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Special Screening | Studio Ghibli's *Howl's Moving Castle* at the Kennedy Center REACH

Presented by JICC, Embassy of Japan and the National Symphony Orchestra

July 9th
2023
3:00 PM EDT
In Person



In anticipation of [Joe Hisaishi Symphonic Concert: Music from the Studio Ghibli Films of Hayao Miyazaki](#) at Wolf Trap, JICC and the [National Symphony Orchestra](#) are co-presenting a free screening of *Howl's Moving Castle* at the Kennedy Center REACH

From the legendary Studio Ghibli, creators of *Spirited Away* and *My Neighbor Totoro*, comes the Academy Award®-nominated fantasy adventure for the whole family.

Sophie (Emily Mortimer) leads an uneventful life at her father's hat shop, but all that changes when she is literally swept off her feet by a handsome but mysterious wizard named Howl (Christian Bale). Jealous of their friendship, the vain and vengeful Witch of the Waste (Lauren Bacall) curses young Sophie, turning her into a 90-year-old woman. On a quest to break the spell, Sophie climbs aboard Howl's magnificent moving castle and into a new life of wonder and adventure. But as the true power of Howl's wizardry is revealed, Sophie finds herself fighting a dangerous war of sorcery that threatens their world.

Howl's Moving Castle will delight children with its fantastical story and the touch hearts and minds of all ages. Featuring the voice talents of Lauren Bacall, Christian Bale, Billy Crystal, Blythe Danner, Emily Mortimer, and Jean Simmons.



REGISTRATION

Registration for this film opens on
Monday, June 26 at 11 AM EDT.

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National Symphony Orchestra
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English Audio (Dubbed) | Rated PG | 119 min | Directed by Hayao Miyazaki

This event is **free**, however **registration is required**.

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