



Jessica Blau

Mezzo-Soprano

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Performing Experience

Clara Schumann	<i>Ghost Variations</i>	Thompson Street Opera Company	2021
* Soloist/artistic director	<i>Sojourns on the Silk Road</i>	Soniquete Iberoamericanx	2021
* Soloist/writer	<i>The Women Have Something to Say</i>	Intersection Arts	2021
Soloist/writer	<i>The Women Have Something to Say</i> (preview)	Arts Across America (Kennedy Center Presents)	2020
Second Witch	<i>Dido and Aeneas</i>	LOLA (Local Opera Local Artists)	2020
Title Role	<i>La Llorona</i>	Opera Cultura	2019
Pinocchio	<i>Pinocchio</i>	Opera in the Heights	2019
Jack's Mother	<i>Jack and the Beanstalk</i>	Opera in the Heights	2019
Rosina	<i>Il barbiere di Siviglia</i>	Portland Opera To Go	2018
Cherubino	<i>Le nozze di Figaro</i>	Pocket Opera	2018
Orestes	<i>La Belle Hélène</i>	Pocket Opera	2018
Third Lady	<i>Die Zauberflöte</i>	Portland Opera To Go	2017
Zulma	<i>L'Italiana in Algeri</i>	Operativo Houston	2017
Mezzo Soloist	Summer Residency	Florentine Opera	2017
Queen/Stella	<i>The Busy Bee</i> (workshop performance)	Florentine Opera	2017
Title Role	<i>Carmen</i>	Spotlight on Opera	2016
Nancy	<i>Albert Herring</i>	Chicago Summer Opera	2016
Dolly Oblonsky	<i>Anna Karenina</i>	Moores Opera Center	2016
Dorabella	<i>Così fan tutte</i>	Moores Opera Center	2016
Isabela	<i>La hija de Rappaccini</i>	Moores Opera Center	2015
Nicklausse	<i>Les contes d'Hoffmann</i>	Moores Opera Center	2014
Zerlina (c)	<i>Don Giovanni</i>	Castleton Festival	2014
Mère Marie	<i>Dialogues des Carmélites</i>	Texas State Opera Theater	2014
Dionisia	<i>La Curandera</i>	Alamo City Opera	2014
Mezzo Soloist	<i>Songfest</i> , by Bernstein	Texas State University Orchestra	2013
Mother Superior	<i>Children of the Sun</i> (world premiere)	Texas State Opera Theater	2013
Ruth	<i>The Pirates of Penzance</i>	Opera in the Ozarks	2013
Dinah	<i>Trouble in Tahiti</i>	Texas State Opera Theater	2012
Meg	<i>Little Women</i>	Spotlight on Opera	2012
Hansel	<i>Hansel and Gretel</i>	Texas State Opera Theater	2012

Education

Performance Certificate, Vocal Performance	University of Houston	2016
Master of Music, Vocal Performance	Texas State University, San Marcos	2013
Bachelor of Arts, Art History & Latin American/Iberian Studies	Bard College	2006

Directors

Jane Erwin Hammett
Rebecca Herman

Coaches

Katherine Ciscon
Ana Maria Otamendi

Conductors

Raymond Harvey
Kristin Roach

Teachers

Weston Hurt
Melanie Sonnenberg

Special Skills

Conversant in Spanish
Flamenco dancer adept with castanets, fan, and shawl

*Postponed due to COVID-19