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UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

Mrs. Anderssen in *A Little Night Music* with The Gallery Players 2014
Ortlinde in *Die Walküre* by Richard Wagner, NY Lyric Opera's Carnegie Hall Gala 2014

ROLES PERFORMED

Nedda	<i>I Pagliacci</i>	Dicapo Opera Theater	2013
Lauretta	<i>Gianni Schicchi</i>	Dicapo Opera Theater	2013
Tamar (cover)	<i>Tamar da Timna</i>	Garden State Opera	2013
Kate Pinkerton	<i>Madama Butterfly</i>	New Rochelle Opera	2012
The Foreign Woman	<i>The Consul</i>	Dicapo Opera Theatre	2012
Iolanta (cover w/ performance)	<i>Iolanta</i>	Dicapo Opera Theatre	2011
Violetta (cover)/ Flora	<i>La Traviata</i>	Belleayre Music Festival	2011
Beauty	<i>Beauty & the Beast</i> (V. Gianinni)	Dicapo Opera Theatre	2011
Erste Dame	<i>Die Zauberflöte</i>	NY Lyric Opera	2011
Gretel	<i>Hansel and Gretel</i>	Nashville Opera	2010
Musetta	<i>La Boheme</i>	Brooklyn Opera & NY Lyric Opera	2010
Clorinda (cover)	<i>La Cenerentola</i>	The Belleayre Music Festival	2010
Sopranino/ Lover, Cercatrice (cv)	<i>Il Trittico</i>	dell'Arte Opera Ensemble	2010
Pamina	<i>The Magic Flute</i>	Nashville Opera	2009
Contessa Almaviva	<i>Le Nozze di Figaro</i>	Martina Arroyo Foundation	2008
Mimi	<i>La Boheme*</i>	Queens Opera Association	2008
Alice Ford	<i>Falstaff</i>	Intermezzo Opera Festival	2007
Donna Elvira	<i>Don Giovanni</i>	Martina Arroyo Foundation	2006
New Prioress	<i>Dialogues of the Carmelites**</i>	Purchase Opera	2005

(* scenes, **National Opera Association award winning production)

ROLES STUDIED

Liu – *Turandot*, Micaela – *Carmen*, Violetta – *La Traviata*, Marchesa – *Un Giorno di Regno*, Fiordiligi – *Così fan tutte*

YOUNG ARTIST/ APPRENTICE PROGRAMS

Opera Singers Initiative	Season Roster	2012/13
Dicapo Opera Theatre	Resident Artist Program	2011
The Metropolitan Opera	Masterly Singing Series	2011
Brooklyn Opera	Apprentice Artist Program	2011
New York Lyric Opera	Artist in Residence Program	2010
Nashville Opera	Mary Ragland Young Artist Program	2009

CONCERT/ RECITAL EXPERIENCE

Carnegie Hall Debut Recital Presented by Artists International 2009

VOICE TEACHERS:

Arthur Levy
Bonnie Hamilton
Nova Thomas
Deb Birnbaum

COACHES:

Kathryn LaBouff
Djordje Nesic
Marianne Barrett
Joan Krueger
Yelena Kurdina

CONDUCTORS:

Steven Crawford
David Jackson
Carol Crawford
Willie Waters
Gregory Ortega

DIRECTORS:

Chuck Hudson
Peter Kazaras
Joseph Bascetta
Laura Alley
Jacque Trussel

EDUCATION

Manhattan School of Music M.M. Vocal Performance 2005-2007
S.U.N.Y. Purchase Conservatory of Music B.M. Vocal Performance 2001-2005
Master Classes: Stephen Wadsworth, John Hoomes, Catherine Malfitano, Charles Riecker, Dona Vaughn, Carol Vaness

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

Metropolitan Opera National Council Auditions – DeCamera/ Guido Encouragement Award 2008
Connecticut Opera Guild Competition, Ilene D. Kaplan Award 2009
National Opera Association Vocal Competition Winner, 3rd Place 2008