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VERDI

LA TRAVIATA

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Tuesday, December 4, 2018

The cocktail reception will begin at 6 PM on the
balcony level, followed by dinner at 6:30 PM on
the Mercedes T. Bass Grand Tier. The performance
will begin at 8 PM. Champagne and dessert will
be served at intermission.

BLACK TIE

*Debut

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I hope you will join me and the Gala Co-Chairmen for this beautiful and lush new production premiere of Verdi's *La Traviata*. Your presence and your generous support of this grand evening would mean so much to me and to all at the Met Opera. The gala will be one of the great highlights of the season. I hope you will not miss it and we can count on seeing you December 4th.

With my very best,



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