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Madama Butterfly

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(In Italian)

Opera in two acts by Giacomo Puccini
 Libretto by Luigi Illica and Giuseppe Giacosa
 Based on works of John Luther Long and David Belasco
 Lyric Opera of Chicago production

Conductor

Nicola Luisotti
 Julian Kovatchev†

Production

Harold Prince

Director

Jose Maria Condemí

Set designer

Clarke Dunham

Costume Designer

Florence Klotz

Original Lighting Designer

Ken Billington

Lighting Designer

Christine Binder

Chorus Director

Ian Robertson

Assistant conductor

Giuseppe Finzi

Prompter

Jonathan Khuner

Musical Preparation

John Churchwell
 Bryndon Hassman
 Ernest Fredric Knell
 Allen Perriello

Cast

<i>Lt. B.F. Pinkerton</i>	Stefano Secco
<i>Goro</i>	Thomas Glenn
<i>Suzuki</i>	Daveda Karanas
<i>Sharpless</i>	Quinn Kelsey
<i>Sharpless</i>	Brian Mulligan 11/17,21,27
<i>Cio-Cio-San, Madama Butterfly</i>	Svetla Vassileva
	Daniela Dessì 11/5,11,14,17,21,27
<i>The Imperial Commissioner</i>	Bojan Knezević
<i>The Official Registrar</i>	Jere Torkelsen
<i>Uncle Yakuside</i>	Christopher Jackson
<i>Cousin</i>	Carole Schaffer
<i>Mother</i>	Rachelle Perry
<i>Aunt</i>	Ann Hughes
<i>The Bonze</i>	Christian Van Horn
<i>Prince Yamadori</i>	Austin Kness
<i>"Trouble," Cio-Cio-San's child</i>	Rebecca Chen
<i>Kate Pinkerton</i>	Sara Gartland

*Role debut

†U.S. opera debut

Place and Time: Late nineteenth century, Nagasaki

Supertitles

Jerry Sherk
Francesca Zambello

Assistant Stage Director

Morgan Robinson

Stage Manager

Rachel C. Henneberry

Costume supervisor

Kristi Johnson

Production Super Captain

Eliza Fox

Tuesday, Oct 12 2010, 8:00 PM

Friday, Oct 15 2010, 8:00 PM

Wednesday, Oct 20 2010, 7:30 PM

Saturday, Oct 23 2010, 8:00 PM

Tuesday, Oct 26 2010, 7:30 PM

Friday, Oct 29 2010, 8:00 PM

Friday, Nov 05 2010, 8:00 PM

Thursday, Nov 11 2010, 7:30 PM

Sunday, Nov 14 2010, 2:00 PM

Wednesday, Nov 17 2010, 7:30 PM

Sunday, Nov 21 2010, 2:00 PM

Saturday, Nov 27 2010, 8:00 PM

ACT I

A house and garden overlooking the Bay of
Nagasaki

INTERMISSION

Act II

The same, three years later

Sponsors

The performance of October 23rd is sponsored by United Airlines

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Notes

Nicola Luisotti conducted: 10/12, 10/15, 10/20, 10/23, 10/26, and 10/29.

Julian Kovatchev conducted: 11/5, 11/11, 11/14, 11/17, 11/21, and 11/27.

SUPERNUMERARIES

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