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UPCOMING

Zurga (u/s) fr	<i>Les pecheurs de perles</i> – Bizet	Vancouver Opera	Oct 2022
^Mr XE (u/s) en	<i>Angel's Bone</i> – Yun	Co-Production	Nov 2022
Peter Quince en	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i> – Bizet	Vancouver Opera	Feb 2023

RECENT

Escamillo fr	<i>Carmen</i> – Bizet	Saskatoon Opera	2022
Baritone Soloist	<i>Petite Messe Solenne</i> – Rossini	Vancouver Bach Choir	2022
Bill Bobstay en	<i>HMS Pinafore</i> – Gilbert & Sullivan	Vancouver Opera	2022
Capt. Corcoran (u/s) en	<i>HMS Pinafore</i> – Gilbert & Sullivan	Vancouver Opera	2022
^Blond Eckbert	<i>Blond Eckbert</i> – Weir	Vancouver Opera YAP	2022
Asahi Baseball Player en	<i>Shadow Catch</i> – Various	UBC Opera	2022
Schaunard it	<i>La Bohème</i> – Puccini	Edmonton Opera	2022
Alfio (u/s) it	<i>Cavalleria Rusticana</i> – Mascagni	Vancouver Opera	2022
*Xon-Pon en/hoisan	<i>Chinatown</i> – Ho	City Opera Vancouver	2021
Escamillo fr	<i>Carmen: Up Close and Personal</i> – Bizet	Vancouver Opera	2021
^Dmitri en	<i>The Music Shop</i> – Wargo	Vancouver Opera	2021
^Owl en	<i>The Flight of the Hummingbird</i> – Goulet	Vancouver Opera/POV	2020
^Tadeusz po/de	<i>Pasazerka</i> – Weinberg	UBC Opera	2020
Dappertutto/Miracle fr	<i>Les contes d'Hoffmann</i> – Offenbach	UBC Opera	2019
Don Giovanni it	<i>Don Giovanni</i> – Mozart	UBC Opera	2019
Pilate/Bass Soloist	<i>St. John's Passion</i> – Bach	UBC Symphony Orchestra	2018
Lieutenant Audebert fr	<i>Silent Night</i> – Puts	UBC Opera	2018
Hobson	<i>Peter Grimes</i> – Britten	Vancouver Symphony Orchestra	2018
Betto it	<i>Gianni Schicchi</i> – Puccini	UBC Opera	2018
Don Magnifico it	<i>La Cenerentola</i> – Rossini	UBC Opera	2018
Bartolo it	<i>Il Barbiere di Siviglia</i> – Rossini	European Music Academy, CZ	2017
Lakai/Perückenmacher de	<i>Ariadne auf Naxos</i> – Strauss	UBC Opera	2017
Benoit/Alcindoro it	<i>La Bohème</i> – Puccini	White Rock Concerts	2017
Zaretsky rus	<i>Eugene Onegin</i> – Tchaikovsky	UBC Opera	2017
Secret Police Agent en	<i>The Consul</i> – Menotti	UBC Opera	2016
Papageno de	<i>Die Zauberflöte</i> – Mozart	Bard on the Beach Festival	2016
Theseus en	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i> – Britten	UBC Opera	2016
Marquese it	<i>La Traviata</i> – Verdi	Westben Arts Festival	2015
Baron Douphol it	<i>La Traviata</i> – Verdi	UBC Opera	2015

*Denotes Workshop

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EDUCATION

Yulanda M Faris Young Artist Program	Vancouver Opera	2020-2023
RBC Artist Fellowship	Association of Opera in Canada	2021-2022
Digital Emerging Artist Program	Manitoba Opera	2021
Opera in the 21st Century Faculty: Ian Cusson, Joel Ivany, Rhoslyn Jones, Karen Slack, Russell Thomas	Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity	2020-2021
Master of Music, Opera Performance	University of British Columbia	2020
Bachelor of Music, Opera Performance	University of British Columbia	2018

VOICE TEACHERS

Daniel Okulitch (current)
Peter Barcza

CONDUCTORS

David Agler
Norbert Baxa
Leslie Dala
Jonathan Darlington
Maria Fuller
Gordon Gerrard
Tyrone Paterson
Simon Rivard
Rosemary Thomson
Bramwell Tovey
Robert Wood

COACHES

David Boothroyd
Tina Chang
Richard Epp
Judith Forst
Denise Gaudry
Carol Isaac
Michael McMahon
Michael Onwood
Kinza Tyrrell

DIRECTORS

Krzysztof Biernacki
Brenna Corner
Dana Fradkin
Nancy Hermiston
Ann Hodges
Martin Ottava
Rachel Peake
François Racine
Amanda Testini
Anna Theodosakis
Katherine Twaddle

MASTERCLASSES

Russell Braun
Tracy Dahl
Nathalie Doucet
Monica Huisman
Ann Larlee
Heidi Melton
Marion Newman
Eric Owens
Luca Pisaroni
J. Patrick Raftery
Krisztina Szabo
John Tessier

LANGUAGES SUNG

English (native language)
French
German
Italian
Russian
Polish
Japanese
Hoisan

AWARDS

Jacqueline Desmarais Foundation
Toni & Hildegard Calveti Fund
Vancouver Opera Guild Award
Dal Richards Award in Opera
Nancy Phipps Memorial Award
Harry & Marjorie Slim Award