



"Arlene has a true vocal personality"
Alberto Mattioli - Amadeus Magazine

"Arlene Belli's performance as
Britten's Lucretia really hit home"
Robert Hugill - Planet Hugill

"A magnetic Italian mezzo-soprano
Arlene Belli stole the show as Carmen"
Opera Now

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STUDIES AND TRAINING

National Opera Studio (NOS) YAP in London | 2021/2022

Associate Artist

National Opera Studio (NOS) YAP in London | 2020/2021

Young Artist

Lorenzo Perosi Academy in Biella | 2018/2020

Master in opera

Santa Cecilia Conservatoire in Rome | 2012/2015

Bachelor in opera

University LUISS Guido Carli in Rome | 2012/2015

Bachelor in Political Science and International Relations

COMPETITIONS / AWARDS

Make Music Day Award - Audition Oracle | 2022

Sybil Tutton Opera Award | 2021

Simone Alaimo International Competition | 2018 - 1st Prize

71st AsLiCo Competition | 2020 - finalist

Handel Singing Competition | 2019 - semifinalist

International Singing Competition for Baroque Opera

«Pietro Antonio Cesti» | 2018 - semifinalist

COACHES / TEACHERS

Dame Sarah Connolly, Alex Ingram (ENO),
Steven Maughan (Glyndebourne), Alberto
Boischio (La Fenice), Della Jones, Marie
McLaughlin, Susan Bullock, Andrew Griffiths,
Dearbhla Collins, Carmen Santoro /
Sonia Prina, Cristina Melis, Tatiana Meira de
Aguiar, Manuela Custer

ARLENE BELLI

MEZZO-SOPRANO

OPERA ROLES

Dmitra - The Last Siren - Tête à Tête Opera (London) | 2023

C. Edward Lambert D. Jenny Weston

Polina - The Queen of Spades - Grange Festival (London) | 2023

C. Paul Daniel D. Paul Curran

Lady Louisa Wolseley - The Master - Wexford Festival Opera (Wexford) | 2022

C. Alberto Caruso D. Connor Hanratty

The (female) Pope - The Burning Question - Tête à Tête Opera (London) | 2022/2023

C. Edward Lambert D. Tabitha Benson-Evans

Rosina - Il Barbiere di Siviglia - Stowe Opera (UK) | 2022

cancelled for company problems

Teresa - La Sonnambula - Random Opera Company (Rugby) | 2022

C. Kelvin Lim D. Richard Tegid Jones

Ninfa, Speranza - Orfeo - Compagnia Orfeo (Mantua) | 2021

C. Marino Cavalca D. Angelo Manzotti

Zaida - Il Turco in Italia - Longhope Summer Opera (Alton) | 2021

C. Matthew O'Keeffe D. Charlotte McKechnie

Dorina/Diavolessa - La Diavolessa - Teatro Olimpico (Vicenza) | 2019

C. Francesco Erle D. Bepi Morassi

Charlotte - Werther - Interocrea Festival (Rome) | 2019

C. Fabio Serani D. Silvia Giugni

Andromaca - Il Polidoro - Teatro Olimpico (Vicenza) | 2018

C. Francesco Erle D. Cesare Scarton

Cherubino - Le Nozze di Figaro - EtnaOpera Festival (Taormina) | 2018

C. Andrea Tarantino D. Simone Alaimo

Dorabella - Così fan tutte - Interocrea Festival (Rome) | 2018

C. Fabio Serani D. Carlo Alberto Gioia

Rosina - Il Barbiere di Siviglia - Teatro Greco (Rome) | 2018

C. Piergiorgio Dionisi D. Laura Grassi

Lola - Auditorium Santa Cecilia (Rome) | 2018

C. Remo Zucchi

Orfeo - Orfeo ed Euridice - Teatro Greco (Rome) | 2016

C. Giuseppe Pecce D. Laura Grassi

Adele - La sopravvivenza della specie - Teatro Eliseo (Rome) | 2016

C. Claudia Patané D. Roberto Cavosi

EXCERPTS IN STAGED CONCERT

Carmen - Carmen - Cadogan Hall (London) - ENO | 2022

C. Olivia Clarke D. Amy Lane

Mrs Quickly - Falstaff - Cadogan Hall (London) - ENO | 2022

C. Olivia Clarke D. Amy Lane

Lucretia - The rape of Lucretia - Hoxton Hall (London) - WNO | 2021

C. Andrew Griffiths D. Emma Jenkins

Carmen - Carmen - St. David's Hall (Cardiff) - WNO | 2021

C. James Southall D. Emma Jenkins

Dorabella - Così fan tutte - St. David's Hall (Cardiff) - WNO | 2021

C. James Southall D. Emma Jenkins

Lucretia - The rape of Lucretia - Coliseum (London) - ENO | 2021

C. Paul Daniel D. Olivia Fuchs

Cornelia - Giulio Cesare - Whitehall (Leeds) - Opera North | 2021

C. Paul Daniel D. Olivia Fuchs

Siveno - Demetrio e Polibio - Auditorium S.Cecilia (Rome) | 2019

C. Claudia Patané D. Cesare Buratti

Nicklausse - Les Contes d'Hoffmann - Auditorium S.Cecilia (Rome) | 2019

C. Claudia Patané D. Cesare Buratti

Dorabella - Così fan tutte - Auditorium S.Cecilia (Rome) | 2019

C. Claudia Patané D. Cesare Buratti

RECITALS, ORATORIO AND PROJECTS

Nelson Mass and Foundling Hospital Anthem - Aberystwyth Arts Centre | 2023

Petite Messe Solennelle - soloist - Mysterium Festival (Taranto) | 2023

- Allegri Singers (London) | 2023

Mahler Symphony No. 3 in D minor - soloist - Cadogan Hall (London) | 2023

Messiah - soloist - Allegri Singers (London) | 2023

A Night at the Opera - soloist - Fulham Palace (London) | 2022

Catalogue de Fleur - soloist - Holy Sepulchre Holborn (London) | 2022

Britten project - Scenes directed by Keith Warner from 'The Rape of Lucretia'
in movie | 2021

NOS Recitals - soloist - Blackburn Hall (London) | 2021

Stabat Mater (Pergolesi) - soloist - Chiesa dei Frati (Venice) | 2019

Requiem Mass K626 - soloist - Duomo (Vittorio Veneto) | 2019

Rossini Recitals - soloist - Circolo della Lirica (Padua) | 2018

LANGUAGES

Italian - Mother tongue

English - Advanced (C2)

French - Intermediate (B1)

Spanish - Basic (A2)

German - Basic (A2)

SKILLS AND HOBBIES

Arthur Murray Dancing School | 2017-2018

15 dance styles including tango, waltz

Teatro Brancaccio | 2015

Performance and acting courses, including one year professional course at Brancaccio Theatre in Rome

Piano, Harp, Ukulele, Guitar

Radio speaker at Radio Roma, Radio IES

Lead singer and composer of the Odd Moira's

Haircut | 2008/2011, Blue ink | 2012/2013,

Perfect Glitch | 2013/2015

REPERTOIRE (e) - extracts

C. MONTEVERDI

ORFEO - Messaggera (e), Ninfa, Speranza

L'INCORONAZIONE DI POPPEA - Ottavia (e)

A. LOTTI

POLIDORO - Andromaca

G. F. HANDEL

ALCINA - Ruggiero

ARIODANTE - Ariodante (e)

GIULIO CESARE - Cornelia (e), Sesto (e)

OTTONE - Matilda

RADAMISTO - Zenobia (e)

RINALDO - Rinaldo, Goffredo (e)

B. GALUPPI

LA DIAVOLESSA - Dorina (Diavolessa)

C. W. GLUCK

ORFEO ED EURIDICE - Orfeo

W. A. MOZART

COSÌ FAN TUTTE - Dorabella

LE NOZZE DI FIGARO - Cherubino

G. ROSSINI

IL BARBIERE DI SIVIGLIA - Rosina

DEMETRIO E POLIBIO - Siveno (e)

TANCREDI - Tancredi (e)

G. DONIZETTI

ANNA BOLENA - Smeton (e)

LA FAVORITA - Leonora (e)

LUCREZIA BORGIA - Maffio Orsini (e)

G. VERDI

OBERTO CONTE DI S. BONIFACIO - Cuniza (e)

RIGOLETTO - Maddalena

C. GOUNOD

SAPHO - Sapho (e)

J. OFFENBACH

LES CONTES D'HOFFMANN - Nicklausse (e)

C. SAINT-SAËNS

SAMSON ET DALILA - Dalila (e)

CHORUS

Wexford Festival Opera - WFO season 2022 | 2022

Longborough Festival Opera - Carmen - mezzo | 2022

Nova Symphonia Patavina - mezzo - Padua | 2018 - 2019

Accademia La Scala - Messa di Gloria - mezzo - Milan | 2016

Radix Harmonica - Ensemble vocale - Rome | 2015 - 2016

RECORDINGS

Tre corali - Giacomo Dalla Pietà | 2020

Disney Italy - Ralph breaks the internet | 2018

CONDUCTORS

Paul Daniel, Orlando Jopling, Olivia Clarke, Jeremy Silver, James Southall, Andrew Griffiths, Matthew O'Keeffe, Christoph Eschenbach, Francesco Erle, Alberto Malazzi, Andrea Tarantino, Claudia Patanè, Gaetan Nasato Tagnè, Davide Fagherazzi, Francesco Ciluffo, Stephen White, Norbert Baxa, Alberto Caruso, Stephen Anthony Brown, Robyn Sevastos

DIRECTORS

Paul Curran, Keith Warner, Amy Lane, Emma Jenkins, Olivia Fuchs, Mathilde Lopez, Richard Tegid Jones, Tabitha Benson-Evans, Charlotte McKechnie, Bepi Morassi, Cesare Scarton, Roberto Cavosi, Roberto Catalano, Orpha Phelan, Hartmut Schörghofer, Conor Hanratty, Jenny Weston

G. BIZET

CARMEN - Carmen

PĚTR IL'IČ ČAJKOVSKIJ

PIQUE DAME - Polina

J. MASSENET

WERTHER - Charlotte

R. STRAUSS

DER ROSENKAVALIER - Octavian (e)

A. PONCHIELLI

LA GIOCONDA - Laura (e)

P. MASCAGNI

CAVALLERIA RUSTICANA - Santuzza (e) - Lola

S. BARBER

VANESSA - Erika (e)

B. BRITTEN

THE RAPE OF LUCRETIA - Lucretia

G. ZAMPETTI

LA SOPRAVVIVENZA DELLA SPECIE - Adele

E. LAMBERT

THE BURNING QUESTION - The (female) Pope

ORATORIO AND SONGS

W. A. MOZART

MESSA DA REQUIEM K626

G. B. PERGOLESI

MAGNIFICAT
STABAT MATER

A. VIVALDI

MAGNIFICAT

J. E. BACH

MAGNIFICAT

G. ROSSINI

PETITE MESSE SOLENNELLE
LA REGATA VENEZIANA

J. BRAHMS

LIEBESLIEDER-WALTZES OP. 52

G.F. HANDEL

MESSIAH
FOUNDLING HOSPITAL ANTHEM

F.J. HAYDN

NELSON MASS

Other songs by Haydn, Rossini, Schumann, Verdi, Brahms, Fauré, Tosti, Debussy, Wolf, De Falla, Berg