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Chorus Auditions

2012-2013
Season

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Lyric Opera of Chicago is holding chorus auditions
in all voice categories for singers who
are prepared for professional careers

General Director: **Anthony Freud**

Music Director: **Sir Andrew Davis**

Creative Consultant: **Renée Fleming**

Chorus Master: **Martin Wright**



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Preliminary Auditions

Monday, March 12, 2012	3:00 – 6:00 PM
Tuesday, March 13, 2012	4:00 – 8:00 PM
Wednesday, March 14, 2012	3:00 – 6:00 PM
Thursday, March 15, 2012	7:00 – 9:00 PM
Friday, March 16, 2012	3:00 – 6:00 PM
Saturday, March 17, 2012	11:00 AM – 3:00 PM <i>(for out-of-town auditionees only)</i>

Callback Auditions *(if necessary)*

Saturday, March 17, 2012 4:00 – 6:00 PM

Auditions By Invitation Only:

Deadline: Thursday, March 1, 2012

Singers should send a:

- Current résumé
- Photo
- Letter that states your first, second, and third choices for audition times
- Letter of recommendation from a recognized musical authority other than your private voice teacher

to: choraud@lyricopera.org or Chorus Auditions Coordinator
 Lyric Opera of Chicago
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Audition Requirements:

- **TWO OPERATIC ARIAS *(memorized)*:**
 - ~ One aria, preferably both, must be in a foreign language; however, one aria may be in English if you so choose.
 - ~ Lyric Opera of Chicago will furnish an accompanist. You must provide a legible copy of each aria, in the correct key.
- **PLEASE BE PREPARED TO SIGHT READ**
- **PROOF OF UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP; PERMANENT RESIDENCY;**
 - ~ or possess, at the time of the audition, legal permission to work in the United States of America during the rehearsal and performance period.

Please note that guests will not be permitted into the audition site.

Lyric Opera of Chicago employs a professional chorus under a union contract and pays competitive wages. You need not be a union member to audition.

Regular Chorus:

Musical rehearsals will begin in August 2012, with staging rehearsals beginning in September. A full (tentative) schedule will be provided prior to the commencement of rehearsals. The 2012-2013 performance season runs from October 6, 2012, through March 31, 2013.

Supplementary Chorus:

Musical rehearsals will begin in August 2012, with staging rehearsals beginning in September. Musical rehearsals involving the supplementary chorus are scheduled on weekdays in the late afternoon and evenings. Once staging begins, there will also be weekend rehearsals. A full (tentative) schedule of rehearsals and performances will be provided prior to the commencement of rehearsals. The 2012-2013 performance season runs from October 6, 2012, through March 31, 2013.

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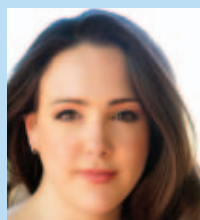
Giuseppe Filianoti



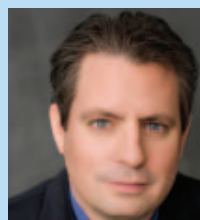
Renée Fleming



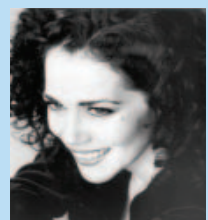
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