

## **ELMAR GILBERTSSON**

tenor

**Financial Times:** "Elmar Gilbertsson's Mime was excellent" (09/2016; Rheingold at Ruhrtriennale)

Elmar Gilbertsson graduated at the Reykjavík Music School and holds a Master degree from the Royal Conservatory of The Hague/Amsterdam as a member of the Dutch National Opera Academy. Elmar Gilbertsson has been a member of the Stuttgart State Opera ensemble since the 2018-19 season, with performances including as Prince in the new production *Die Liebe zu den 3 Orangen* (Achim Ranisch/Alejo Perez), Pylade in Krzysztof Warlikowski's production of *Iphigénie en Tauride*, as Narraboth in *Salome*, Grigory/Jewish Partisan in *Boris Godunov*, amongst others.

His repertoire also includes roles such as Nerone in Monteverdi's *L'incoronazione di Poppea*, Ferrando in *Così fan tutte*, Don Ottavio in *Don Giovanni*, both Tamino and Monostatos in *Die Zauberflöte*, Beppo in *Pagliacci*, Mime in *Das Rheingold*, Lensky in *Eugen Onegin*, Kudrjáš in Janáček's *Katja Kabanowa*, Alfred in *Die Fledermaus*, Chevalier de la Force in *Poulencs Dialogues des Carmélites*.

Elmar Gilbertsson appears at the Ruhrtriennale, the Festival d'Aix-en-Provence, the International Janáček Festival in Brno, the National Opera Amsterdam, the Concertgebouw Amsterdam, La Monnaie Brussels, Opera Vlaanderen Antwerp-Gent, Opera Zuid Maastricht, Opéra Royal de Wallonie Liège, Angers-Nantes Opéra, Opéra de Toulon, Harpa Reykjavik, Icelandic Opera Reykjavík and the Barbican Center London.

In 2015 he was conducted by Teodor Currentzis as Mime in a new production of *Das Rheingold* at the RuhrTriennale, and in 2017 with the NDR Elbphilharmonie under Marek Janowski in Hamburg, the Konzerthaus Dortmund and at the Festspielhaus Baden-Baden. At the beginning of the 2018-19 season he appeared as Monostatos in Romeo Castellucci's new production of *Die Zauberflöte* at the Théâtre Royal de la Monnaie in Brussels.

Plans in Stuttgart include: *Steuermann* in a concert of *Der Fliegende Holländer*, Mime in a new production of *Das Rheingold* (Stephan Kimmich/Cornelis Meister), *Captain Vere* in a new production by Billy Budd.

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