UniCum Laude 簡介

UniCum Laude 成立於 1994年的匈牙利。由六個清一色男性團員組成,每個都是合唱團出身,歌唱底子功夫到家。他們以每個人獨特的歌聲,挑戰高難度的合諧音,讓每首歌曲在完美的和聲中,卻有著個人的元素在裡面。

從他們特別的團名可看出,該團對演唱曲目的選擇,幅度很廣;常常會在音樂歷史的洪流中,找尋另類有趣又富挑戰性的歌曲來練習!擅長的曲目包括:文藝復興時期的聖樂,歐洲古典小調民謠,以及當代的"新音樂"型態的歌曲。

匈牙利國家電台已數次錄製並轉播他們的現場演出;1998年,匈牙利電視台更為他們量身訂作一部電視專訪。該團於2001年錄製一系列的聖誕歌曲精選,並於2005年秋天發行"Lamentation"的聖樂專輯。

UniCum Laude 是 "Filharmonia" 這個藝術節的常客。並在奧地利,波蘭,德國,義大利,羅馬尼亞,斯洛伐尼亞,和法國巡迴演出。2008 年,應台灣合唱音樂中心之邀,將首次來到亞洲,並選定台灣台北為亞洲之行的第一站,為我們帶來 UniCum Laude 獨特的音樂。

團員介紹:

József Csapó, 約瑟夫 薩波 –假聲男高音 Árpád Meláth, 阿爾帕 米拉斯 – 男高音 Arnold Mits 阿諾 米茲- 男高音 Csaba Pécsi 沙巴 皮斯 – 男中音 Csaba Kutnyánszky 沙巴 庫尼安斯基 – 男中音 László Dobos 拉斯洛 杜伯斯 – 男低音.

Introduction

The vocal group called UniCum Laude was formed in 1994 in Pécs, Southern Hungary. The members of the group are József Csapó - counter-tenor, Árpád Meláth - tenor, Arnold Mitstenor, Csaba Pécsi - baritone, Csaba Kutnyánszky - baritone, László Dobos - bass.

Each member is very well experienced in choral singing, some of them even sing solo. Chamber music is a real challenge to all the singers providing a possibility to carry through individual conceptions.

In its own name, UniCum Laude reflects its programme policy that is based on the rarely heard, unique pieces from the wide layers of the history of music.

The repertoire of the group includes renessaince sacred music and the most spectacular pieces of madrigals, as well as of contemporary modern music or those arrangements of evergreens of high standard which can be heard on their 1998 CD. Six male voices singing may sound very peculiar.

The Hungarian Radio has recorded their programme several times; a portrait film was made by the Hungarian Television in 1998. A collection of Christmas songs came out in 2001, and in the autumn of 2005, their sacred music entitled Lamentation.

UniCum Laude is a regular participant of the concert-series organized by the "Filharmonia" Music Society.

The group has given concerts in Austria, Poland, Germany, Italy, Romania, Slovenia and France.