

Rebecca Hass - Mezzo Soprano

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Professional Experience

Professional Operatic Experience-Roles Performed

Adams

Third Secretary-Nixon in China Michael Cavanaugh /John DeMain/Vancouver Opera

Barber

Baroness-Vanessa-2011 Glynnis Leyshon/ Timothy Vernon/Pacific Opera Victoria

Berg

Der Gymnasiast – *Lulu*
Canadian Opera Co. Toronto-1991
Nikolas Muni/Lothar Zagrosek

La Fille du Regiment-Countess 2012
Manitoba Opera Ann Hodges/Tadeusz
Biernacki

Flotow

Nancy – *Martha*
Opera in Concert, Toronto-1996

Bizet

Mercedes –Carmen cover– *Carmen*
Vancouver Opera- 1991

Britten

Mrs. Groese - *The Turn of the Screw*
Manitoba Opera-1996 Kelly
Robinson/Bramwell Tovey

Floyd

Mrs. McLean – *Susannah*
Vancouver Opera-1997-Morris
Panych/David Agler
Calgary Opera-2001-Kelly Robinson/

Mrs. Herring-*Albert Herring*
Pacific Opera Victoria/Vancouver
Opera 2013 Glynnis Leyshon/Leslie Dala

Gilbert and Sullivan
Katisha-The Mikado David Gately/Peter
Dala
Edmonton Opera-2003
Buttercup-HMS Pinafore Edmonton
Opera 2008-Rob Herriot/Peter Dala

Mrs. Baggot-*Let's Make and*
Opera/Little Sweep Rachel Peake
Pacific Opera Victoria 2013
Mrs. Noah-Noyes *Fludde*
Pacific Opera Victoria
2013 Alison Greene/Timothy Vernon

Gounod
Gertrude – *Romeo et Juliette*
Edmonton Opera-1997
Calgary Opera-2003 Diana
Leblanc/Robert Dean

Cilea

Mama Rosa - *L'Arlesiana*
Opera in Concert, Toronto-1993

Janacek

Owl/Forresters Wife-*Cunning Little*
Vixen Pacific Opera
Pacific Opera Victoria 2005
Old Shepherdess-Jenufa Pacific Opera
Victoria 2017

Delibes

Mistress Benson-*Lakme*
Edmonton and Calgary Opera 2004
Brian Deedrick/Robert Dean

Mascagni

Mama Lucia-*Cavallaria Rusticana*

Donizetti

Edmonton Opera-2002

Massenet

*Mere Albine-Thais Pacific Opera
Victoria 2008 Rene Doucet/Timothy
Vernon*

Menotti

*Mother – Amahl and the Night Visitors
Ottawa Opera Lyra-1991-2 Tom
Diamond/John Greer*

Monteverdi

*Nero – Coronation of Poppea
Canadian Opera Company Ensemble
Imperial Opera Theatre- Toronto and
Ontario Tour 1991 Stephen
Wadsworth/Danny Beckwith
L’Umana Fragilita / Anfinomo – Il
Ritorno D’Ulisse
Canadian Opera Company Ensemble
Imperial Opera Theatre-Toronto-1989
Hans Nieuwenhuis/*

Mozart

*Third lady – Die Zauberflote
Edmonton Opera 1992*

*Cherubino – Le Nozze di Figaro
Canadian Opera Company- Eastern
Canada Tour-1990- Duncan
McIntosh/Georg Tintner*

*Marcellina—Le Nozze di Figaro
Pacific Opera –Victoria
2003 Tom Diamond/Timothy Vernon*

Offenbach

*Nicklausse – Tales of Hoffmann
Canadian Opera Company Western
Canada Tour- 1988 Hans
Nieuwenhuis/Derek Bate*

Puccini

*Suzuki-Madama Butterfly
Manitoba Opera-1998 Brian
Deedrick/Tyrone Patterson*

*Mississauga Opera-1998- Valerie
Kuinka/Dwight Bennet*

Poulenc

*Sister Mathilde-Les Dialogues des
Carmelites
Vancouver Opera-1992 David Agler
conductor*

Rossini

*Berta /Rosina cover– Il Barbiere di
Siviglia
Vancouver Opera-1991 Christopher
Newton/conductor?
Ottawa Opera Lyra-2007 David
Gately/Conductor/Francesco di Mauro
Rosina-Opera East Tom Diamond/David
Speers
Wolfville/Halifax, Nova Scotia 1989*

Smetana

*Hata – The Bartered Bride
Merola Program-San Francisco Opera
1991*

Strauss, R.

*The Page – Salome-Calgary Opera-1990
Gaia-Daphne-2008 David Walsh/Mario
Bernardi
Dryade-Ariadne auf Naxos-Calgary
Opera 2009 Kelly Robinson/David Agler*

Stravinsky

*Mother Goose-The Rakes Progress
2009 Glynis Leyshon/Timothy Vernon*

Tchaikovsky

*Madame Larina-Eugene Onegin Pacific
Opera Victoria 2005 Glynis Leyshon/
Timothy Vernon*

Verdi

*Lady in Waiting-Macbeth
Pacific Opera Victoria 2013 Morris
Panych/Timothy Vernon
Fenena – Nabucco
Edmonton Opera-1996 Irving
Guttman/David Agler
Maddelena – Rigoletto
Vancouver Opera-1992 Kelly Robinson/
Flora – La Traviata
Merola-San Francisco Opera 1991
Mississauga Opera-1996 Dwight
Bennett
Emilia cover-Otello Lotfi Mansouri*

Canadian Opera Company-1990

Wagner

Mary – *Der Fliegende Hollander*

Calgary Opera-1992 Laurie

Feldman/David Speers

Pacific Opera-2011 Glynis

Leyshon/Timothy Vernon

Rogers and Hammerstein-South Pacific-

Bloody Mary (role) Directed by Brian

Deedrick- Alison Grant/ Peter Dala

Wizard of Oz—Dorothy –Humanities

Theatre, University of Waterloo

Director: Michael Fletcher 1982

Plays: with music: **Premiere of the new musical –The Life Inside-** 2011. The

Laundress -The Belfry Theatre Victoria

Directed by James Fagan Tait

Smalltown-The Musical The Mayor

Theatre SKAM, 2011 Victoria Fringe

Festival

Directed by Matthew Payne

The Ring in Ten-wrote, produced,

directed two-hander for Bike Ride

Theatre SKAM Victoria 2014

Concert work with Orchestra

Beethoven

Symphony No. 9

Boris Brott Summer Festival

Boris Brott conductor

Hamilton Place-2000

Vancouver Symphony 2011

Andrew Grams conductor

Handel

Messiah

Cellar Singers-Orillia1991

Albert Greer conductor

Peterborough Singers1996

Sidney Birrell conductor

Bach Elgar Choir-Hamilton2003

Ian Sadler , conductor

Verdi

Requiem

Bach Elgar Choir-Hamilton Place-2004

Victoria Symphony-2011

Tania Miller Conductor

Brahms

Alto Rhapsody

Victoria Scholars-Toronto-2002

Bach

St. Matthew Passion

Cellar Singers-Orillia1990

Albert Greer

Wilfrid Laurier Singers-Kitchener 2002

Bach Elgar Choir, Hamilton 2005

Ian Sadler

Dvorak

Stabat Mater
 Victoria Symphony
 Giuseppe Pietraroia Conductor

Mozart

Requiem
 Saugeen Bach Festival
 Michael Schmidt conductor

Kitchener Waterloo-1987

World Premiere-Afghanistan-War

Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra-2012 &
 2017

Roberto Minczuk Conductor
 Vancouver Symphony, Bramwell Tovey
 Conductor 2018

Requiem by Jeffery Ryan
 Alto soloist

Maria De Buenos Airies

Victoria Symphony 2006

Christmas Pops

Victoria Symphony 2019

Soloist

Sean O'Loughlin , Conductor

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Music Theatre: Tribute to Richard Rodger

Soloist-Hamilton Philharmonic-2001

Engaged By

Astoria Music Festival
 Boris Brott Summer Festival
 Calgary Opera
 Canadian Opera Company
 Edmonton Opera
 Elora Festival
 Hamilton Philharmonic
 Kingston Symphony
 Manitoba Opera
 Nova Scotia Symphony
 Opera in Concert
 Opera East

Palm Court Orchestra
 Peterborough Singers
 Regina Symphony
 San Francisco Opera
 Saskatoon Symphony
 Tapestry New Works
 Vancouver Opera
 Victoria Scholars
 Victoria Symphony
 Vancouver Symphony

Opera Lyra, Ottawa
 Opera Mississauga
 Opera Saskatchewan
 Pacific Opera Victoria

New Opera Roles Created

The Incredible Glory of Robert Sharpe

Tom Diamond - director

Produced by the Canadian Opera Co.

Opera to Go – Opera Festival 2002

Banuta Rubess - director / Wayne Strongman - conductor

Produced by Tapestry New Opera Works

Final Workshop-***Lillian Alling*** Role: Irene-composer John Estacio/librettist-John Murrell

Dramaturge-Kelly Robinson 2010

Phantom of the Opera Toronto Cast 1993-1996

Swing-I was a professional cover and was responsible for 7 roles in that production, including the leading role of Madame Giry, Ballet Mistress.

Self Produced Cabaret, plays with music and touring shows:

Wine, Women and Song – Two hander 1997 to 1999

Tales for a Winters Night - One Woman Show - 2001

Wanna Sing a Showtune- One Woman Show-2004 to 2008

Impressions of Emily Carr- 2006/2011

Metis -My story in music and images – 2018-19

Education

Wilfrid Laurier University

Honors Bachelor of Music

Voice instructor: David Falk

1982-1986

Opera Diploma

Voice Instructor: David Falk

1986-1987

Training

Music and Performing

Honors Bachelor of Music---Major in Vocal performance Wilfrid Laurier University 1983-87

Canadian Opera co. Ensemble Member 1987-1991

San Francisco Opera Merola Program 1991