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## Vocalist/Mezzo-soprano

**Objective** Seeking to leverage my voice, talents and experiences to bring beauty and happiness to the world.

#### **Education**

2018.6 - 2020.12, California State University, Northridge, CA, USA Master of Music in Vocal Performance (Bel Canto)

2011.9 - 2015.5, Shenyang Conservatory of Music, Liaoning, China

Bachelor of Arts in Vocal Performance (Traditional Chinese Singing)

## **Selected Performing Experience**

#### Dec 2021, Cerritos Center for the Performing Arts, Los Angeles, CA

 (Scheduled) To perform as a mezzo-soprano at the annual Christmas Concert with Los Angeles Symphony & Chorus

#### Mar 2020, Los Angeles, CA

• Starred as Genovieffa in opera Sour Angelica

#### Aug 2019, 48-Hour Movie Festival, Los Angeles, CA

• Composed and performed the theme song of the short film Final Notice

#### Apr 2019, Los Angeles, CA

• Starred as Brigida in opera Li Sposi Per Accidente

#### Oct 2017, Lien Hoa Buddhist Temple, Houston, TX

• Emceed and performed vocal solo *For Whom* at the Harvey Hurricane Relief Fundraiser Concert held by Houston International District

## Oct 2017, Consulate General of the People's Republic of China, Houston, TX

• Performed vocal solo *For Whom* at the Hurricane Heroes Commendation Conference held by Consulate General of the People's Republic of China

#### Oct 2017, 2016, The Westin Galleria, Houston, TX

• Performed vocal solo *Motherland* & *Cheers to Our Motherland* at the Celebration Gala for the 68th & 67th National Day of the People's Republic of China, held by Consulate General of the People's Republic of China

#### Feb 2017, Stafford Center, Houston, TX

 Emceed and performed vocal solo Way to the Paradise at the 2017 Spring Festival Gala of the Greater Houston Area

#### Feb 2017, Houston Chinese Church, Houston, TX

 Performed vocal solo Ask the Spring at the 20th Anniversary Charity Concert of the Houston Light and Salt Association

### Feb 2017, International Trade Center, Houston, TX

• Emceed and performed at the 21st Annual Texas International Lunar Festival

## Jan 2017, Chinese Activity Center, Houston, TX

 Emceed and performed at the Sino Professionals Association 2017 Annual Meeting and President Handover Ceremony

## Oct 2016, Double Tree Hilton - Greenway Plaza, Houston, TX

• Performed vocal solo *Harmonious Waltz* at the banquet of the Houston International Entrepreneurs Association

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# **Professional Experience**

Apr 2021 - now, Joe Ferrante Music Academy, Monrovia, CA

Working as a vocal & piano teacher for children of all ages

Jun 2019, California State University, Northridge, CA

• Worked as a student assistant of CSUN workshops

Jan 2019 - Dec 2019, California State University, Northridge, CA

• Worked as a student assistant in the Individualized Education Program (IEP)

Sep 2015 - Mar 2016, Bureau of Civil Affairs, Anshan, China

• Organized retired leading cadres in choir and taught them sing and perform during national holidays as a national civil servant

May 2013 - Jul 2014, Berlin Arts Training Center, Shenyang, China

• Worked as a vocal teacher for young children

## Discography

Jul 2021, Liunique

- Five original tracks in multiple genres pop, Jazz, Moombahton, and classical
- 40k+ listeners and 70k+ streams in total on Spotify

# Selected Media Highlights

- Tinnitist: 20 Questions With Celestine Liu, Aug 2021
- The Sounds Won't Stop: An Interview With Celestine Liu, Aug 2021
- Rising Artists: Artist Interview: "Boba Tea" by Celestine Liu, Aug 2021
- PopFad Blog: Artist Interview: "Dance To The Rhythm" by Celestine Liu, Aug 2021
- Pillar Artists: Interview: Celestine Liu, Sep 2021
- Rock N Bold: HOT HOT | 15 artistas para adicionar na sua playlist, Sep 2021
- IndieMov: Celestine Liu, música para levantar el ánimo, Sep 2021
- Getty Images: Movie 'Hello' Press Briefing, Oct 2011

#### **Awards**

2019, 2020, CSUN Music Department Scholarship

2019, CSUN Phi Beta Delta Honor Society-China Scholarship

2017, Outstanding Participant Award (Top 5) of the West America Finals of the Voice of China

2015, Outstanding Graduate of Liaoning Province, China

2015, Outstanding Graduate of Shenyang Conservatory of Music

2014, First Prize, Liaoning Provincial Chorus Competition

2014, Liaoning Provincial Government Scholarship

2011, National Final Winner of the 'Touch Your Dream' Singing and Dancing Competition Organized by the Korean Tourism Organization

#### Skills

Bel canto, folk/pop style singing, composing, emceeing, acting, dancing, piano, guitar

# Languages

- English (Proficient)
- Chinese (Native)