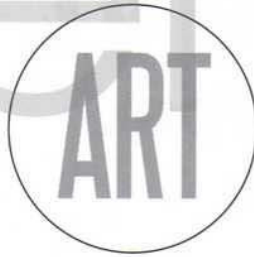


# Agenda



> **01 Bahrain Dubai Qatar Abu Dhabi**

## Abu Dhabi Classics Shostakovich conducts Shostakovich

Venue: Gulf Hotel Palace Lounge



## EPHEMERE SPACE Demi McLeod Solo Exhibition

> starts 29/01 to 07/02

Venue: Gulf Hotel Palace Lounge

Demi McLeod trained at the Royal College of Arts, London and now lives in Bahrain. Working as a gallery owner and curator in Australia, she has been intimately influenced by the art world. This is reflected

in her upcoming exhibition. Demi's works oscillates between the deeply emotional and calmly reflective. She says, "My time in Bahrain has presented me with the opportunity to create on canvas and fulfill a cherished dream. Some days I am daunted by the challenges as having worked with such incredible artistic talents I question my ability. However, on good days I fly high and paint my own voyage. I never know where these journeys will end up. It's fun and emotional at the same time."

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## Shostakovich conducts Shostakovich

> 10/01

Venue: Emirates Palace Auditorium

The Emirates Palace Auditorium will welcome acclaimed conductor and son of one of classical music's most admired composers, Maxim Shostakovich for an evening entitled Shostakovich conducts Shostakovich.



As a special precursor to the main event, the evening's programme will start at 19:00 hours with a 15-minute large screen showing of an animated adaptation of the 'Prince Ivan and the Firebird' fairy tale, created by a team of talented young artists from across Abu Dhabi's schools, with a musical score based on Stravinsky's Firebird, performed by 40 young local musicians.

Tickets are available at [www.abudhabi-classics.com](http://www.abudhabi-classics.com), at Virgin Megastores or by calling the toll free number 800-4669. For more information, contact Sandra Schneider +971 50 558 1459 or [sandra.s@rawajinternational.com](mailto:sandra.s@rawajinternational.com)