# Opera Scenes 2022: Opera for Everyone!

April 8-9, 2022 7:30 p.m.

Friday performance streaming on You Tube and Facebook

**Die Fledermaus**Johann Strauss
(1825-1899)

Dr. Falke – Džafer Čamdžić Eisenstein – Ely Merenstein '21

Directed by Ann Brink

**Trial By Jury**W. S. Gilbert (1836-1911)
Arthur Sullivan (1842-1900)

Plaintiff – Cedar Bennett

Defendant – Owen Rask

Bridesmaids – Marley Lowe, Alexix Cao, Sana Bhakoo, Isabelle Wagenvoord, Margot Swetich,

Anna Di Pietro

Directed by Ann Brink

### The Ballad of Baby Doe

Douglas Moore (1893-1969) John Latouche (1915-1956)

Horace Tabor – Hunter Merriman Augusta Tabor – Stephanie Brink '07 Baby Doe – Bryn Daney Cronies – AiKe Woods, Chris Heckenkamp, Ian Widmann, Will Broder Miners – Owen Rask, Džafer Čamdžić, Ely Merenstein Saloon girls – Alexix Cao, Cedar Bennett, Margot Swetich, Anna Di Pietro, River Clarke Wives – Marley Lowe, Sana Bhakoo, Isabelle Wagenvoord, Aida Hasson

Directed by Stephanie Brink

**La Serva Padrona**Giovanni Pergolesi
(1710-1736)

Umberto – Will Broder Serpina – Caeleigh O'Connor

Directed by Ann Brink

# The Magic Flute

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)

Papageno – Chris Heckenkamp Papagena – Cedar Bennett

Directed by Stephanie Brink

#### **INTERMISSION**

The Barber of Seville Gioachino Rossini (1792-1868)

Fiorello – Al Lo Count Almaviva – AiKe Woods Chorus – Ely Merenstein, Ian Widmann, Will Broder

Directed by Ann Brink

**The Marriage of Figaro**W. A. Mozart
(1756-1791)

Count Almaviva – Džafer Čamdžić Susanna – Bryn Daney

Directed by Ann Brink

La Cenerentola Gioachino Rossini (1792-1868)

Clorinda – River Clarke Thisbe – Sana Bhakoo Cinderella – Aida Hasson Alidoro – Hunter Merriman

Directed by Stephanie Brink

Candide Leonard Bernstein (1918-1990)

Richard Wilbur (1921-2017)

(additional lyrics: Stephen Sondheim, John Latouche) Candide – Ely Merenstein

Cunegonde – Caeleigh O'Connor Maximilian – Owen Rask Paquette – Aida Hasson Pangloss – Will Broder Chorus – Company

Directed by Stephanie Brink

#### **PERSONNEL**

Stage Direction: Ann Brink, Stephanie Brink '07
Music Direction/Accompanist: Daniel S. Brink
Stage Manager: Audrey Zeichick
Costumes: Jan Avramov, Drama/Dance Dept., Audrey Zeichick
Set Pieces: Paul Martin, Drama/Dance Dept.
Lights/Music Production Coordinator: Kate Nelson
Voice Faculty: Ann Brink, Stephanie Brink, Jennifer DeDominici, Jonathan Hays
Live stream/Music Technical Director: Justin Maike
Music Department Coordinator: Lisa Gregory
Music Events Coordinator: Liz Manring



#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

As you can see, it takes a lot of input, work, and coordination to bring a production to fruition. We are so thankful to have such a great team here at Colorado College to make this happen. It has been our ardent desire to further a greater appreciation of the operatic art form in our students and to give them an opportunity to perform parts of well-known works. This has been a delightful group to work with in all aspects. We hope it will inspire future enjoyment for all involved.

#### UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE COLORADO COLLEGE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Unless indicated, all concerts are in Packard Hall, are free, and require no tickets. www.coloradocollege.edu/academics/dept/music

# Faculty Recital: Jerilyn Jorgensen, *violin*, Cullan Bryant, *piano* Sunday, April 10, 3 pm

# Summer Music Festival Intermezzo Series: Featuring Mark Fewer, violin, John Novacek, piano, and Idris Goodwin, break beat poet

Tuesday, April 12, 7:30 pm

Tickets: \$30/general public, \$5/non-CC students; CC students and faculty free with ID

### **Music at Midday**

Wednesday, April 13, 12:15 pm

#### **The Butterfly Effect**

Thursday, April 14, 7:30 pm

### **Live from Packard Hall Faculty Artists Concert**

Tuesday, April 19, 3 pm

# AJ Lee and Blue Summit with Don Rigsby, Tim Crouch and Keith Reed Opening Act: The CC Rocky Mountain Tops

Tuesday, April 19, 7:30 pm Free ticketed event

#### **Interrupted Music Project (Rescheduled from January)**

Tuesday, April 26, 7:30 pm

Presented in partnership with Chamber Orchestra of the Springs

#### **Chamber Chorus Concert**

Sunday, May 1, 3 pm

## Concert Band Concert Cornerstone Arts Center – Celeste Theatre

Tuesday, May 3, 7:30 pm

#### Summer Music Festival Intermezzo Series: Featuring the Ying Quartet

Wednesday, May 4, 7:30 pm

Tickets: \$30/general public, \$5/non-CC students; CC students and faculty free with ID

#### **Bluegrass Ensembles Concert**

Thursday, May 5, 7:30 pm

#### **Veronika String Quartet**

Saturday, May 7, 7:30 pm

Tickets \$25/adults, \$20/military, \$10/students; CC students and faculty free with ID