Fredrik Söhngen , born in Hamburg , Germany into a swedish-german family started playing the oboe at the age of 13. He moved to Stockholm 1986 to study with the famous Prof. Alf Nilsson at the Royal College of Music,

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1995 - 1997 he played co-principal oboe

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Fredrik Söhngen has played guest principle oboe

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