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Recent Concerts and Recitals

Recital	Works by Mahler, Britten, et al.	University of Victoria (guest artist)	Sep. 2007
Mendelssohn	<i>Elijah</i>	Orchestra Seattle/Seattle Chamber Singers	Oct. 2007
Recitals	Works by Mahler and Brahms	Annas Bay Music Festival	Oct. 2007
Handel	<i>Messiah</i>	Orchestra Seattle/Seattle Chamber Singers	Dec. 2007
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Golijov	<i>How Slow the Wind</i>	Banff Centre Summer Arts Festival	2007
Ravel	<i>Chansons Madécasses</i>	Banff Centre Summer Arts Festival	2007
Bach	<i>St. Matthew Passion</i>	Orchestra Seattle/Seattle Chamber Singers	2007
Handel	<i>Messiah</i>	Bellevue Philharmonic Orchestra	2006
Bach	<i>Magnificat</i>	Orchestra Seattle/Seattle Chamber Singers	2006
Bach	<i>B Minor Mass</i>	Orchestra Seattle/Seattle Chamber Singers	2006
JC Bach	<i>Ach, daß ich wassers gnug</i>	Town Hall Bach Marathon	2006
Recital	works by Wagner and Debussy	Sponsored by Sherman Clay Pianos, Seattle	2006
Handel	<i>Messiah</i>	Skagit Opera Orchestra	2005
Mozart	<i>Requiem</i>	Orchestra Seattle/Seattle Chamber Singers	2005
Bizet	<i>Carmen</i> (semi-staged excerpts)	Seattle Symphony	2005
Recital	works by Ravel, Duparc, Debussy	Sponsored by Ladies' Musical Club of Seattle	2005
Mozart	<i>Requiem</i>	Columbia Chorale of Oregon	2005
Recital tour	works by Britten, Ravel, Brahms	Sponsored by Ladies' Musical Club of Seattle	2004
John Cage	<i>Aria</i>	Seattle New Music Ensemble	2004
Schönberg	<i>Pierrot Lunaire</i>	Seattle New Music Ensemble	2003
Bach	<i>St. John Passion</i>	Seattle Choral Company	2003
Vivaldi	<i>Magnificat</i>	Seattle Choral Company	2002
Handel	<i>Messiah</i>	Seattle Choral Company	2002
Copland	<i>In the Beginning</i>	The Esoterics vocal ensemble	2000

Opera Roles (selected)*

Donna Elvira	<i>Don Giovanni</i>	Northwest Puppet Center	April 2008
Rosina	<i>The Barber of Seville</i>	Northwest Opera in Schools, Etc.	2007
Damigella	<i>L'Incoronazione di Poppea</i>	Seattle Early Music Guild	2007
Nicklausse/Muse	<i>Les Contes d'Hoffmann</i>	Bellevue Opera	2006
Hansel	<i>Hansel and Gretel</i>	Kitsap Opera (Washington)	2005
Second Lady	<i>The Magic Flute</i>	Skagit Opera	2005

*Complete opera resume available upon request

Awards and Honors

1 st place – Seattle Musical Art Society Competition, 2006	3 rd place – Sun Valley Opera Competition, 2006
1 st place – Ladies' Musical Club Competition/Tour, 2004	1 st place – Seattle G&S Society Competition, 2002

Education and Training

The Banff Centre, Canada	Opera as Theatre Program	Summer 2007
Indiana University, Bloomington	Master of Music in piano performance	
University of Victoria, British Columbia	Bachelor of Music with distinction, piano performance	

Teachers

Jane Eaglen (current)
Judith Forst
Tracy Dahl

Coaches

Dean Williamson
Phil Kelsey
Robin Wheeler

Directors

Erich Parce
Kelly Robinson
Kristine McIntyre

Conductors

Christian Knapp
Fusao Kajima
Alexander Platt