



# Rachel Policar, Soprano

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## OPERA ROLES

*Gilda	Rigoletto	Anchorage Opera	Dottie Danner/Brian DeMaris	2016
Goldele	The Golden Bride	National Yiddish Theatre	Bryna Wasserman/Zalmen Mlotek	2015/16
Gretel	Hansel and Gretel	Knoxville Opera Outreach	Brian Salesky	2016
Gilda	Rigoletto	Asheville Lyric Opera	Dean Anthony/Jerome Shannon	2015
Kate, Baby Doe(cvr)	Ballad of Baby Doe	Janiec Opera Company	Dean Anthony/Jerome Shannon	2015
Emmie	Albert Herring	Bronx Opera	Michael Spierman/Rod Gomez	2015
Kathie (cvr)	Student Prince	Utah Festival Opera	Jack Shouse/Barbara Day Turner	2014
Gretel	Hansel and Gretel	Dayton Opera	Gary Briggie/Jeffery Powell	2014
Nannetta (cvr)	Falstaff	Janiec Opera Co., Brevard	Dean Anthony/Jerome Shannon	2013
Valencienne	The Merry Widow	Janiec Opera Co., Brevard	Dean Anthony/Jerome Shannon	2013
Dater+	Speed DatingTonight	Janiec Opera Co., Brevard	Dean Anthony/Michael Ching	2013
Liebovar/Dasha +	Liebovar	Brklyn Phil., St. John the Divine	Michael Haigler/Yaacov Bergman	2013
Doralice (cvr/w perf)	Il Trionfo dell'Onore	Underworld Productions	Gina Crusco/Dorian Bandy	2013
Josephine	G&S: The Ballet!	Dances Patrelle NYC	Francis Patrelle/Warren Helms	2012
Miss Wordsworth (scs)	Albert Herring	Manhattan School of Music	Richard Gammon/Christian Capocaccia	2011
Fire/Princess/Nightingale	L'enfant...	Manhattan School of Music	Christopher Mirto/Ken Merrill	2011
Flora	Turn of the Screw	Arizona State University	Dale Dreyfoos/William Reber	2009

## MUSICAL THEATRE

Cosette (cvr)	Les Miserables	Utah Festival Opera	Valerie Rachelle/Karen Keltner	2014
Young Molly Pitcher+	Boston Tea Party	13 <sup>th</sup> Street Repertory Theatre	M. Zachary Johnson/Jason Wirth	2013
Maria (scs)	West Side Story	Manhattan School of Music	Carolyn Marlow/Shane Schag	2010
Yvonne/Naomi	Sunday in the Park	Arizona State University	Graham Whitehead/William Reber	2009
Fredrika	A Little Night Music	College Light Opera Company	Tony Howarth/David Weiller	2008

## CONCERT/ORATORIO

*Soloist	Yiddish Thtr Songs	Lost Gems of the Yiddish Thtr	National Yiddish Theatre Folksbiene	2017
*Soloist	ALW Highlights	Andrew Lloyd Webber Concert	Coro Lirico, NJ	2016
Soloist	R and H Highlights	An Evening with R and H	Opera Theatre of Connecticut	2016
Gilda (scs), Dorothy (scs)	Rigoletto, Wiz. Of Oz	"Popera" Concert	Riverside Opera Company	2015
Soloist	Handel's Messiah	Bruno Walter Auditorium	Deck the Halls Concert	2014
Musetta	La Boheme Quartet	Tabernacle Concert	Utah Festival Opera	2014
Soloist	Lamento della Ninfa	Candlelight Baroque Cabaret	Utah Festival Opera	2014

## TRAINING/EDUCATION

Knoxville Opera, Resident Artist - 2016  
 Dayton Opera, Artist in Residence - 2014  
 Brevard Music Center, Janiec Opera Company – 2013, 2015  
 Manhattan School of Music: MM – Classical Voice - 2012  
 Arizona State University: BM – Vocal Performance – 2010 and BM – Musical Theatre – 2010

## AWARDS

2015 5 Towns Music and Arts Foundation Competition – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Winner  
 2015 Coeur D'Alene Symphony Orchestra Young Artist's Competition – Finalist  
 2014 Barry Alexander International Vocal Competition – Second Place Winner  
 2014 Connecticut Concert Opera "Looking For Lauretta" Competition - Finalist  
 2013 New York Lyric Opera Theatre National Vocal Competition – First Place Winner  
 2013 Ladies Musical Club of Seattle Competition – First Place Winner  
 2013 The American Prize Competition, Opera Division – National Finalist & Art Song Division – National Finalist



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## CONDUCTORS

Jerome Shannon  
 Yaacov Bergman  
 Miriam Charney  
 Christian Capocaccia

## DIRECTORS

Dean Anthony  
 Gary Briggie  
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 Richard Gammon

**SPECIAL SKILLS:** Piano (18 yrs); Violin (8 yrs); Yiddish; Stunting; Puppetry; Bernadette Peters impression; Lateral lisp; Parody lyric writing; Dance (Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Modern, Hip Hop, Cheer, Music Theatre, Latin, Ballroom, Swing); Yoga; NY Road Runners Member

\* denotes upcoming

+ denotes world premiere