

Mingjie Lei

Tenor

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Opera Performance († denotes role cover, * Scenes):

Benvolio	Roméo et Juliette	Lyric Opera of Chicago	2016
Marshallin's Major Demo	Der Rosenkavalier	Lyric Opera of Chicago	2016
Gen†	Bel Canto	Lyric Opera of Chicago	2015
Don Ramiro†	La Cenerentola	Lyric Opera of Chicago	2015
Pylade*	Iphigénie en Tauride	Festival d'Aix-en-Provence	2015
Il Conte Lerma/ Herald	Don Carlo	Opera Philadelphia	2015
Sellem	The Rake's Progress	Curtis Opera Theater	2015
Brighella	Ariadne auf Naxos	Curtis Opera Theater	2015
Dorvil	La Scala di Seta	Curtis Opera Theater	2014
Gherardo	Gianni Schicchi	Curtis Opera Theater	2014
Alméric	Iolanta	Curtis Opera Theater	2014
Don Ottavio†	Don Giovanni	Merola Opera Program	2014
Young Collector	A Streetcar Named Desire	Merola Opera Program	2014
Don Ramiro	La Cenerentola	Curtis Opera Theater	2014
First Officer	Dialogues des Carmélites	Curtis Opera Theater	2014
Nemorino	L'Elisir d'Amore	Curtis Opera Theater	2013
Tamino†	Die Zauberflöte	Music Academy of the West	2013
Ernesto*	Don Pasquale	Music Academy of the West	2013
Father	The Seven Deadly Sins	Manhattan School of Music	2013
Don Ottavio	Don Giovanni	The Banff Centre Opera	2012
Leon	The Ghosts of Versailles	Manhattan School of Music	2012
Arturo	Lucia di Lammermoor	Manhattan School of Music	2012
Aeneas	Dido and Aeneas	Central Conservatory of Music	2010
Tonio*	La Fille du Régiment	Central Conservatory of Music	2009
Ferrando*	Così Fan Tutte	Central Conservatory of Music	2008

Concert/Oratorio Performance:

Messiah (Handel)	Carnegie Hall - (Stern Auditorium)	Musica Sacra New York	2015
Die Schöne Mullerin (Schubert)	With Mikael Eliassen, Pianist	Curtis Institute of Music	2015
La Susanna (Stredella)	Curtis Institute - (Field Concert Hall)	Curtis Chamber Orchestra	2015
St. Matthew Passion (Bach)	Evangelista† - Girard College Chapel	Mendelsohn Club of Philadelphia	2015
Love Duos (Bright Sheng)	Opera America National Recital Hall	New York Festival of Song	2015
Roméo et Juliette (Gounod)	New Jersey Performing Center of Arts	New Jersey Symphony Orchestra	2015
Messiah (Handel)	Carnegie Hall - (Stern Auditorium)	Oratorio Society of New York	2014
Semele (Handel)	Jupiter - Schwabacher Summer Concert	Merola Opera Program	2014
Messiah (Handel)	Carnegie Hall debut- (Stern Auditorium)	St. Cecilia Chorus and Orchestra	2013
Pulcinella (Stravinsky)	Hann Hall - Santa Barbara	Music Academy of the West	2013
Easter Oratorio (Bach)	Zion German Evangelical Church	New York City	2012
Christmas Oratorio (Bach)	Zion German Evangelical Church	New York City	2011
The Creation (Hayden)	MSM - John C. Borden Auditorium	Manhattan School of Music	2011

Awards:

2 nd Prize	Gerda Lissner Foundation Voice Competition	2015
Grant Winner	Giulio Gari Foundation Voice Competition	2014
Grant Winner	Licia Albanese-Puccini Foundation Voice Competition	2014
The Arthur Walters Memorial Award	Opera Index, Inc, Competition	2013
Winner	Mario Lanza Institute Voice Competition	2013

Education/Training:

Ryan Opera Center - Lyric Opera of Chicago (Young Artist Starting on May 2015)
Mozart Residency - Festival d'Aix-en-Provence, France (Young Artist 2015)
Merola Opera Program - San Francisco Opera Center (Young Artist 2014)
Music Academy of the West (Young Artist 2013)
The Banff Centre Opera Festival (Young Artist 2012)
Artist Diploma (Opera): Curtis Institute of Music (Class of 2015)
Masters in Music (Voice): Manhattan School of Music (Class of 2013)
Bachelors in Music (Voice): Central Conservatory of Music (Class of 2011)

Coaches: Mikael Eliassen, Warren Jones, Craig Terry, Corradina Caporello, Alan Darling, Danielle Orlando, Don St. Pierre

Conductors: David Agler, Ari Pelto, Corrado Rovaris, Jacques Lacombe, Mark Shapiro, Kent Tritle

Directors: Dona D. Vaughn, Gordon Ostrowski, Greg Forster, Jose Maria Condemi, Kelly Robinson

Voice Teachers: Julia Faulkner, Marlena Kleinman Malas