

Samantha Staggs

Lyric Soprano

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Opera:

Suor Angelica	Suor Angelica	Emerald City Opera Institute	2010
Musetta (cover)	La Boheme	Emerald City Opera Institute	2010
Rosalinde	Die Fledermaus	DePaul School of Music	2010
Juno, Queen of the Gods	Il Ritorno D'Ullisse in Patria	DePaul School of Music	2009
Mother	Hansel & Gretel	DePaul School of Music	2009
Annina	La Traviata	Emerald City Opera	2008
Musetta	La Boheme	Lamont School of Music	2007
Valetto	L'Incoronazione di Poppea	Intl. Institute of Vocal Arts	2006
Damigella (cover)	L'Incoronazione di Poppea	Intl. Institute of Vocal Arts	2006
Annina	La Traviata	Intl. Institute of Vocal Arts	2006
Kate Pinkerton	Madama Butterfly	Opera Fort Collins	2004
Barbarina	Le Nozze di Figaro	Lamont School of Music	2004
Second Spirit	Die Zauberflöte	Opera Fort Collins	2003
Annina (cover)	La Traviata	Opera Fort Collins	2001

Professional Chorus:

Chorus	Rusalka	Opera Colorado	Feb 2011
Chorus	La Boheme	Opera Colorado	2010
Chorus	Carmen	Emerald City Opera	2010
Chorus	Tosca	Opera Fort Collins	2009
Chorus	Der Fliegende Holländer	Opera Colorado	2008
Chorus	La Traviata	Opera Colorado	2007
Chorus	Candide	Opera Fort Collins	2002
Chorus	La Traviata	Opera Fort Collins	2001
Chorus	Tosca	Opera Fort Collins	2000
Chorus	Susannah	Opera Fort Collins	1999
Chorus	Faust	Opera Fort Collins	1998

Training Programs:

Emerald City Opera Artist Institute	Steamboat Springs, Colorado	2010 / 2008
Musica Nella Marche	Urbania, Italy	2009
International Institute of Vocal Arts	Chiari, Italy	2008 / 2006
VOICEperience	Walt Disney World, Florida	2007
Songfest/Florestan Project	Malibu, California	2007

Education:

DePaul University School of Music	MM in Vocal Performance	2008 – 2010
University of Denver Lamont School of Music	BM in Classical Voice Performance	2003 – 2007

Voice Teachers:

Jane Bunnell
Elizabeth Byrne
Catherine Kasch
Mark Schnaible
Joan Volek Gersten
Elizabeth Elliott

Coaches:

Steven Aguilo Arbues
Ruth 'Sissy' Baker
Linda Hirt
Nicholas Hutchinson
Alban K. Bridges
Kevin Kennedy

Conductors:

Eric Weimer
Julian Dawson
Wes Kenney
Lawrence Golan
Rolando Garza
Bruno Rigacci

Directors:

Katurah Stickann
Harry Silverstein
Amy Hutchison
Brian Ludloff
Peter Anthony
Sarah Meyers

Masterclasses:

Steven Goldstein Keith Miller Julia Bentley Susanne Mentzer Charles Edwin Taylor

Dance Experience:

East/West Coast Swing 5 years Ballroom 2 years Modern 2 years Ballet 2 years