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# *AKHINATEN*

GALA PREMIERE

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2019

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QUEEN TYE Disella Lárusdóttir

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AKHNATEN Anthony Roth Costanzo

HIGH PRIEST OF AMON Aaron Blake

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AMENHOTEP III Zachary James\*

PRODUCTION Phelim McDermott

SET AND PROJECTION DESIGNER Tom Pye

COSTUME DESIGNER Kevin Pollard

LIGHTING DESIGNER Bruno Poet\*

CHOREOGRAPHER Sean Gandini\*

## Friday, November 8, 2019

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 the first intermission.

BLACK TIE

\*Debut

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