org/en/sinfonia-varsovia-40-years/.

