

# Ayrshire Opera Experience



## Actéon Meets Tam O' Shanter 2015

### The Albany

Greenock

7.30pm

25th of April

Tickets £12.50 & £10.50(con)

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/thealbany](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/thealbany)

Box office tel: 01475 866100

### The Gaiety Theatre

Ayr

7.30pm

23rd of May

Tickets £13.50 / £12.50 (conc) / £10 (full time students)

[www.ayrgaiety.co.uk](http://www.ayrgaiety.co.uk)

Box office tel: 01292 288235

### Lamlash Community Theatre

Isle of Arran

2.30pm

30th of May

Tickets £12.50 & £10.50

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/ayrshireoperaexperience](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/ayrshireoperaexperience)

Contact: 07736931731

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Ayrshire Opera Experience, in association with the Robert Burns Birthplace Museum, present both the first opera translated into Scots Language and a concert of songs and arias featuring works from Burns to Bernstein.

**Actéon Meets Tam O' Shanter** is a reworking of the chamber opera Actéon by one of the most important French composers of his generation, Marc-Antoine Charpentier. This ground-breaking piece merges Scots Language with French Baroque Opera and Greek mythology, retelling the story of a young hunter, who like Tam O' Shanter stumbles across an illicit vision. Unfortunately Actéon was not as lucky to escape the dark forces, who under many guises punish voyeuristic men.

**Burns to Bernstein** is a mixture of Opera, Musical Theatre and Burns. The programme will include works by Monteverdi, Handel, Bizet, Bernstein, Noel Coward and Irving Berlin, showcasing the Some of Scotland's rising opera stars, including local singers Aimee Toshney (English National Opera), David Douglas (Les Arts Florissants), Siobhan McAuley (West End Vocal Coach), Alison McNeill (Winner of the Andres Segovia Spanish Song Prize) and Colleen Nicole(Trinity Conservatoire of Music).





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**David Douglas**

Haute-Contre

**Actéon**



**Siobhan McAuley**

Soprano

**Diana**



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**Alison McNeill**

Soprano

**Junon**



ROBERT  
BURNS  
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MUSEUM

**Alexandra Shrinivas**

Soprano

**Hyale**

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**Colleen Nicoll**

Soprano

*Daphne*

**Aimee Toshney**

Soprano

**Arethuze**

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