

- The Malaysian Philharmonic Orchestra (MPO) performs under the baton of its conductor laureate Kees Bakels on Feb 3 (3pm and 8.30pm) at the Dewan Filharmonik Petronas.

Works performed will include Alexander Scriabin's *Poem of Ecstasy (Op.54)*, Igor Stravinsky's *Le chant du rossignol* and Sergei Prokofiev's *Scythian Suite (Op.20)*.

The MPO will also collaborate with renowned French violist, Gerard Caussé, to perform Bela Bartok's *Viola Concerto*. This will be Caussé's third performance with the MPO. Caussé is widely acclaimed as one of the greatest international viola talents of our time. He has appeared as soloist with many prestigious orchestras and household names such as Emmanuel Krivine, Charles Dutoit, Gidon Kremer and Paul Meyer. His discography consists of more than 35 records on various recording labels.

Tickets are priced from RM20 to RM95. Call the box office at 03-20517007 / fax: 03-20517077 / e-mail bookings: dfp_boxoffice@petronas.com.my