

Opera Philadelphia Pronunciation Guide

2015-2016 Season

ANDY: A Popera

POP-uh-ra

September 10, 11, 12, 13, 17, 18, 19, 20, 2015 | 1526 North American Street, Philadelphia

World Premiere

Music by Dan Visconti with original songs by Heath Allen

Text by John Jarboe with Sean Lally and ensemble

Performed in English (no supertitles)

Opera in the City

CAST

Role

Julia Warhola

Andrei

Edie

Candy

Valerie

Joe

Andy's, soup cans, Canny, and other assorted characters

Artist

Malgorzata Kasprzycka*

Mary Tuomanen*

Kristen Bailey*

Scott McPheeters*

Kate Raines*

Sean Lally*

TWA-mun-nin

mc-FEET-ers

Members of the Opera Philadelphia Chorus

CREATIVE TEAM

Director

Music Director

Dramaturg

Costume Design

Sound Design

Set Design

Lighting Design

Video Design

Chorus Master

John Jarboe*

Heath Allen*

Sally Ollove*

Rebecca Kanach*

Daniel Perelstein*

Oona Curley*

Mike Inwood*

Jorge Cousineau*

Elizabeth Braden

JAR-boh

AH-luv (like Olive)

kuh-NASH

perel-STEIN

yorg COO-zin-no

BRAY-den

*Opera Philadelphia debut

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La traviata

October 2, 4m, 7, 9, 11m 2015 | Academy of Music

Performed in Italian with English supertitles
Opera at the Academy
Production from Bucharest National Opera

Composer	Giuseppe Verdi	jiu-ZEHP-pay VEHR-dee
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CAST

Role

Violetta Valery
Alfredo Germont
Giorgio Germont
Baron Douphol
Gastone
Marchese D’Obigny
Flora Bervoix
Doctor Grenville
Annina

Artist

Lisette Oropesa*
Alek Shrader*
Stephen Powell
Daniel Mobbs
Roy Hage
Jarrett Ott
Katherine Pracht
Andrew Bogard
Rachel Sterrenberg

lee-SET oro-PEHSSA
SHRAY-der

HA-zhe

BO-guard

CREATIVE TEAM

Conductor
Director
Set/Costume Design
Lighting Design
Chorus Master

Corrado Rovaris
Paul Curran*
Gary Mccann
Paul Hackenmueller
Elizabeth Braden

coh-RAH-doh roh-VAH-rees
CUR-in

HACK-in-mewler
BRAY-den

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Cold Mountain

February 5, 7m, 10, 12, 14m 2016 |
Academy of Music

Music by Jennifer Higdon

Libretto by Gene Scheer
Performed in English with English
supertitles

Opera at the Academy
East Coast Premiere | American
Repertoire Program
Co-commission and co-production with The Santa Fe Opera and Minnesota Opera

Composer

Jennifer Higdon

CAST

Role

W.P. Inman
Ada Monroe
Ruby Thewes
Teague
Stobrod / Blindman
Veasey
Lucinda

Artist

Nathan Gunn
Isabel Leonard*
Cecelia Hall
Jay Hunter Morris
Kevin Burdette
Paul Groves*
Marietta Simpson*

Anthony
Michaels-
Moore*

Reverend Monroe / Pangle / Homeguard

Owens / Ethan / Homeguard

Marcus DeLoach*

Sara
Lila
Katie / Siren #1
Olivia / Siren #2
Reid / Homeguard
Clarie / Siren #3

Heather Stebbins*
Emily Pogorelc*
Lauren Eberwein*
Roy Hage
Anastasiia Sidorova *

Rachel Sterrenberg

[STEh-bins](#)

[PO-go-relse](#)

[EH-bur-win](#)

[HA-zhe](#)

[ah-na-STAY-szha see-do-l](#)

CREATIVE TEAM

Conductor
Director
Set Design
Costume Design
Lighting Design
Projection Design
Chorus Master

Corrado Rovaris
Leonard Foglia
Robert Brill*
David C. Woolard
Brian Nason
Elaine McCarthy *
Elizabeth Braden

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BRAY-den

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Curtis Opera Theatre

Capriccio

March 2, 4, 6m, 2016 | Perleman Theater at the Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts

Performed in German with English
supertitles

Aurora Series for Chamber Opera

New Production

Produced by the Curtis Institute of Music and presented in association with Opera
Philadelphia and the Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts

Composer

Richard Strauss

REE-card SHTRAUSS

CAST

Role

Artist

Curtis Opera Theatre artists with the
Curtis Symphony Orchestra
(Cast TBA)

CREATIVE TEAM

Conductor
Director
Curtis Opera Theatre
Artistic Director

TBD
Chas Rader-Shieber

Mikael Eliassen

CHAZ RAY-dur-SHEE-bur

eh-LIE-eh-sen

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The Elixir of Love

(L'elisir d'amore)

April 29, May 1m, 4, 6, 8m, 2016 | Academy of Music

Music by Gaetano Donizetti

Libretto by Felice Romani

Performed in Italian with English
supertitles

Opera at the Academy

Production from The Santa Fe Opera

Composer

Gaetano Donizetti

[guy-ah-TAH-noh donn-ee-TSEH-tee](#)

CAST

Role

Adina

Nemorino

Sergeant Belcore

Doctor Dulcamara

Giannetta

Artist

Sarah Shafer

Christopher Tiesi

Craig Verm

Kevin Burdette

Katrina Thurman

[SHAY-fer](#)

[TEE-ay-zee](#)

CREATIVE TEAM

Conductor

Director

Set & Costume Design

Chorus Master

Corrado Rovaris

Stephen Lawless*

Ashley Martin-Davis *

Elizabeth Braden

[coh-RAH-doh roh-VAH-rees](#)

[BRAY-den](#)

*Opera Philadelphia debut