

Press Release

**IRISH SINGER SONGWRITER, IMELDA MAY
TO PERFORM AT DUBAI OPERA**

‘Life Love Flesh Blood’ for one night only on 2 November 2018

Dubai, United Arab Emirates, 27 May 2018 – One of Ireland’s most respected female singers, Imelda May is set to take to the stage at Dubai Opera on the 2nd November 2018, with a special one-off performance.

Performing with her talented band, Imelda will be entertaining the audience with a mixture of her old school favourites including ‘*Tainted Love*’, ‘*Johnny Got a Boom Boom*’, and ‘*It’s Good to Be Alive*’, as well as songs from her hugely popular new album, ‘*Life Love Flesh Blood*’. The new record, which explores a variety of genres including blues, soul, gospel, folk, rock and cinematic drama, is a bold and personal representation of her life.

Originally from Dublin, Imelda started her singing career at the young age of 16, performing with a number of local bands and musicians. Since then, Imelda has released multiple chart hitting albums, including ‘*Love Tattoo*’ and ‘*Mayhem*’.

Given the range, power and authenticity of Imelda’s singing voice, it’s unsurprising that over the years she has performed on stage with acts including the likes of U2, Jools Holland, Elvis Costello and Tom Jones, to name a few. Her moving songs and unique performing skills make a show to remember and her upcoming one at Dubai Opera is not to be missed.

Jasper Hope, Chief Executive at Dubai Opera, commented: “Imelda May is a uniquely talented singer and songwriter and her Dubai Opera debut is guaranteed to have the place rocking”.

Tickets are on sale now and prices start from AED 150 at www.dubaiopera.com. An **Early Bird Offer** of 20% discount on all seating categories if booked before 10th June 2018 is also available, with **prices starting at AED 120**.

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Notes to Editors

About Dubai Opera:

Dubai Opera is a truly unique venue and the city’s first purpose built multi-format performing arts theatre, situated in the heart of Downtown Dubai. With an iconic dhow-shaped design rooted in Emirati heritage, Dubai Opera offers



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the ultimate flexibility of a proscenium arch theatre, an acoustic concert hall and a 2000m² flat floor event space, and is the definitive destination for quality entertainment productions and performances. Dubai Opera's stage hosts an incredible array of world-class talent, with opera, ballet and classical music concerts and productions at the core, Dubai Opera also stages musical theatre, fashion shows, jazz, comedy, family shows and a full range of live entertainment.

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