"A THEATER THAT BRINGS JOY BACK TO PEOPLE": 150 YEARS MAX REINHARDT

On the occasion of the 150th anniversary of the birth and the 80th anniversary of the death of Austrian theater and film director Max Reinhardt, the Austrian Cultural Forum New York (ACFNY) warmly invites you to a hybrid reading followed by an artist talk.

Hybrid Reading: Sunnyi Melles, Leonille Wittgenstein, and Constantin Wittgenstein

Celebrated Swiss-Hungarian actress Sunnyi Melles and Leonille Wittgenstein will read writings and contemporary documents to trace the eventful life journey of this extraordinary director. The program will be enriched by photos and video clips of Max Reinhardt's life and work, as well as sound design by Constantin Wittgenstein.

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AT THE ACFN

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The hybrid reading will be followed by an artist talk with Sunnyi Melles and Dr. Helga Rabl-Stadler, i.a. former President of the Salzburg Festival (1995-2021).

*** PROGRAM ***

6.30 PM: Doors Open

7.00 PM – 7.45 PM: Hybrid Reading by Sunnyi Melles and Leonille Wittgenstein, with sound by Constantin Wittgenstein

Followed by a brief Presentation on Max Reinhardt by Dr. Helga Rabl-Stadler

8.00 PM - 8.30 PM: Art Talk with Sunnyi Melles and Dr. Helga Rabl-Stadler

Cocktail reception to follow

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