

The Minnesota OPERA

2009–2010 RESIDENT ARTIST PROGRAM PIANIST/COACH APPLICATION FORM

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____

ZIP _____

DAY PHONE _____

EVENING PHONE _____

CELL PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____

U.S. CITIZEN? ___ If you are not a U.S. citizen, what valid work authorization can you provide to prove your ability to work legally in this country? _____

Have you ever auditioned for this program before? ___ If so, year and location? _____

Please indicate location and date preference for audition:

MINNEAPOLIS, MN

November 5, 6, 7 & 8, 2008

application must be received by Oct. 22

NEW YORK, NY

November 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19 & 20, 2008

application must be received by Nov. 5

AUDITION REQUIREMENTS (Music will be sent upon receipt of application)

PLAY AND SING

Puccini *La bohème*: beginning until entrance of Schaunard (Schirmer pp. 1–21) – play and sing all parts

Mozart *The Marriage of Figaro*: Act I: entrance of Basilio through the end of trio (Almaviva, Susanna, Basilio) (Schirmer pp. 78–99)

Donizetti *Roberto Devereux*: Act III scena and aria finale to *moderato* (Ricordi pp. 134–139)

Argento *Casanova's Homecoming*: Madame d'Urfe's Lament (Boosey & Hawkes pp. 158–165)

SIGHTREADING:

Applicants may be asked to sightread, conduct and coach.

Please remember to keep a copy of this application for your records.

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Please complete information below for two recognized opera professionals (teachers, coaches, etc.) as references. (Letters of recommendation are not necessary.)

NAME

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ASSOCIATION TO APPLICANT

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ADDRESS

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CITY STATE ZIP

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EMAIL

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PHONE

PHONE

Where did you learn about this program? _____

Application must include:

- Completed application form
- Résumé
- Current photograph
- Two professional references with phone numbers and addresses (letters are not necessary)
- Self-addressed, stamped business-size envelope
- Application fee

Please indicate your payment method:

- My check for \$35 is enclosed, payable to The Minnesota Opera
- Please charge \$35 to my VISA/MC AMEX DISCOVER/NOVUS

Account number _____ Exp. date _____

Signature _____

Please remember to keep a copy of this application for your records.

Incomplete audition packets will not be accepted.

Please send this completed application form and the items on the checklist above to:

THE MINNESOTA OPERA
ATTN: RESIDENT ARTIST PROGRAM
620 NORTH FIRST STREET
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401