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BY MARC-ANTOINE CHARPENTIER BASED ON A STORY IN OVID'S METAMORPHOSES

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APRIL 14, 2023 • 7:00 PM APRIL 16, 2023 • 2:00 PM

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Brent McMunn, conductor J. Martina Roos, stage director Sam Lopez, projections designer Christopher Hoffman, technical director Edina Hiser, costume designer - Glory Denied KerriAnne Savastano, costume designer - Actéon

> The show on April 16th will be livestreamed. Find out more at recording.la/thornton-live.

### **OPERA & SYMPHONY PERFORMERS**

#### ACTÉON

#### Cast

Actéon • Krishna Raman Diana · Haeun Baek Daphné • Chloe Millard Aréthuze • Joanna Kim Hyale • Xin Liang Junon • Katharine Bartosz

#### Chorus

Maria Campo, Julia Kempf, Mady Tozer, Estefani Lopez, Daniel Voigt, Ajani Harris, Kevin Allen, Adrian Melendrez, Matthew Weir

#### **GLORY DENIED**

#### Cast

Younger Alyce • Haiming Wu Older Alyce · Graycen Gardner Younger Thompson · Corey Estelle Older Thompson · John Watson

#### Actéon Orchestra

#### Violin Diana Dawydchak Evan Llafet Kelcey Howell Cello Theorbo Jason Yoshida **Robert Wang** Adam Knight Gilbert Recorder Luis Lechuga-Espadas Harpsichord Brent McMunn

Violin Viola Cello Flute Clarinet Horn Harp Percussion Piano

Owen Lin Nicolas Valencia Joseph Kim Jeongwon Bae Adam Floyd Joe Oberholzert Carter Williams Luciano Valdes Mark Robson

#### **Glory Denied Orchestra**

#### **USC THORNTON VOCAL ARTS & OPERA PERSONNEL**

#### FACULTY

Lisa Sylvester, *chair* Thomas Michael Allen Ken Cazan Jeremy Frank Lynn Helding Elizabeth Hynes Museop Kim Brent McMunn Karen Parks

#### STAFF

Kyle Shafiee, classical division manager Damien Elwood, opera program manager Michael Leach, teaching assistant Mark Robson, opera coach Evangelya Delizonas-Khukhua, rehearsal pianist Zineb Fikri, opera office production assistant, ASM Jordan Jones, opera office scheduling assistant, ASM Ashley Pei, opera office graphic designer

### **OPERA PRODUCTION PERSONNEL**

Samuel Lopez, projections designer Christopher Hoffman, technical director Edina Hiser, costume designer — Glory Denied KerriAnne Savastano, costume designer — Actéon Cortney Heiser, makeup and hair design Kirk Graves, props master Chloe Willey, stage manager Noé Valenzuela, projections and lighting programmer & board operator Ben Altman, assistant to technical director Georgina Garcia, assistant to costume designers

#### This production of Actéon and Glory Denied is presented in memory of Jacqueline Edmée Roos

May 6, 1929 - April 1, 2023

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