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Training

2023 Longborough Festival Opera Emerging Artist
2020–23 MPerf Vocal Studies (Distinction), Guildhall School of Music & Drama.
2013–17 BA Hons (First Class), German and Italian, Oxford University.

Teacher Robert Dean **Coaches** Alex Ingram, John Ramster

Roles (* scenes | † cover | ‡ premiere)

2023				
Bottom/Drunken Poet	The Fairy Queen	Longborough Festival Opera	c. H. Sever, N. Burrell	d. Polly Graham
Leporello	Don Giovanni	Cumbria Opera Group	c. Joe Davies	d. Persia Babayan-Taylor
Claudio	Agrippina	Hampstead Garden Opera	c. Thomas Payne	d. Ashley Pearson
Escamillo	Carmen	Longborough Playground Opera	c. Jessica May	d. Maria Jagusz
Chorus	Rigoletto	Opera Holland Park	c. Lee Reynolds	d. Cecilia Stinton
Chorus	Das Wunder der Heliane	Nederlandse Reisopera	c. Jac van Steen	d. Jakob Peters-Messer
* Malatesta	Don Pasquale	Guildhall Vocal	c. Alex Ingram	d. Guido Martin-Brandis
* Macheath	Die Dreigroschenoper	Guildhall Vocal	c. Alex Ingram	d. Guido Martin-Brandis
2022				
Chorus	Dido and Aeneas	La Nuova Musica / BBC Proms	c. David Bates	
Chorus	L'elisir d'amore	West Green House Opera	c. Matthew Waldren	d. Victoria Newlyn
† Escamillo	Carmen	Longborough Playground Opera	c. Jessica May	d. Maria Jagusz
* Ulisse	Il ritorno di Ulisse in patria	Guildhall Vocal	c. Liz Marcus	d. Victoria Newlyn
* Thésée	Hippolyte et Aricie	Guildhall Vocal	c. Liz Marcus	d. Victoria Newlyn
* Ariodate	Serse	Guildhall Vocal	c. Liz Marcus	d. Victoria Newlyn
2021				
‡ Hunter	Helena (Marco Galvani)	Tête à Tête Festival	c. Sam Poplewell	d. Annemiek van Elst
† Tantale	Orphée descendant aux enfers	Guildhall Opera	c. Chad Kelly	d. John Ramster
* Almaviva	Le nozze di Figaro	Guildhall Vocal	c. Alex Ingram	d. Adam Torrance
Chorus	Cendrillon (Viardot)	Guildhall Opera	c. Dominic Wheeler	d. Ashley Dean
‡ Chorus	Eintänzer (Aaron O'Grady)	Guildhall Opera	c. Chad Kelly	d. John Ramster
2016–17				
Figaro	Le nozze di Figaro	Consortium Novum	c. Matthew Reese	d. Liz Jones
Aeneas	Dido and Aeneas	New Chamber Opera	c. Naomi Orrell	d. Michael Burden
* Orfeo	L'Orfeo	Conservatorio Luigi Cherubini	c. Umberto Cerini	d. Francesco Torrigiani

Recital & Concert Highlights

2023–24			
Schubert	Die schöne Müllerin	Leeds Lieder Festival	p. Graham Johnson
Bach	St Matthew Passion	Orchestra of St John's	d. John Lubbock
Bach	St Matthew Passion	London City Orchestra	d. Thomas Payne
Mozart	Requiem & Cotonation Mass	Sinfonia of Birmingham	d. Oliver Walker

Awards

2023 Paul Hamburger Lieder Prize	Winner
2022 John Kerr Award for English Song	Second Prize & Best Individual Song Prize
2021 Patricia Routledge National English Song Prize	Third Prize

Other Fluent in German and Italian. Prizewinning translator from German into English ([publications](#)).

Recordings [Britten: A Midsummer Night's Dream \(Bottom\)](#)