

## PRESS RELEASE

Every year, Beethovenfest Bonn under the artistic direction of Nike Wagner invites audiences to enjoy its three-week program of outstanding music featuring Beethoven works along with music and art – both classical and contemporary – imbued with the spirit of Beethoven. With its lineup of internationally renowned artists, ensembles and productions, Beethovenfest transforms the city of Bonn into a meeting place for music fans from around the world.

## Beethovenfest Bonn September 6 - 29, 2019

From September 6 through September 29, 2019, some 50 concerts will be held in over 20 venues throughout Bonn and the surrounding region. To the 2019 festival theme of "Moonlight", Bonn, the city of Beethoven's birth, will once again host some of the best international orchestras, ensembles, soloists and most promising young talents. The 2019 festival program includes names such as the Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment under the direction of Adam Fischer, the NDR Elbphilharmonie Orchestra with Carolin Widmann under the direction of Alan Gilbert, the Camerata Salzburg with Fazil Say, the Tchaikovsky Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Vladimir Fedoseyev, as well as renowned soloists such as Pierre-Laurent Aimard, Christian Gerhaher and Louis Lortie.

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