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“MEZZO LIVE HD” RECEIVES THE 2013 EUTELSAT TV AWARDS FOR THE BEST MUSIC CHANNEL

At the annual awards ceremony organized in Venice by Eutelsat, on Friday, November 15, 2013, Mezzo Live HD won the *Eutelsat TV Award* in the “Music” category.

The Eutelsat TV Awards is a unique event recognizing the quality of thematic satellite TV channels. Over 100 channels from 20 countries participated in this year’s competition, their programming formats, innovation and audience relationship judged by an independent panel of media experts representing the world’s most dynamic broadcasting markets.

Earlier in November 2013 Mezzo live HD received another award in Russia as the best music channel: Golden Ray Award 2013.

Every month, Mezzo live HD offers several live events to its subscribers. Watch live on Mezzo and Mezzo live HD :

01/12 - Die Frau Ohne Schatten, Richard Strauss by Kirill Petrenko from Bayerische Staatsoper, **Munich**

03/12 – Shostakovitch by Orchestre of Mariinsky Theatre, Valery Gergiev, Gautier Capuçon from Salle Pleyel, **Paris**

17/12 - Hamlet by Ambroise Thomas from La Monnaie Theatre, **Brussels**

07/01 – Einstein on the Beach by Glass from Theatre du Chatelet, **Paris**

About Mezzo Live HD

Launched in 2010 in France and abroad, Mezzo Live HD, the reference channel in classical music, jazz and dance edited by Lagardère Active in partnership with France Television is received by nearly 5 million subscribers in 24 countries.

Mezzo Live HD offers to its subscribers the opportunity to fully experience the thrill of live performance, all programs of the channel being filmed and broadcast in High Definition. Every month Mezzo Live HD opens the doors of five of the world’s best scenes, theatres, opera houses, but also concerts halls, festivals, jazz clubs ...

Mezzo Live HD and Mezzo SD channels as a part of Mezzo offer are distributed by 600 operators, 21 million households in 43 countries.

The Eutelsat TV Awards jury: Jerzy Barski from *TV-Sat Magazine* (Poland), Jacques Braun from *Eurodata TV* (France), Robert Briel from *Broadband TV News*, Sergey Buntman from *Echo of Moscow* (Russia), Alessandra Comazzi from *La Stampa* (Italy), Paolo Dalla Chiara from *Pentastudio* (Italy), Christian Blankenberg from *ARD* (Germany), Giacomo Mazzone from the *EBU*, Fusun Nebil from *Turk Internet* (Turkey), Reem Nouss Media Consultant and Executive Producer, Twofour Arabia (UK). Jury chairman: Duilio Giammaria from *Rai* (Italy). Technical expert: Mauro Roffi from *Millecanali* (Italy).

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