

Rundfunkchor Berlin

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»Take off into New Worlds«

Rundfunkchor Berlin presents manifesto at the end of the 2020/21 season

At the end of the current season, the Rundfunkchor Berlin presents a manifesto in the form of a brochure which stands at the intersection of the developments of the past and the plans for the coming months. Under the motto »Take off into new worlds«, the manifesto picks up on the current digitalisation drive and represents the permanent change that is shaping our work more than ever.

At the end of the 2020/21 season, the Rundfunkchor Berlin presents its manifesto, a publication that reflects the central ideas of the past months: orientating ourselves towards the actual circumstances, dealing prudently and responsibly with what is already there, and seizing opportunities to do things differently. In view of the situation and the experiences of the last year, we have decided to do things a bit differently, to see the break enforced by the Covid-19 pandemic as an opportunity – and to look ahead.

In order to maintain and strengthen contact and exchange with its audience independently of performances on stage, the Rundfunkchor Berlin has taken the opportunity during the last year to establish and expand its digital presence as well as various online formats. The manifesto also actively takes up this idea: It is provided with QR codes that you can scan using your smartphone to go directly to the corresponding section of our website. In this way, new online formats can be followed up immediately, the range of the ensemble's activities can be experienced and is always up-to-date. At the same time, the dialogue with our audience is further intensified on a digital level.

Under the motto »Take off into new worlds« the manifesto clarifies who the Rundfunkchor Berlin is and what it stands for: Professional choral singing at the top level, intense collaboration with major orchestras, and exquisite listening pleasure – but also trans-disciplinary projects that break boundaries, versatile participation formats, and extensive work with young, talented musicians.

From **17 August**, the programme for the upcoming season will be available online on our website. Further information will follow close to this date.

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