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# DARREN K. STOKES

## *Bass-Baritone*

### RECENT AND UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

Heggie	<i>Moby Dick – World Premiere</i>	Queequeg*	The Dallas Opera (2010)
Bizet	<i>Carmen</i>	Escamillo	Lake George Opera (2010)
Uematsu	<i>Distant Worlds/Final Fantasy</i>	Vocal Trio	Chicago Symphony Orchestra/Ravinia (2010)
Joplin	<i>Treemonisha</i>	Parson Alltalk	Recording Label TBA (2010)
Mozart	<i>The Marriage of Figaro</i>	Figaro	San Antonio Opera (2011)
Britten	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Theseus	Boston Lyric Opera (2011)
Bizet(Adapted)	<i>La Tragédie de Carmen</i>	Escamillo	Indianapolis Opera
Gershwin	<i>Porgy and Bess</i>	Undertaker	Seattle Opera
Gershwin	<i>Porgy and Bess</i>	Crown*	Seattle Opera
Verdi	<i>Macbeth</i>	Banquo	Boston Lyric Opera
Mozart	<i>Die Zauberflöte</i>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Armored Man	The Dallas Opera
Strauss	<i>Salome</i>	5 <sup>th</sup> Jew/Cappadocian	The Cleveland Orchestra
Mozart	<i>Requiem</i>	Bass Soloist	Buffalo Symphony Orchestra

Adams	<i>Doctor Atomic</i>	General Groves ++	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2007/8)
Bizet	<i>Carmen</i>	Escamillo	Lake George Opera (2010)
Bizet	<i>Carmen</i>	Escamillo	Opera North (2009)
Bizet	<i>Carmen</i>	Zuniga	Boston Lyric Opera (2009)
Britten	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Theseus	Boston Lyric Opera (2011)
Britten	<i>Death in Venice</i>	Russian Father	Glimmerglass Opera (2005)
Britten	<i>Death in Venice</i>	Priest	Glimmerglass Opera (2005)
Britten	<i>Death in Venice</i>	Lido Boatman*	Glimmerglass Opera (2005)
Ching	<i>Corps of Discovery</i>	York	Opera Memphis (2004)
Gershwin	<i>Porgy and Bess</i>	Jake	Washington National Opera (2010)
Gershwin	<i>Porgy and Bess</i>	Undertaker	San Francisco Opera (2009)
Gershwin	<i>Porgy and Bess</i>	Undertaker/Jake*	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2008)
Gluck	<i>Iphigénie en Tauride</i>	A Scythian	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2006)
Gounod	<i>Faust</i>	Mèphistophélès	Opera Memphis (2009)
Gounod	<i>Roméo et Juliette</i>	Duke of Verona*	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2006)
Gounod	<i>Roméo et Juliette</i>	Duke/Gregorio	The Ryan Opera Center (2006)
Gounod	<i>Roméo et Juliette</i>	Duke of Verona	Amato Opera Theatre (2003)
Handel	<i>Giulio Cesare</i>	Achilla*	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2007)
Handel	<i>Giulio Cesare</i>	Curio	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2007)
Heggie	<i>Moby Dick – World Premiere</i>	Queequeg*	The Dallas Opera (2010)
Joplin	<i>Treemonisha</i>	ParsonAlltalk/Prod.	Opera Memphis (2009)
Joplin	<i>Treemonisha</i>	Bass/Quartet	Paragon Ragtime Orchestra (2005)
La Plante	<i>American Riversongs</i>	Bluesman	Opera Memphis (2004)
Menotti	<i>Amahl and the Night Visitors</i>	King Balthazar	Opera Memphis (2004)
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Monteverdi	<i>The Return of Ulysses</i>	Neptune	Chicago Opera Theater (2007)
Mozart	<i>Così Fan Tutte</i>	Don Alfonso	The Ryan Opera Center (2006)
Mozart	<i>Così Fan Tutte</i>	Don Alfonso*	Glimmerglass Opera (2005)
Mozart	<i>Die Zauberflöte</i>	Sarastro*	Natchez Opera Festival (2003)
Mozart	<i>Don Giovanni</i>	Commendatore	Eugene Opera (2009)
Mozart	<i>The Marriage of Figaro</i>	Antonio	Sarasota Opera (2006)
Mozart	<i>The Marriage of Figaro</i>	Figaro	San Antonio Opera (2011)
Mozart	<i>The Marriage of Figaro</i>	Figaro*	Sarasota Opera (2006)

### OPERATIC REPERTOIRE

Mozart	<i>Die Zauberflöte</i>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Armored Man	The Dallas Opera
Offenbach	<i>Les Contes d'Hoffmann</i>	Crespel	New York Opera Forum (2003)
Poulenc	<i>Dialogues des Carmélites</i>	Officer	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2007)
Poulenc	<i>Dialogues des Carmélites</i>	Marquis*	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2007)
Poulenc	<i>Dialogues des Carmélites</i>	Javelinot*	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2007)
Poulenc	<i>Dialogues des Carmélites</i>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Commissioner*	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2007)

**++One Main Stage Performance \*Cover**



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Puccini	<i>La Bohème</i>	Colline*	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2007)
Puccini	<i>La Bohème</i>	Colline	Sarasota Opera (2006)
Puccini	<i>La Bohème</i>	Colline	Amato Opera Forum (2003)
Puccini	<i>Madama Butterfly</i>	Imp. Commissioner	Ravinia Festival (2007)
Puccini	<i>Turandot</i>	Mandarin*	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2006)
Rossini	<i>Il Barbiere di Siviglia</i>	Bartolo*	Ash-Lawn Opera Festival (2004)
Rossini	<i>Il Barbiere di Siviglia</i>	Basilio <sup>SM</sup> Perf.	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2008)
Rossini	<i>Il Barbiere di Siviglia</i>	Basilio*	Ash-Lawn Opera Festival (2004)
Strauss	<i>Salome</i>	1 <sup>st</sup> Soldier	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2006)
Tchaikovsky	<i>Eugene Onegin</i>	Zaretsky	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2008)
Verdi	<i>La Forza del Destino</i>	Father	Cincinnati May Festival (2008)
Verdi	<i>La Traviata</i>	Grenvil *	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2007)
Verdi	<i>Il Trovatore</i>	Ferrando*	Lyric Opera of Chicago (2006)
Verdi	<i>Il Trovatore</i>	Ferrando	Indianapolis Opera (2008)
Verdi	<i>Rigoletto</i>	Count Ceprano	Taconic Opera Company (2002)
Walton	<i>Troilus and Cressida</i>	Calkas	Opera Theatre of Saint Louis (2008)

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### ORATORIO/CONCERT/MUSICAL Performed

Mozart Requiem – Buffalo Symphony Orchestra  
 Uematsu, Distant Worlds/Final Fantasy – Chicago Symphony Orchestra, Ravinia Festival 2010 – Project Canceled  
 Rachmaninoff, The Bells, Op. 35 – Nashville Symphony Orchestra - 2009  
 Rachmaninoff, The Bells, Op. 35 – Grant Park Music Festival - 2008  
 American Voices Concerts – The Patrick G. and Shirley W. Ryan Opera Center  
 Fall Outreach Concerts – Sarasota Opera  
 Opera Gala Concert – Opera Company of North Carolina  
 Annie Get Your Gun – Burt Healy - Ash-Lawn Opera Festival  
 Memphis Chamber Music Concert  
 Opera Highlights Concert – Memphis Symphony Orchestra  
 Gianni Schicchi Highlights - Sarasota Opera  
 Faust Highlights – Sarasota Opera  
 Cenerentola Highlights – Sarasota Opera

### APPRENTICESHIPS

The Patrick G. and Shirley W. Ryan Opera Center (Lyric Opera of Chicago) (2006-2007/ 2007-2008)  
 Glimmerglass Opera Young American Artists Program (2005)  
 Sarasota Opera Apprentice Artists Program (2003/2004)  
 Ash Lawn Opera Studio (2004)

***EDUCATION & AWARDS***

American Opera Society – Second Place

William Matheus Sullivan Encouragement Award 2008

Norfolk State University, Bachelor of Science Special Studies: Piano, Voice, Spanish

Leo M. Rogers Scholarship for Outstanding Apprentice, Sarasota Opera

Connecticut Opera Guild Scholarship Winner