



# Jessica Renfro

*mezzo-soprano*

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Height: 5'8

Weight: 135

Hair: Blonde

Eyes: Blue

## ROLES

Cenerentola*	<i>La Cenerentola</i> (Donald Westwood)	Bellayre Music Festival	2010
Soh-Jin*	<i>Ssibaji</i> (World Premiere)	Korea Monitor Concert Series	2010
Dido	<i>Dido and Aeneas</i>	Anne Arundel Opera	2010
Lola	<i>Cavalleria Rusticana</i>	Baltimore Concert Opera	2010
Musette	<i>La Bohème</i> (Leoncavallo)	Amici Opera	2009
Tisbe	<i>La Cenerentola</i>	Opera Vivente	2009
Romeo	<i>I Capuleti e i Montecchi</i>	Bel Cantanti Opera	2009
Nancy	<i>Albert Herring</i>	Opera Vivente	2009
Mother/Grandmother	<i>Little Red Riding Hood</i>	Bel Cantanti Opera	2009
Flora	<i>La Traviata</i>	Bel Cantanti Opera	2008
Concepcion	<i>L'heure Espagnole</i>	Baltimore Opera Center	2008
Diana	<i>Orpheus in the Underworld</i> (English)	Opera Vivente	2008
Sara	<i>Tobias and the Angel</i> (American Premiere)	Opera Vivente	2008
Hansel	<i>Hansel and Gretel</i>	Bel Cantanti Opera	2008
Gianetta	<i>L'Elisir d'Amore</i>	Bel Cantanti Opera	2007
Cherubino	<i>Le Nozze di Figaro</i>	Bel Cantanti Opera	2007
Dorabella	<i>Così fan tutte</i> (English)	Opera Vivente	2006
Laura	<i>Iolanta</i>	Bel Cantanti Opera	2006
The Composer	<i>Ariadne auf Naxos</i> (concert version with Kazem Abdullah, conductor)		2005
Lilith	<i>Hotel Eden</i>	Peabody Opera Theatre	2005
Prince Charmant	<i>Cendrillon</i>	Peabody Opera Theatre	2004
Cenerentola	<i>La Cenerentola</i>	BASOTTI	2003
Don Ramiro	<i>La finta giardiniera</i> (English)	Opera Vivente	2003
Nancy	<i>Albert Herring</i>	Peabody Opera Theatre	2002
Dorabella	<i>Così fan tutte</i> (Martin Isepp)	Peabody Opera Theatre	2002
Marcellina	<i>Le Nozze di Figaro</i> (English)	University of Connecticut	2001
La Ciesca	<i>Gianni Schicchi</i>	Peabody Opera Theatre	2003
Mother/Allison	<i>This is the Rill Speaking</i> (Hoiby)	Peabody Opera Theatre	2004
Sally	<i>A Hand of Bridge</i>	Lake Placid Institute	2002

## SOLO/ORCHESTRAL ENGAGEMENTS

	GYPSYFEST!	Pacific Encore Performances	2010
	Carnegie Hall Gala Concert	Pacific Encore Performances	2010
	PEP "God Bless America"	Cleveland Symphony Pops Orchestra	2010
	"Dazzling Divas" Gala Concert	NJ State Repertory Opera	2010
	"My Foolish Heart" Cabaret	Opera Vivente	2010
Alto soloist	Haydn's <i>Lord Nelson Mass</i> and <i>Paukenmesse</i>	So. Delaware Choral Society	2009
Soloist	"The Three Bears & Other Favorite Fairytales"	Baltimore Symphony Orchestra	2009
Alto soloist	"Echoes of Love"	Mid-Atlantic Symphony	2009
	"What Is This Thing Called LOVE?" Gala	Bel Cantanti Opera	2009
	Five year Anniversary Gala	Bel Cantanti Opera	2008
Alto soloist	Mozart <i>Requiem</i> and Handel <i>Chandos</i> Anthems	AACC Symphony Orchestra	2008
Alto soloist	Handel <i>Messiah</i>	Mid-Atlantic Symphony Orchestra	2007
	"Masterpieces of Bel Canto Gala"	Bel Cantanti Opera	2007
	"Salut a la France!" Opera Gala	Bel Cantanti Opera	2006
Alto soloist	Pergolesi <i>Stabat Mater</i>	Mercersburg Academy Orchestra	2006
Alto soloist	Mozart <i>Requiem</i>	Chesapeake Youth Orchestra	2006
Alto soloist	<i>Holiday Spectacular</i>	Baltimore Symphony Orchestra	2005

Alto soloist	Crumb <i>Madrigals Books I–IV</i>	Peabody Percussion Ensemble	2005
Alto soloist	Rorem <i>Evidence of Things Not Seen</i>	Baltimore Premiere	2004
Soprano II soloist	Handel <i>Messiah</i>	Fairlington Methodist Church	2003
Alto soloist	Mozart “Grand” C minor Mass	Peabody Concert Orchestra	2003
	Duruflé <i>Requiem</i>	Westmoreland Methodist Church	2003
	Mahler <i>Rückertlieder</i>	with conductor Steven Jarvi	2003
Alto soloist	Bach <i>Magnificat</i>	Peabody Concert Orchestra	2001

## EDUCATION

Dicapo Opera Resident Artist 2010-2011  
 G.P.D. Opera, Peabody Conservatory, May 2005  
 M.M., Peabody Conservatory, May 2003  
 B.M., University of Connecticut, May 2001

## Teachers

François Loup  
 Phyllis Bryn-Julson  
 Stanley Cornett  
 Constance Rock  
 Sylvia McClain

## Coaches

Thomas Grubb  
 Danielle Orlando  
 David Lofton  
 JoAnn Kulesza  
 James Harp  
 Robert Muckenfuss  
 Eileen Cornett

## Directors

Tito Capobianco  
 José-Maria Condemi  
 John Bowen  
 Barry Henry  
 Roger Brunyate  
 Sylvia Anderson  
 Eric Gibson

## Masterclasses

Kathy Kelly  
 Shirley Verrett  
 Joseph Evans  
 John Shirley-Quirk  
 Elaine Bonazzi

## Conductors

Martin Isepp  
 Mark Pinzow  
 Philip Lauriat  
 Steven Jarvi  
 Julien Benichou  
 H. Teri Murai  
 Jed Gaylin

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