

Ballet Troupe Croatia

Artistic Director:

Svebor Sečak

Administrator:

Andreja Kovačić

▶▶ TYPE OF WORK

classical, contemporary and national ballet

▶▶ ABOUT THE COMPANY

The national principal dancer Svebor Sečak founded the troupe in 1994. It is a professional mobile troupe that exists within the Ballet of the Croatian National Theatre in Zagreb and consists of ballet dancers of the founder's choice.

The aim of the troupe is promoting ballet art that has existed in Croatia for the past 125 years. The repertoire includes ballets and mixed programmes, presenting the work of the troupe by using the language of classical, national and contemporary ballet. The troupe has performed both in Croatia and abroad.

▶▶ CURRENT PRODUCTIONS

The Merry Widow

Franz Lehár

choreography: Sonja Kastl

A very attractive classical ballet performance based on the famous operetta, choreographed by renowned Croatian choreographer Sonja Kastl.

Graduation Ball

Johann Strass jr.

choreography: Svebor Sečak

A ballet performance showing all the elements from great classical ballets such as solo variations, classical and comical duets, ensemble dances.

The Gingerbread Heart

K. Baranović

choreography: Svebor Sečak

The first great Croatian national ballet based on traditional

folklore elements.

Mixed programme

Various Pas de Deux from classical ballets

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Shorter ballets by young contemporary choreographers

▶▶ REVIEW EXTRACTS

...Their performance was wonderful. With dancing as good as you could see anywhere in the world and with a disciplined excellence and the athletic quality of male lead dancing typical of those trained in the Russian school...

Central Europe Review

...Ballet Troupe Croatia... offered a full range of dance styles, from Russian classicism to contemporary Euro-crash...

The Times

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...After the Ballet Troupe Croatia's successful season at the Linbury Studio Theatre last year, the company makes a rare and welcome return...

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