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GEORGIA

DISTRICT AUDITIONS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2020

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National Semifinals

Sunday, May 9, 2021

Grand Finals Concert

Sunday, May 16, 2021

The Semifinals and Grand Finals are currently scheduled to take place at the Met. We are closely monitoring the COVID-19 pandemic and will make alternate arrangements in compliance with any and all necessary safety and health regulations in place during the spring of 2021.

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NATIONAL COUNCIL AUDITIONS

The Metropolitan Opera National Council Auditions program cultivates young opera singers and assists in the development of their careers. The Auditions are held annually in 39 districts and 12 regions of the United States, Canada, and Mexico—all administered by dedicated National Council members and volunteers. Winners of the region auditions advance to compete in the national semifinals. National finalists are then selected and compete in the Grand Finals Concert. During the 2020–21 season, the auditions are being held virtually via livestream. Singers compete for prize money and receive feedback from judges at all levels of the competition.

Many of the world’s greatest singers, among them Lawrence Brownlee, Anthony Roth Costanzo, Renée Fleming, Lisette Oropesa, Eric Owens, and Frederica von Stade, have won the Auditions. More than 100 former auditioners appear on the Met roster each season.

The National Council is grateful to its donors for prizes at the national level and to the Tobin Endowment for the Mrs. Edgar Tobin Award, given to each first-place region winner.

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Education Fund grants are available to contestants of the National Council Auditions who reach the semifinal round or further and demonstrate improved skills in a follow-up audition; each eligible contestant may be granted a total of up to \$5,000 upon multiple hearings within three years from when the contestant competed in the National Council Semifinals.

To learn more about donating to the National Council Auditions or the Education Fund, please visit metopera.org/MONCSupport.

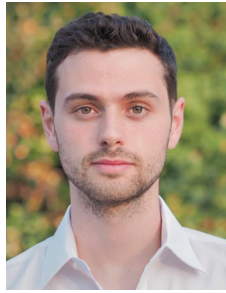
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Susanne Burgess



Jack Canfield



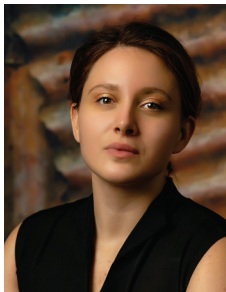
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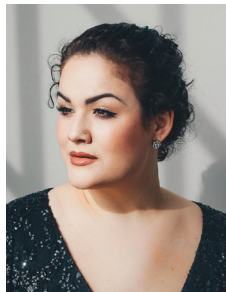
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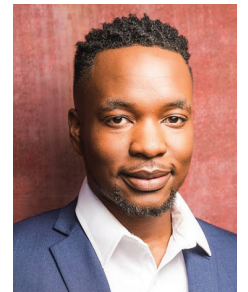
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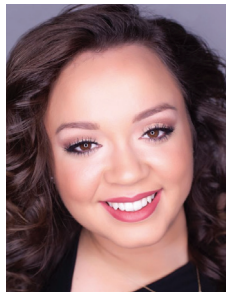
Zabriel Rivers



Alicia Russell



Kate Smith



Coraine Tate



Griffen Hogan Tracy



Tevin Vincent



Ariana Warren



David Young

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IN PERFORMANCE ORDER

MYAH ROSE PADEN, MEZZO-SOPRANO, 23

COLUMBUS, GA

Cruda sorte!	L'ITALIANA IN ALGERI	Rossini
Va! laisse couler mes larmes	WERTHER	Massenet
Chacun à son goût	DIE FLEDERMAUS	J. Strauss
Près des remparts de Séville	CARMEN	Bizet

KATE SMITH, SOPRANO, 24

KNOXVILLE, TN

Come scoglio	COSÌ FAN TUTTE	Mozart
Mi chiamano Mimì	LA BOHÈME	Puccini
After you hear me out	GLORY DENIED	Cipullo
Il est doux, il est bon	HÉRODIADE	Massenet

TEVIN VINCENT, BARITONE, 29

SALISBURY, NC

Mein Sehnen, mein Wähnen	DIE TOTE STADT	Korngold
È fra quest'ansie	PAGLIACCI	Leoncavallo
Avant de quitter ces lieux	FAUST	Gounod
A woman is a sometime thing	PORGY AND BESS	Gershwin

KATHLEEN FELTY, MEZZO-SOPRANO, 28

LUBBOCK, TX

Wie du Warst	DER ROSENKAVALIER	R. Strauss
Da chas nastal	JOAN OF ARC	Tchaikovsky
All'afflitto è dolce il pianto	ROBERTO DEVEREUX	Donizetti
Svegliatevi nel core	GIULIO CESARE	Handel

PAGE MICHELS, SOPRANO, 24

PORTLAND, OR

Furie terribili	RINALDO	Handel
Depuis le jour	LOUISE	Charpentier
Embroidery in childhood	PETER GRIMES	Britten
Glück das mir verblieb	DIE TOTE STADT	Korngold

DAVID YOUNG, TENOR, 22

HOUSTON, TX

Miles!	THE TURN OF THE SCREW	Britten
Dein ist mein ganzes Herz	DAS LAND DES LÄCHELNS	Lehár
Che beltà, che leggiadria	LA FINTA GIARDINIERA	Mozart
Vainement, ma bien aimée	LE ROI D'YS	Lalo

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SHANNON KEEGAN, MEZZO-SOPRANO, 23

NAPERVILLE, IL

O petite étoile	L'ÉTOILE	Chabrier
Svegliatevi nel core	GIULIO CESARE	Handel
Don't bother, Dear	DINNER AT EIGHT	Bolcom
Voi che sapete	LE NOZZE DI FIGARO	Mozart

Coraine Tate, Soprano, 29

Columbus, GA

Klänge der Heimat	DIE FLEDERMAUS	Strauss
Porgi amor	LE NOZZE DI FIGARO	Mozart
Ah! Je ris	FAUST	Gounod
I want magic!	A STREETCAR NAMED DESIRE	Previn

Jack Canfield, Baritone, 28

Atlanta, GA

O vin, dissipe la tristesse	HAMLET	Thomas
Largo al factotum	IL BARBIERE DI SIVIGLIA	Rossini
There was a knight once	LITTLE WOMEN	Adamo
È fra quest'ansie	PAGLIACCI	Leoncavallo

Zabriel Rivers, Countertenor, 24

Saint Helena Island, SC

Addio, addio o miei sospiri	ORFEO ED EURIDICE	Gluck
Dawn, still darkness	FLIGHT	Dove
Vivi, tiranno	RODELINDA	Handel
Deh, per questo istante solo	LA CLEMENZA DI TITO	Mozart

Susanne Burgess, Soprano, 29

New York, NY

Ah forse lui... Sempre libera	LA TRAVIATA	Verdi
Embroidery in childhood	PETER GRIMES	Britten
Ch'il bel sogno di Doretta	LA RONDINE	Puccini
I want magic	A STREETCAR NAMED DESIRE	Previn

Nicholas Carratura, Tenor, 29

Front Royal, VA

Dein ist mein ganzes Herz	DAS LAND DES LÄCHELNS	Lehár
Fuor del mar	IDOMENEO	Mozart
È la solita storia del pastore	L'ARLESIANA	Cilea
It's about the way people is made	SUSANNAH	Floyd

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Griffen Hogan Tracy, Bass, 27		Golden, CO
Il lacerato spirito	SIMON BOCCANEGRA	Verdi
I'm a lonely man, Susannah	SUSANNAH	Floyd
Lyubvi vse vozrastı pokorniı	EUGENE ONEGIN	Tchaikovsky
Solche hergelaufne Laffen	DIE ENTFÜHRUNG AUS DEM SERAIL	Mozart

Ariana Warren, Mezzo-Soprano, 26		East Northport, NY
O, mio Fernando	LA FAVORITA	Donizetti
Ces lettres	WERTHER	Massenet
This journey	DEAD MAN WALKING	Heggie
Stella del marinar	LA GIOCONDA	Ponchielli

Alicia Russell, Soprano, 26		Asheville, NC
No word from Tom	THE RAKE'S PROGRESS	Stravinsky
Mi tradi quell'alma ingrata	DON GIOVANNI	Mozart
Amour, ranime mon courage	ROMÉO ET JULIETTE	Gounod
Quando me'n vo	LA BOHÈME	Puccini

Connor Dalton, Baritone, 24		Asheville, NC
Hai già vinta la causa	LE NOZZE DO FIGARO	Mozart
Mein Sehnen, mein Wähnen	DIE TOTE STADT	Korngold
Largo al factotum	IL BARBIERE DI SIVIGLIA	Rossini
Avant de quitter ces lieux	FAUST	Gounod

Rebecca Achtenberg, Soprano, 28		Kansas City, MO
Transport from Holland	OUT OF DARKNESS	Heggie
Ah! Je ris	FAUST	Gounod
Ach, ich fühl's	DIE ZAUBERFLÖTE	Mozart
Donde lieta uscì	LA BOHÈME	Puccini

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