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ROLES

Isifile	<i>Il Giasone</i>	Queens College	2024
Gretel	<i>Hänsel und Gretel</i>	Queens College	2024
Jane Dough	<i>Ice-ing on the Cake</i>	La Senta Opera Company	2024, 2023
Morgana	<i>Alcina</i>	Saluzzo Opera Academy, Queens College	2024, 2023
Scarlet O'Hara **	<i>Lovers on the Balcony</i>	Brooklyn Musical Theater Workshop	2023
Zweite Dame	<i>Die Zauberflöte</i>	Queens Summer Vocal Institute	2023
Fairy, Spring, Chorus	<i>The Fairy Queen</i>	Baroque Opera Workshop	2023
Zerlina*	<i>Don Giovanni</i>	Berlin Opera Academy	2019

CONCERT SOLOIST

8 Poems of Emily Dickinson for voice and chamber orchestra by Aaron Copland	Queens College	2025
The Past is Now for soprano and string orchestra by Joel Mandelbaum	Queens College	2023
Lyrics for soprano and violin by Bruce Saylor	Manhattan Contemporary Chamber Ensemble	2024
Frost and Snow, song cycle by Bruce Saylor (premiere)	Queens College	2023
A Festival of Psalms by David Briggs and Kerensa Briggs (premiere)	Church of the Heavenly Rest, NYC	2023
Craigslustlieder by Gabriel Kahane	La Senta Opera Company, NYC	2023
Performance of the album PROTO by Holly Herndon	Singapore International Festival of the Arts	2022
Fantas Variation for Voices by Evelyn Saylor (premiere)	Queen Elizabeth Hall (London), Amare Concertzaal (The Hague), dasWerk (Vienna)	2022
Fauré Requiem (Pie Jesu)	Church of the Heavenly Rest, NYC	2021
Mendelssohn's Elijah	Bridges Hall of Music, Claremont, CA	2017

PROFESSIONAL CHORAL EXPERIENCE

Church of the Heavenly Rest, NYC	Soprano section leader for services	2020-Present
Camerata Vocale, Berlin, Germany	Section leader for Mendelssohn's Elias at the Philharmonie Berlin	2022
St. George's Choral Society	Soprano section leader for Poulenc's <i>Gloria</i> at Lincoln Center	2019

AWARDS

Concerto Competition Winner;	2024
Bach Competition Winner (Second Place)	
Aaron Copland School of Music at Queens College	
Gordon A. Hogan Memorial Prize for achievements as a singer and member of the Pomona College Choir and Glee Club and service to the Music Department	2018
Pomona College	

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

M.M.	Aaron Copland School of Music	Fall 2024
B.A.	Pomona College	2018

PRIVATE STUDY

Dr. Sherry Overholt	current teacher
Ursula Kleinecke	teacher 2014-2018

CONDUCTORS AND DIRECTORS

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*not performed due to covid **
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