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# SCHMIDT VOCAL COMPETITION

University of Nevada-Las Vegas  
Saturday, November 21, 2020

The Schmidt Vocal Competition is pleased and honored to partner with The University of Nevada-Las Vegas. Our ability to provide an exceptional vocal competition experience is reliant on our host institution partners. The Vocal Division of UNLV School of Music prepares vocal students to begin a professional career in performance or music education. Its degree in vocal performance also provides thorough preparation for further study in music at the graduate levels. UNLV graduates continue to be accepted at all major conservatories and universities throughout the world and are currently performing in opera houses, concert halls, Broadway shows, and other popular genres nationally and internationally.

## Competition Awards

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| First Place              | \$2,500 |
| Second Place             | \$2,000 |
| Third Place              | \$1,500 |
| Finalists                | \$250   |
| Most Promising Sophomore | \$100   |
| Encouragement Award(s)   | \$100   |

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# Adjudicators/ Master Class Clinicians

**ALFONSE ANDERSON:** Dr. Alfonse Anderson, tenor and Professor of Voice is at the University of Nevada Las Vegas. He has performed in opera, recital and concerts for over 45 years. In the United States and Europe he has performed with such notable organizations as the Houston Grand Opera, Teatro Colon Buenos Aires, Teatro Municipal Sao Paulo, Teatro Sols Montevideo, Arizona Opera, Des Moines Metro Opera, Minnesota Opera, Chicago Opera Theatre, Oakland Opera, Virginia Opera, Opera Francais, Opera South, Opera Columbus, Opera North and Opera Las Vegas. Dr. Anderson has performed in concert and oratorio with the National Symphony Orchestra at the Kennedy Center and in the National Cathedral in Washington DC, Chautauqua Symphony, Illinois Symphony, Grant Park Orchestra in Chicago, Warsaw Symphony and Krakow Symphony in Poland, Las Vegas Philharmonic and the Henderson Symphony. He has taught voice for over 30 years and in that time his students have won international, national and regional vocal competitions with such notable organizations as the MET Opera, NATSAA, Leontyne Price, Marian Anderson, Mario Lanza, Montserrat Cabellé, Meistersinger, Opera Index, Belvedere and Palm Spring Vocal Competition to name a few. Many of his students have performed in young Artist Programs such as the internationally recognized Academy of Vocal Arts in Philadelphia, Institute for Dramatic Voices, Aspen Musical Festival, San Francisco Opera, Florida Grand, American Institute of Musical Studies, Opera Theatre of St. Louis, LA Opera, Miami, Chautauqua Opera, Des Moines Opera, Opera North, Sarasota Opera, Mirella Freni CUBEC program. Dr. Anderson also has served as a master vocal clinician throughout the US and Europe.

**KATHRYN HARTGROVE:** Kathryn Hartgrove has been heard throughout the United States, South America, and Europe. She has performed with the Lyric Opera of Kansas City, San Francisco Opera, New York City Opera's National Tour, Chicago Opera Theater, Łodz National Opera of Poland, Chamber Opera of Chicago, Piedmont Opera Theater, Opera Maine, the Istanbul National Symphony, the Pesaro Chamber Orchestra, the Grant Park Symphony, the Dimitria Festival in Greece, the Pasqua Festival in Italy, the Trujillo Bach Festival in Peru, the Atelier Concert Series in France, the Krakow Opera House, and presented Pierrot Lunaire in Nuremberg, Germany. Ms. Hartgrove has given masterclasses in festivals and universities in Alabama, Minnesota, Ohio, Michigan, Texas, Iowa, Utah, Tennessee, Montana, Hawai'i, Indiana, Boston, Peru, Greece, Brazil, and Italy. She is one of the co-founders and the Artistic Director of Festival of International Opera in Italia with the 2020 season slated for Italy. Her students have sung with major houses and orchestras in the United States, Europe, Brazil, and Mexico and have won major awards and competitions. Ms. Hartgrove is an Associate Professor of voice and the voice coordinator at Georgia State University.

**MARY STUCKY:** Mary Stucky is Professor Emerita of Voice at the College-Conservatory of Music of the University of Cincinnati. Her solo operatic career took place in the European theaters of Bern (Switzerland), Hagen (Germany), and Ghent (Belgium), among others. In the United States she has sung with the Chautauqua Opera and Opera South. She has sung in recital and oratorio in Europe and in the United States. Mary Stucky earned the Bachelor and Master of Music degrees at the Eastman School of Music of the University of Rochester, and studied further at the Staatliche Hochschule für Musik in Cologne, Germany. She also pursued studies in German at the University of Cologne. Mary Stucky taught vocal and chamber music at Washington University in St. Louis, where she was Artist-in-Residence in 1982-1990. She has also served as a member of the faculty of the Syracuse University L'École Hindemith in Switzerland, the International Institute of Advanced Vocal Studies in Paris, and the St. Louis Conservatory of Music. She has taught vocal master classes at Shandong University in China, and at Ewha Woman's University in Korea. She served as a Master Teacher at the 2019 NATS Intern Program in Boston. Her students have sung roles with the San Francisco Opera, Cincinnati Opera, Frankfurt Opera (Germany) and the Metropolitan Opera, among others.

**Christian Abbo, Senior**

Die Post  
Where'er You Walk

**Lauren Albano, Senior**

Almen se non poss'io  
Worthwhile

**Arya Balian, Junior**

Le violette  
Der Nussbaum

**Molly Beetem, Senior**

Sure on this shining night  
Per la gloria d'adorarvi

**Meg Booker, Senior**

Si mes vers avaient des ailes  
O Had I Jubal's Lyre

**Calista Case, Junior**

Zdes' khorosho  
Ridente la calma

**Miraya Choudhury, Senior**

Lusinghe più care  
Ach, ich fühl's

**Alexandra Cook, Senior**

Mein Herr Marquis  
Ouvre ton coeur

**Nathaniel Corthell, Senior**

Vainement, ma bien-aimée  
O del mio amato ben

**Hannah Cummings, Senior**

Ach, ich fühls  
Love is a Plaintive Song

**Clark Deumie-Gillio, Junior**

Die Forelle  
Linden Lea

**Eniya Fields, Junior**

O del mio dolce ardor  
The Awakening

**Corrie Fleming, Sophomore**

Che fiero costume  
Adieu

**Eloise Fox, Junior**

Liebst du um Schönheit  
Quella fiamma che m'accende

**Analia Freyer, Sophomore**

Un moto di gioja  
The Ash Grove

**Las Vegas, NV**

Franz Schubert  
G.F. Handel

**Metairie, LA**

Vincenzo Bellini  
H.T. Burleigh

**Chevy Chase, MD**

Alessandro Scarlatti  
Robert Schumann

**New Concord, OH**

Samuel Barber  
Giovanni Battista Bononcini

**Louisville, KY**

Reynaldo Hahn  
G.F. Handel

**Lexington, KY**

Sergei Rachmaninoff  
W.A. Mozart

**Livermore, CA**

G.F. Handel  
W.A. Mozart

**Trabuco Canyon, CA**

Johann Strauss  
Georges Bizet

**Boulder City, NV**

Édouard Lalo  
Stefano Donaudy

**Valley center, CA**

W.A. Mozart  
Gilbert & Sullivan

**Homestead, FL**

Franz Schubert  
Ralph Vaughan Williams

**Godfrey, IL**

C.W. Gluck  
Eric Coates

**Sammamish, WA**

Giovanni Legrenzi  
Gabriel Fauré

**Landenberg, PA**

Robert Schumann  
Benedetto Marcello

**Miami, FL**

W.A. Mozart  
Benjamin Britten

**Briana Johnson, Senior**

Hark! The Echoing Air  
Du bist die Ruh

**Daniel Kang, Senior**

Non t'amo piu  
Ich grolle nicht

**Audrey Logan, Senior**

Intorno all'idol mio  
Mandoline

**Clara Mendez, Junior**

Durch Zärtlichkeit und Schmeicheln  
Pie Jesu

**Chloe Mizantzidi, Junior**

American Lullaby  
Tis Kopelas to Nero (The Girl's Water)

**Madeline Park, Sophomore**

In amor ci vuol ardir  
American Lullaby

**Mimi Peters, Senior**

Deh vieni, non tardar  
The Year's At The Spring

**Neha Ramani, Junior**

Hark! The Echoing Air  
Après un rêve

**Anne Ruhland, Senior**

Do not go, my love  
Come raggio di sol

**Mia Ruhman, Senior**

Come raggio di sol  
Pietà, Signore

**Meera Sriram, Junior**

All mein Gedanken  
Willow Song

**Andrew Tran, Senior**

Spirate, pur spirate  
Der Wegweiser

**Gloree Wood, Junior**

Come and Trip It  
Lachen und weinen

**Flora Yuan, Junior**

O del mio dolce ardor  
Laurie's Song

**Skylar Zaugg, Sophomore**

O mio babbino caro  
Der hölle Rache

**Louisville, KY**

Henry Purcell  
Franz Schubert

**Vernon Hills, IL**

Paolo Tosti  
Robert Schumann

**McDonald, PA**

Antonio Cesti  
Claude Debussy

**North Salt Lake, UT**

W.A. Mozart  
Gabriel Fauré

**Salt Lake City, UT**

Gladys Rich  
Spyridon Samaras

**Phoenix, AZ**

Antonia Bembo  
Gladys Rich

**Louisville, KY**

W.A. Mozart  
Amy Beach

**Sammamish, WA**

Henry Purcell  
Gabriel Fauré

**Seattle, WA**

Richard Hageman  
Antonio Caldara

**Pacific Palisades, CA**

C.W. Gluck  
prev. attr. Alessandro Stradella

**Irvine, CA**

Johann Strauss  
Douglas Moore

**Louisville, KY**

Stefano Donaudy  
Franz Schubert

**Benton, KY**

G.F. Handel  
Franz Schubert

**San Diego, CA**

C.W. Gluck  
Aaron Copland

**Henderson, NV**

Giacomo Puccini  
W.A. Mozart