



ZEINA
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Bio



Zeina Barhoum

Zeina Barhoum is a Grand Prix award winning Opera singer. In 2017, she founded Amman Opera Festival, the first Opera focused festival in the Arab World under the Patronage of HRH Princess Muna Al Hussein.

She performed on some of the world's most prestigious stages and venues including the Kensington Palace, The Hofburg Palace, Cadogan Hall, The UNESCO Paris, The Rimini Opera debuting her role as Michela in Carmen and Campidoglio in Italy, Austria, Russia, the UK, France, China, Ukraine, Jordan, UAE and Lebanon with renowned artists, including Italian Baritone and tutor Walter Alberti, Roberto Alagna who is the acclaimed successor of Pavarotti and Andrea Bocelli.

She represented Jordan amongst 6 continents in World Opera Day on the 25th of October 2020 in collaboration with Opera for Peace and UNESCO and represented Jordan as well in the classical music and pop genres in the Sound of the Xity Festival with over 30 countries organised by the Government of the People's Republic of China. She launched the Alcantara album series with the message of Bridging Cultures through music in a variety of languages with pop and classic originals of her own. In 2024, she was invited by representatives of the Vatican to represent Palestine and Jordan in Rome amongst various artists from different countries, opening the concert with an aria in Italian and Arabic titled "Lascia Ch'io Pianga" that she translated for her album Alcantara. Later followed by performances in Italy, Austria and the UAE. In 2025, she was invited to perform for the opening of The Palestine Museum in Edinburgh, Scotland and later showcased her very own show "A Love Story Through Time" as the first artist to perform live in concert in front of the Treasury in Petra. Zeina was recently invited to perform the theme song of the Golden Panda Film Awards in English and Chinese in China as the only Arab amongst Chinese and international singers.

Directed, wrote the music, script and libretto of her song and short musical film and song titled Petra, shot in Petra, which was once the capital of the Kingdom of Nabatea. Now a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The film is the first AI / real footage combined, short musical film with that title. The film has recently received an official selection by Nanocon International Film Festival and Golden Femi Film Festival and a finalist in the Barcelona International Film Festival. The film is soon to be showcased as the first original Jordanian Opera, Petra, in 2026.

Music Genres

A stylized, handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Zeina Barhoum". The script is elegant and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Opera

Classical Opera. 20 years of training and +30 concerts. Two albums recorded and currently available online - Alcantara and Alcantara II amongst originals and the first original Jordanian Opera in the making.

Pop & Crossover

Classic and contemporary as well as originals written by Zeina. Since the age of 12. First album was recorded in Pennsylvania at the age of 14.

Classical Arabic

Oldies and Muashahat. Since the age of 16. It was always included in the classical opera concerts repertoire.

Her recent concept Music, A Story of Time Travel, embodies all three genres taking the audience on a musical journey through time.

Reviews

- “Zeina Barhoum has helped to put Jordan on the map with all her hard work that she does both here and around the world.” *HRH Princess Muna Al Hussein*
 - “Barhoum’s voice hits the notes easily and sustains them, sweeping the stage.” *Albawaba Newspaper*
 - “The festival may just prove to be the perfect platform for emerging talent in music, art, acting, and design as classical operas are reinterpreted for the region and translated into Arabic. Bravo.” *Vogue Arabia, on Zeina’s Amman Opera Festival*

From Zeina’s UK Tour

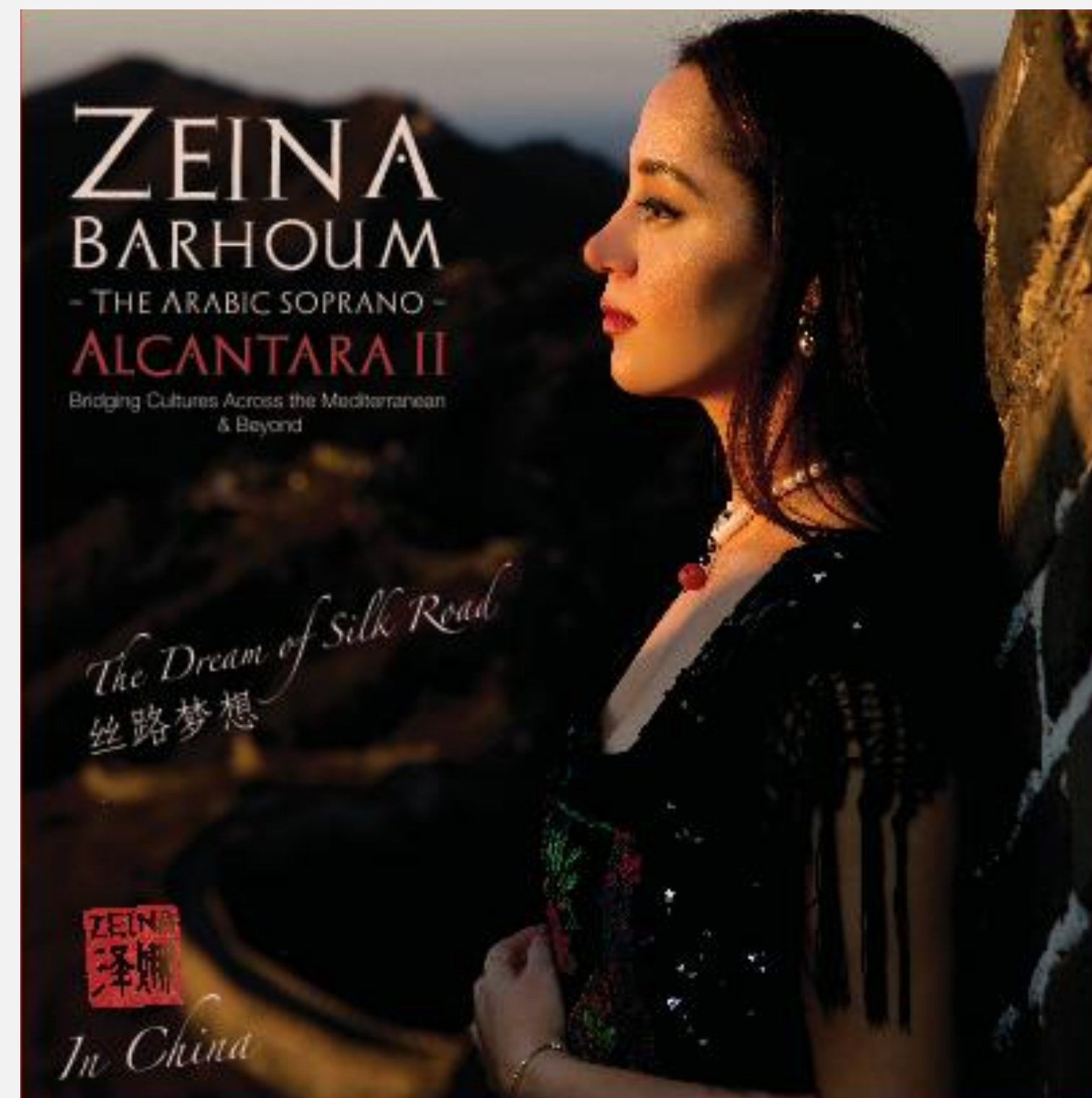
- “...She’s an amazing person and vocalist and my previous dislike of opera was literally overturned!...” - *Chris*
- “...Well done for inviting beautiful Zeina to perform in Pilton, it was a privilege to have a talented soprano in an intimate setting, she is such a charismatic woman, her love and joie de vivre was very contagious, it was a truly memorable experience! I hope she will perform again in our area...”- *Solange*
 - “ ...What a heavenly evening
Just the experience of hearing ave Maria just behind us was breathtaking
We both loved it and very grateful for the experience!...” - *Marie-Louise*
 - “ ...What a wonderful concert and experience! Close your eyes & you could have been in Covent Garden, Zeina's voice was so beautiful....” - *Unknown*
 - “ I just wanted to say how wonderful and amazing the performance was on Friday night.
Zeina was absolutely tremendous and I loved every minute of it. Her voice was beautiful and had such depth and feeling.
I haven't heard a voice like that in a long time. She also came across as a beautiful, gracious and very natural person. Her voice filled the space and the acoustics were brilliant. ” - *Sarah H.R*

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Albums – Classical Opera & Crossover



ALCANTARA



ALCANTARA II

Petra – Song & Film

Zeina Barhoum



The release of the first song & AI / real footage combined musical short film in that category titled “Petra” inspiring the first original Jordanian Opera. Script & Music written by Zeina Selected by three film festivals including NIFF, Golden Femi Film Festival and a Finalist in Barcelona WSXA

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Certificate From One Of The International Film Festivals

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FROM JORDAN TO THE WORLD



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Singles – Pop / Crossover

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Single Released
Wings of Love written by Zeina

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Single Released
Amal written by Zeina

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DUBAI OPERA

Virtual Performances in 2020

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Represented Jordan in World Opera Day
amongst 6 continents / Co-hosted event
Singing *Oh Mio Babbino Caro*

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REPRESENTED JORDAN
ON WORLD OPERA DAY
2020 WITH SINGERS
FROM 6 CONTINENTS.

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OCTOBER 25TH
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Represented Jordan in the online festival The Sound of the Xity amongst 30 countries in the classical genre Performing the Chinese Song *The Dream of Silk Road* from *the Alcantara II* album in Sichuan, China

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Represented Jordan in the online festival The Sound of the Xity amongst 30 countries in the pop genre with *The Power of Love*

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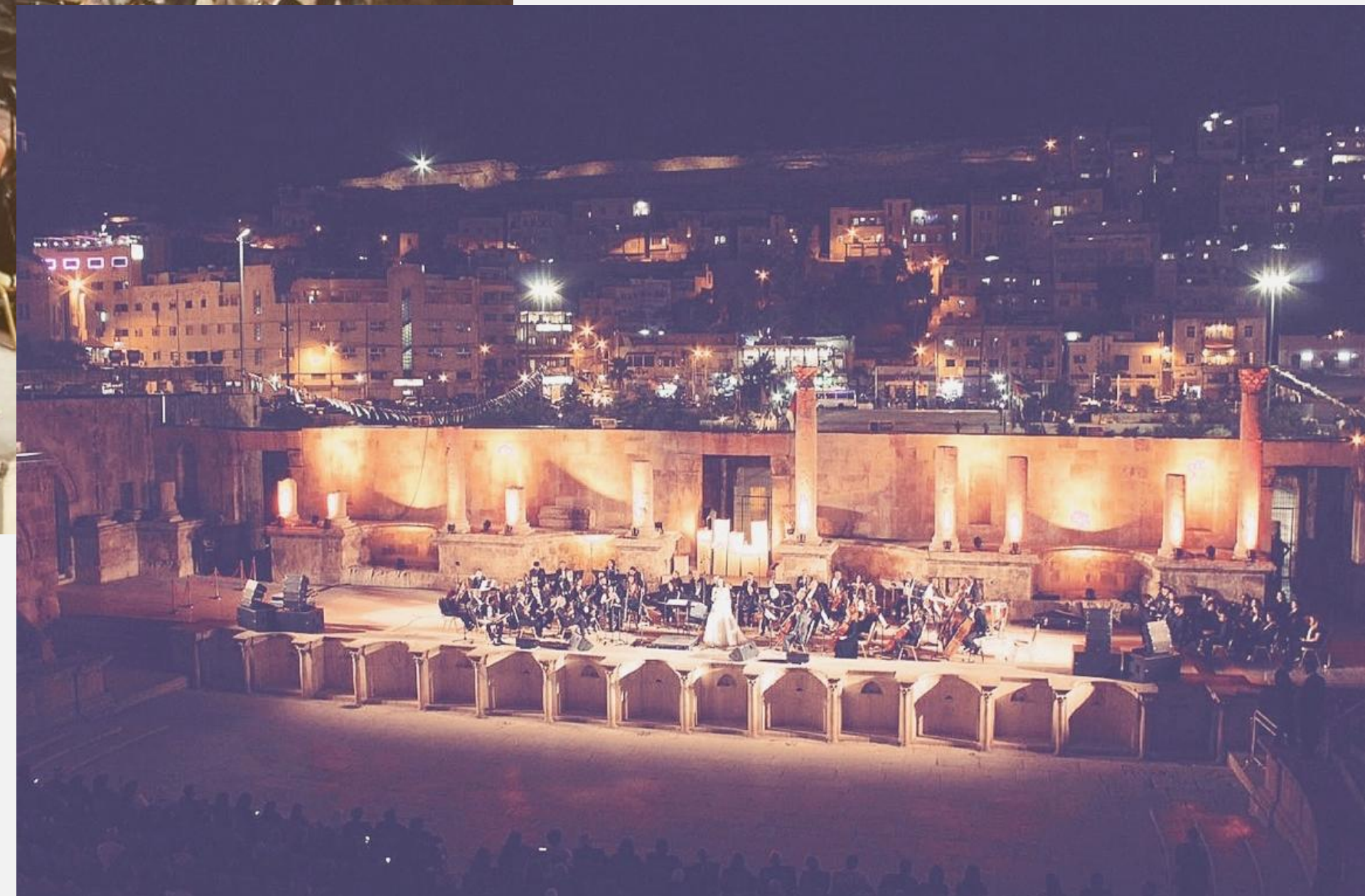


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Concert in Amman – Roman Theatre



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The Launch of the Amman Opera Festival in 2017 with the
Opera La Traviata
– Roman Theatre in Amman, Jordan

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Launch of Alcantara in Amman, Jordan

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Launch of Alcantara in Dubai, UAE

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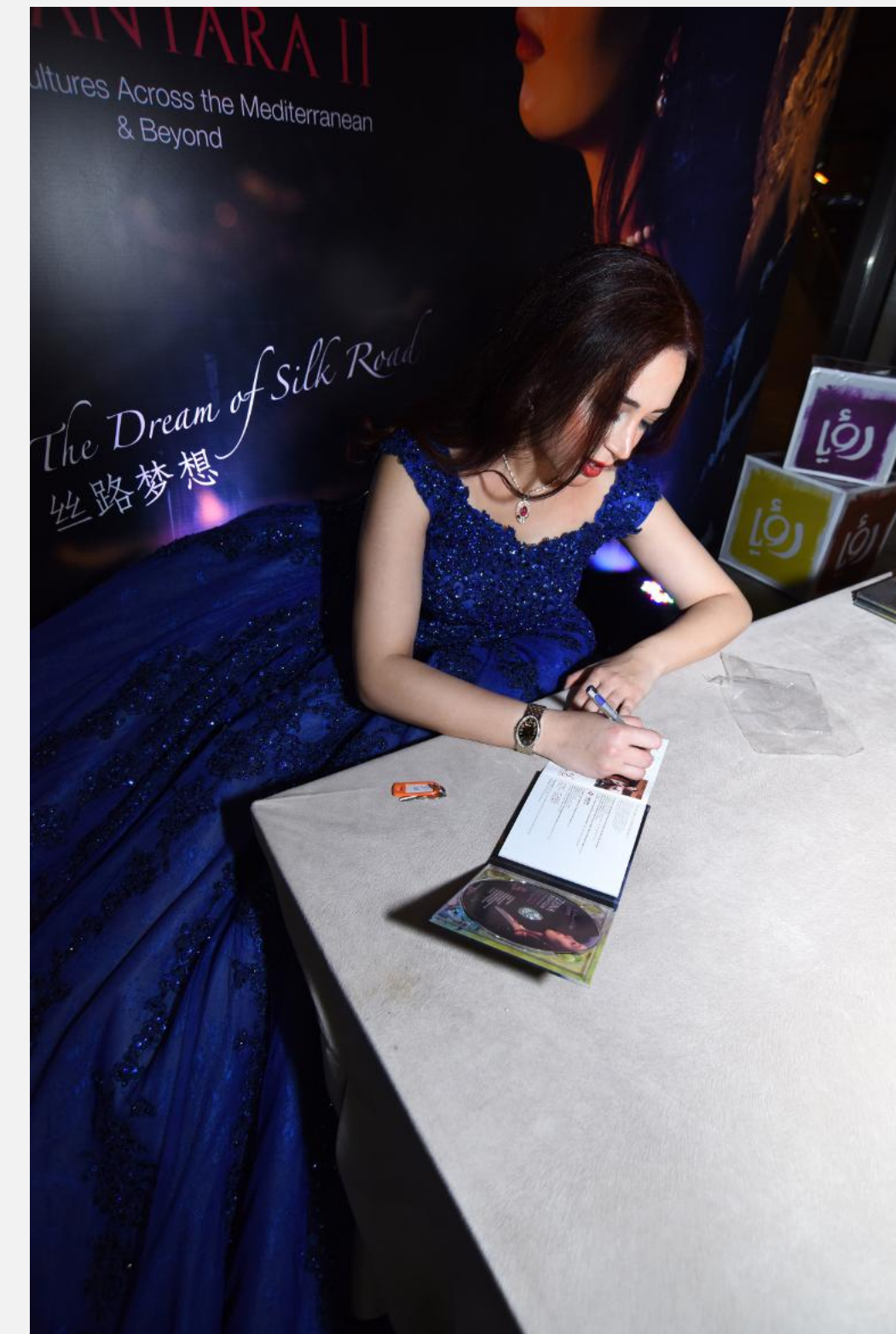
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Launch of *Alcantara II Zeina in China* in Amman, Jordan

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Launch of *Alcantara II Zeina in China* in Amman, Jordan with Tenor Wang Chuanyue

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Performing the Chinese Song *The Dream of Silk Road* from *the Alcantara II* album in Sichuan, China

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Recording in Beijing

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Concert with Andrea Bocelli in London

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Concert with Roberto Alagna in Lebanon –
Beiteddine Festival

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Concert at Kensington Palace
- London, UK



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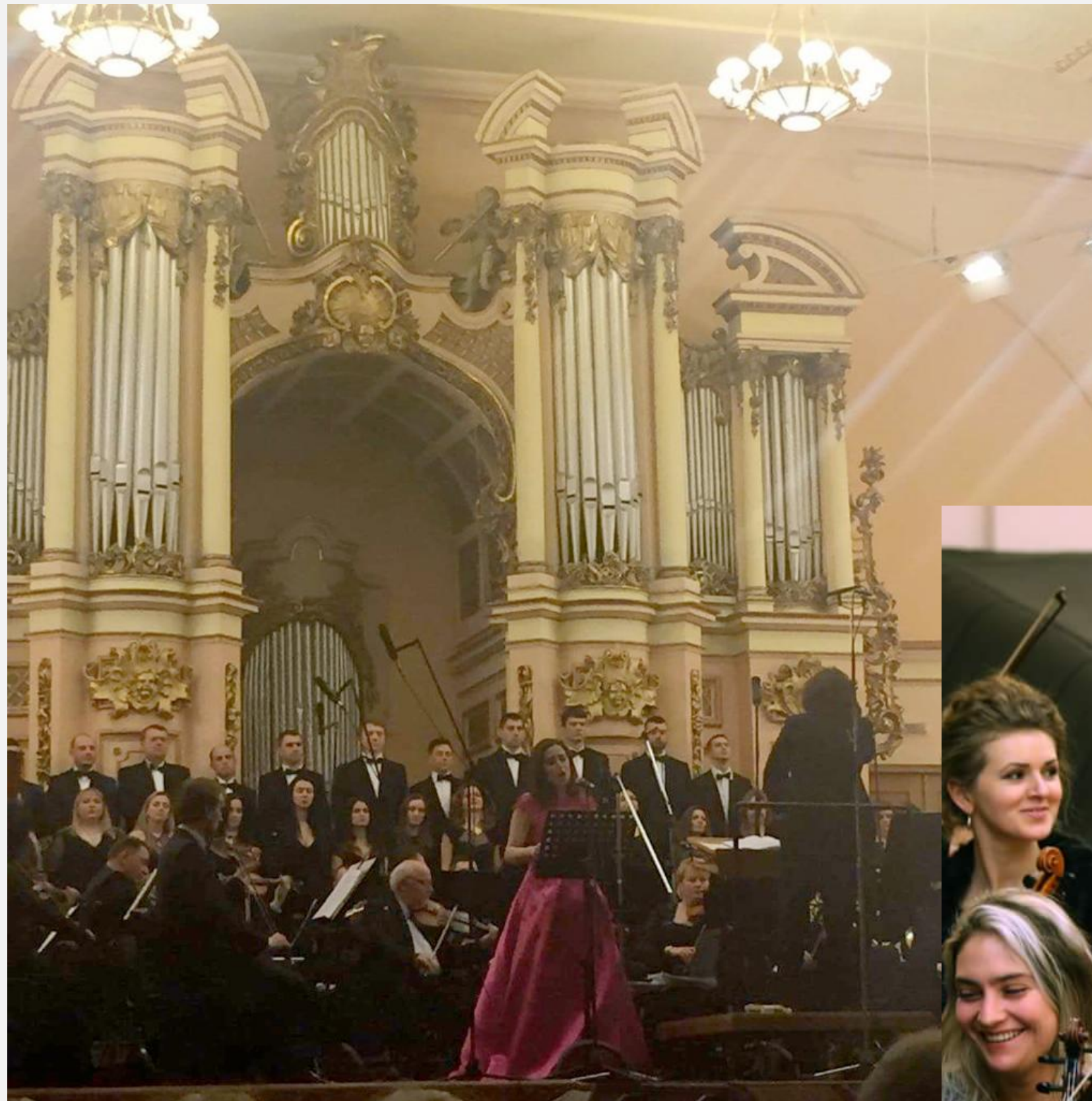


Concert at The Hofburg Palace
– Vienna, Austria



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Launch of Alcantara II in Lviv, Ukraine



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Launch of First Single – *Lascia Ch'io Pianga* in Rome, Italy

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Concert at Dubai Opera at the Theatre and IG Live 2020 –
Accompanied by an Orchestra

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Vogue Arabia Mini Concert celebrating Jordan's first functional Opera House - *At AA Theatre in Amman, Jordan*

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Amman Opera Festival (First Opera Festival in the Arab World Founded by Zeina) *La Traviata* 2022 – At AA Theatre in Amman, Jordan

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Vatican Concert Commencement Representing Jordan & Palestine 2024
Church – *Rome, Italy*

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Music, A Story of Time Travel 2022 / 2024
Theatre – *Amman, Jordan & Dubai, UAE*

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Amman Opera Festival (First Opera Festival in the Arab World Founded by Zeina) *Aida* 2024 – At AA Theatre in Amman, Jordan

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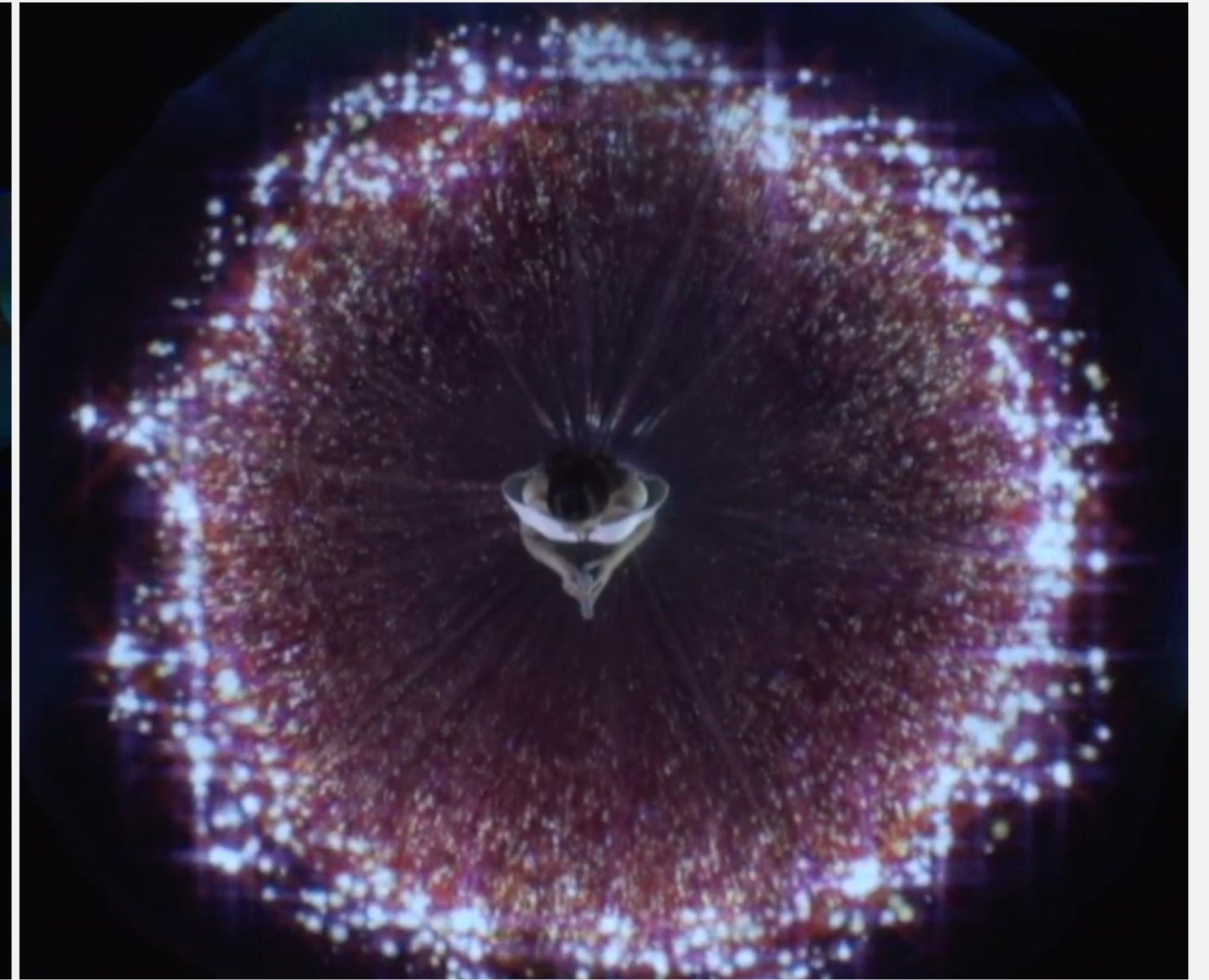
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Petra Opera Nights (“A Love Story Through Time”) First Concert in front of the Treasury by an artist with The Jordanian Armed Forces Orchestra 2025
– *Petra, Jordan*

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World Science Forum Opening Performance 2017 – *Dead Sea, Jordan*

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Golden Panda Film Awards (Theme Song) First Arab Soprano to perform
for the Film Awards Ceremony 2025 – *Chengdu, China*

Partnerships & Advocacy

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Advocate since 2019



Co-singer/co-songwriter for the
United as one song performed with
international musicians including
Palestinian refugees.

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Social Responsibility

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With her Majesty Queen Rania Al Abudullah &
His Majesty King Abdullah II
Music training - Orphanage



Music training - Refugees with the WFP

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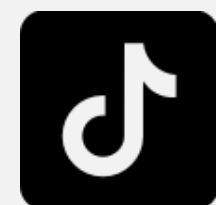
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