

**The Opera Orchestra of New York  
Performance History**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Composer/Opera</u>	<u>Performers</u>
<b>2011-12</b>		
Nov. 8	Cilèa – <i>Adriana Lecouvreur</i>	Gheorghiu, Kaufmann, Meastri, Rachvelishvili
<b>2010-2011</b>		
Oct. 25	Mascagni – <i>Cavalleria rusticana</i> / Massenet – <i>La Navarraise</i>	Alagna, Guleghina, Dunn, Almaguer, Swann Alagna, Garanča, Abdrazakov, Savage, Kontes, McGee
Mar. 2	Meyerbeer – <i>L'Africaine</i>	Giordani, Taigi, Dehn, Mvinjelwa
<b>2008-2009</b>		
Oct. 15	Rimsky-Korsakov – <i>The Tsar's Bride</i>	Borodina, Makarina, Markov, Manucharyan, Stamboglis, Easterlin, Nance, Miller, Stepanov, Sullivan, McGee
<b>2007-2008</b>		
Dec. 13	Verdi – <i>I Due Foscari</i>	DiGiacomo, Gavanelli, Grooms, Machado, Lagundino, Lugo, Orsalak
Feb. 27	Bellini – <i>La Sonnambula</i>	Gutiérrez, Korchak, Furlanetto, Caballero, Garcia, Kontes, Grooms
April 13	Puccini – <i>Edgar</i>	Giordani, Larmore, Moore, Gaertner, Guagliardo
<b>2006-2007</b>		
Nov. 7	Donizetti – <i>Dom Sébastien</i>	Kasarova, Korchak, Powell, Gaertner, Williams
Jan. 19	Rossini- <i>Otello</i>	Donose, Ford, Tarver, McPherson
Feb. 21	Cilèa – <i>L'Arlesiana</i>	Cornetti, Filianoti, Moore, Risinger, Lee
<b>2005-2006</b>		
Nov. 13	Rossini – <i>William Tell</i>	Blasi, Giordani, Chingari
Feb. 26	Delibes – <i>Lakmé</i>	Gutiérrez, Manucharyan, Morris
May 4	Montemezzi – <i>L'Amore Dei Tre Re</i>	Bravo, Casanova, Ramey
<b>2004-2005</b>		
Nov. 22	Puccini – <i>La Fanciulla del West</i>	Millo, Tanner, Chingari
April 7	Thomas – <i>Mignon</i>	Gutiérrez, Blythe, Aldrich, Giordano, Relyea
June 6	Weber – <i>Der Freischütz</i>	Margiono, Moon, Studebaker, Kowaljow
<b>2003-2004</b>		
Dec. 14	Donizetti – <i>Anna Bolena</i>	Stoyanova, Larmore, Aldrich, Manucharyan, Morris
Mar. 21	Verdi – <i>Il Corsaro</i>	Dragoni, Potenza, Casanova, Liao
April 20	Ponchielli – <i>La Gioconda</i>	Millo, Kitic, Nadler, Giordani, Golesorkhi, Faria
<b>2002-2003</b>		
Oct. 20	Bizet – <i>Les Pêcheurs de Perles</i>	Takova, Shtoda, Chaignaud, Faria
April 23	Verdi – <i>Attila</i>	Flanigan, Casanova, Liao, Ramey
May 19	Rossini – <i>La Donna del Lago</i>	Swenson, Blythe, Fowler, Zeffiri, Youngblood
<b>2001-2002</b>		
Nov. 13	Verdi – <i>La Battaglia di Legnano</i>	Stoyanova, Wood, Casanova, Guelfi, Kowaljow
Mar. 3	Cilèa – <i>Adriana Lecouvreur</i>	Millo, Ernest, Stewart, Zajick, Giordani, Laciura, Golesorkhi
April 21	Donizetti – <i>Marino Faliero</i>	Blancas, Bernhardt, Blake, Liao, Relyea
<b>2000-2001</b>		
Mar. 7	Donizetti – <i>La Favorita</i>	Larmore, Gilbert, Kunde, Hvorostovsky, Kowaljow
April 23	Meyerbeer – <i>Les Huguenots</i>	Stoyanova, Makarina, Zifchak, Giordani, Simpson, Faria

May 13	Donizetti – <i>Maria Stuarda</i>	Swenson, Flanigan, Matos, Kunde, Liao, Carfizzi
<b>1999-2000</b>		
Oct. 25	Bellini – <i>I Capuleti e i Montecchi</i>	Massis, Kasarova, Kunde, Carfizzi, Cokorinos
Nov. 11	Donizetti – <i>Adelia</i>	Devia, Mok, Pyatnychko, Plishka
Feb. 14	Donizetti – <i>Lucrezia Borgia</i>	Fleming, Blythe, Giordani, Peterson
May 3	Verdi – <i>Otello</i>	Esperian, Kitic, Bergonzi/Barasorda, Zhang, Gazale, Plishka
<b>1998-1999</b>		
Mar. 7	Verdi – <i>I Masnadieri</i>	Wolf, Nagore, Hvorostovsky, Plishka, Konstantinov
April 13	Halévy – <i>La Juive</i>	Papian, Makarina, Casanova, Viala, Plishka
May 12	Bellini – <i>La Sonnambula</i>	Swenson, Tapia, Wood, Kunde, Relyea
<b>1997-1998</b>		
Nov. 23	Rossini – <i>Tancredi</i>	O'Flynn, Kasarova, Poretsky, Wood, Breault, Boutros
Feb. 8	Verdi – <i>Jerusalem</i>	Valayre, Ikaia-Purdy, Simpson
May 4	Donizetti – <i>Poliuto</i>	Rowland, Armiliato, Meoni, Alberghini
<b>1996-1997</b>		
Jan. 12	Rossini – <i>La Cenerentola</i>	Genaux, Makarina, Wood, Fowler, G. Quilico
Feb. 9	Wagner – <i>Tristan und Isolde</i>	Connell, Lang, Siukola, Ryerson, Breault, Brainerd
April 6	Verdi – <i>Ernani</i>	Anderson, Margison, Guelfi, Plishka
<b>1995-1996</b>		
Dec. 11	Bellini- <i>Norma</i>	Eaglen, Ganassi, Furdui, di Renzi, Anisimov, Moore
April 17	Rossini – <i>Armida</i>	Fleming, Kunde, Fowler
May 8	Verdi – <i>Giovanna d'Arco</i>	Anderson, Grigorian, Moore, Guelfi, Owens
<b>1994-1995</b>		
Feb. 14	Massenet – <i>Hérodiade</i>	Fleming, Bumbry, Keyes, Del Campo
Mar. 5	Rimsky-Korsakov – <i>The Tsar's Bride</i>	Focile, Borodina, Uhlenhopp, Leiferkus, Plishka
May 8	Bellini – <i>I Puritani</i>	Devia, Wood, Kunde, Guelfi, Peterson
<b>1993-1994</b>		
Dec. 19	Donizetti – <i>Linda di Chamounix</i>	Esposito, Poretsky, Sabbatini, Frontali, Heimann, Plishka
Feb. 15	Bellini – <i>I Capuleti e i Montecchi</i>	Devia, Larmore, Gimenez, Spagnoli, Robbins
Mar. 13	Donizetti – <i>Caterina Cornaro</i>	Rowland, d'Auria, Bruson, Colombara
<b>1992-1993</b>		
Feb. 7	Bellini – <i>La Straniera</i>	Fleming, Liang, Kunde, Laperriere
April 7	Donizetti – <i>Anna Bolena</i>	Vaness, Scalchi, Sonnenberg, de la Mora, Plishka
May 2	Tchaikovsky – <i>Mazeppa</i>	Anderson, Grunewald, Grigorian, Leiferkus, Plishka
<b>1991-1992</b>		
Jan. 30	Boieldieu – <i>La Dame Blanche</i>	Fleming, Uecker, Swensen, Charbonneau, Castel (Narrator)
Mar. 15	Wagner – <i>Rienzi</i>	Pick-Hieronimi, Graham, Goldberg
April 5	Verdi – <i>I Due Foscari</i>	Rowland, Short, Villa, Chernov
<b>1990-1991</b>		
Jan. 9	Donizetti – <i>Roberto Devereux</i>	Rowland, Zambalis, de la Mora, Chernov
Feb. 10	Bellini – <i>La Sonnambula</i>	Anderson, Keith, Gimenez, Plishka
Mar. 28	Weber – <i>Der Freischütz</i>	Behrens, Giering, Heppner, Rahming, Sotin

**1989-1990**

Jan. 16	Verdi – <i>I Vespri Siciliani</i>	S. Dunn, Brubaker/Glassman, Bruson, Plishka
Feb. 28	Tchaikovsky – <i>Maid of Orleans</i>	Martin, Zajick, Kulko, Hynninen, Koptchak, Nikolsky
April 17	Catalani – <i>La Wally</i>	Millo, Kotoski, Johannsson, Manuguerra

**1988-1989**

Oct. 27	Bellini – <i>Beatrice di Tenda</i>	Anderson, Zseller, Kiurkciev, Tumagian
Jan. 29	Giordano – <i>Fedora</i>	Marton, Blackwell, Todisco, Serrano
Mar. 6	Bellini – <i>Il Pirata</i>	Millo, Liang, Morino, Croft

**1987-1988**

Feb. 21	Meyerbeer – <i>Robert le Diable</i>	Mims, Ginsberg, Merritt, Laciura, Ramey
Mar. 13	Giordano – <i>Andrea Chénier</i>	Millo, Bean, Polozov, Laciura
Mar. 30	Janáček – <i>Jenůfa</i>	Beňáčková, Rysanek, Ochman, Kazaras

**1986-1987**

Jan. 12	Verdi – <i>La Battaglia di Legnano</i>	Millo, Malagnini, Manuguerra, Hines
Feb. 22	Wagner – <i>Ring Cycle</i> Final Scenes	Marton, Bean, Goldberg, McFarland, Roloff
May 6	Dvořák – <i>Rusalka</i>	Beňáčková, Kelm, Jenkins, Koptchak

**1985-1986**

Jan. 19	Verdi – <i>I Lombardi</i>	Millo, Ginsberg, Bergonzi, Di Domenico, Plishka,
Mar. 13	Smetana – <i>Libuse</i>	Beňáčková, Roark-Strummer, Zitek, Plishka
May 6	Ponchielli – <i>La Gioconda</i>	Dimitrova, Milcheva, Curry, Lamberti, Cappuccilli, Plishka

**1984-1985**

Oct. 14	Glinka – <i>A Life for the Tsar</i>	Markova, Wenkel, Merritt, Talvela
Nov. 20	Rossini – <i>William Tell</i>	Evstatieva, Lopardo, Cappuccilli, Bonisolli
April 14	Lalo – <i>Le Roi d'Ys</i>	Hendricks, Ciurca, Raffalli, Vento

**1983-1984**

Nov. 6	Strauss, R. – <i>Die Liebe der Danae</i>	Plowright, Blackwell, Ulfung, Kazaras, Roloff
Mar. 23	Donizetti – <i>Dom Sébastien</i>	Takacs, Leech, Miller, Koptchak
May 13	Verdi – <i>Nabucco</i>	Dimitrova, Schuman, Pinto, Monk, Plishka

**1982-1983**

Oct. 28	Donizetti – <i>Il Duca d'Alba</i>	Krilovici, Gonzalez, Manuguerra
Jan. 21	Strauss, R. – <i>Guntram</i>	Tokody, Goldberg, Roloff, Wimberger
May 8	Berlioz – <i>Benvenuto Cellini</i>	Devia, Boozer, Gedda, Lafont, Vento

**1981-1982**

Oct. 20	Verdi – <i>I Due Foscari</i>	Castro-Alberty, Bergonzi, Bruson, Albert
Feb. 28	Wagner – <i>Rienzi</i>	Massey, Payer, Warner, Hamari, Albert, Johns, Poole, Behl
Mar. 3	Wagner – <i>Rienzi</i> *	Evans, Hamari, Johns
April 12	Boito – <i>Nerone</i>	Andrade, Takács, Cigoj, Elvira, Morris

**1980-1981**

Mar. 1	Mussorgsky – <i>Khovanshchina</i>	Alexieva, Toczyska, Kazaras, Gulyas, Mroz, Monk, Plishka
April 13	Delibes – <i>Lakmé</i>	Devia, Spacagna, Gedda, Plishka
June 13	Mercadante – <i>Il Giuramento</i>	Zampieri, Martin, Baltsa, Gulyas, Edwards

**1979-1980**

Feb. 6	Massenet – <i>Hérodiade</i>	Verdejo, Greevy, Estes, Pons, Plishka
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Mar. 10	Donizetti – <i>Lucrezia Borgia</i>	Ricciarelli, Gonzalez, Manuguerra
April 10	Wagner – <i>Rienzi</i>	Payer, Hamari, Sooter
<b>1978-1979</b>		
Feb. 25	Janáček – <i>Káťa Kabanová</i>	Beňačková, Kniplová, Lewis, Evitts, Chudy
April 8	Verdi – <i>Aroldo</i>	Caballé, Cecchele, Pons
May 13	Bellini – <i>I Capuleti e i Montecchi</i>	Putnam, Troyanos, Tenzi, Robbins, Martinovich
<b>1977-1978</b>		
Feb. 23	Weber – <i>Oberon</i>	Jones, Hamari, Gedda, West
Mar. 14	Rossini – <i>Tancredi</i>	Ricciarrelli, Balthrop, Horne, Paunova, Palacio, Zaccaria
<b>1976-1977</b>		
Jan. 9	Smetana – <i>Dalibor</i>	Sormova, Kubiak, Gedda, Monk, Plishka
April 13	Puccini – <i>Edgar</i>	Scotto, Killebrew, Bergonzi, Sardinero
<b>1975-1976</b>		
Jan. 9	Berlioz: <i>Lélio</i>	Scotto, Aler, Burchinal, Madden (Narrator)
Mar. 8	Massenet – <i>Le Cid</i>	Bumbry, Bergquist, Domingo, Gardner, Voketaitis, Plishka
Mar. 14	Donizetti – <i>Gemma di Vergy</i>	Caballé, Lima, Quilico, Plishka
<b>1974-1975</b>		
Feb. 12	Verdi – <i>I Masnadieri</i>	Trombin, Lewis, Manuguerra, Plishka
Feb. 26	Donizetti – <i>La Favorita</i>	Hendricks, Verrett, Kraus, Elvira, Morris
<b>1973-1974</b>		
Jan. 20	Bizet: <i>Les Pêcheurs de Perles</i>	Eda-Pierre, Gedda, Bruson, West
Mar. 6	Donizetti – <i>Parisina d'este</i>	Caballé, Pruett, Quilico, Morris
<b>1972-1973</b>		
Dec. 7	Verdi – <i>I Lombardi</i>	Scotto, Carreras, Marini, Plishka
Mar. 22	Zandonai – <i>Francesca da Rimini</i>	Kabaivanska, Domingo, Manuguerra
<b>1971-1972</b>		
Mar. 16	Rossini – <i>William Tell</i>	Barlow, Toscano, Walker/Lo Monaco, Quilico, Morris
April 20	Meyerbeer – <i>L'Africaine</i>	Elgar, Stella, Tucker, Manuguerra

#### Other Performances

<u>Date</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Event/Performers</u>
Nov. 19, 2008	Union Club	Benefit Musicale - Garcia, Gilmore, Hill, McGee, Miler
Mar. 6, 2008	Carnegie Hall Hymel,	Gala Concert & Benefit – Fleming, Giordani, Gutiérrez,  Millo, Mobbs, Stoyanova, Zajick
Oct. 26, 1997	NY Soc. For Ethical Culture Wolf,	Homage to Giuditta Pasta – Johnson, Makarina, Myers,  Poretsky, Wood, Ziegler, Queler, Blier, piano
Mar. 17, 1990	Tilles Center, Greenvale, NY	Aria Concert – Millo
May 8, 1986	Carnegie Hall	Verdi Gala Aria Concert – Dimitrova, Cappuccili
Oct. 15, 1986	Whitman Hall, Bklyn College	Beethoven 9 <sup>th</sup> Sym. – Bergquist, Chudy, Taylor, Plishka
Oct. 8, 1977	Bklyn Center, Bklyn College	Opera Gala – Scotto, Milnes
Dec. 9, 1975	Carnegie Hall	Arias Concert – Scotto
Oct. 18, 1975	Colden Aud.-Queens College	Opera Highlights – Bergquist, Chudy, Britton, Elvira

**RECITALS** (\*=Vidda Award Recital)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Event/Performers</u>
Feb. 9, 2011*	Merkin Concert Hall	Meagan Miller – Vidda Recital
Mar. 10, 2010*	Merkin Concert Hall	Eglise Gutiérrez – NY Recital Debut
Feb. 10, 2010	The Walter Reade Theater	Julianna DiGiacomo – Rising Stars Series recital
Dec. 1, 2009	The Walter Reade Theater	Bryan Hymel – Rising Stars Series recital
Nov. 17, 2009	Rose Hall	Aprile Millo – NY Recital Debut
May 16, 2008*	Weill Recital Hall	Gaston Rivero, tenor, Asako Tamura, sop.; Douglas Martin, piano
May 3, 2007*	Weill Recital Hall	Latonia Moore, sop.; Richard Raub, piano
Mar. 13, 2006*	Weill Recital Hall	Kate Aldrich, sop.; Israel Gursky, piano
Jan. 18, 2005*	Weill Recital Hall	Krassimira Stoyanova, sop.; Yelena Kurdina, piano
April 29, 2004*	Weill Recital Hall	Olga Makarina, sop.; Yelena Kurdina, piano
April 11, 2003*	Weill Recital Hall	Shawn Mathey, tenor; Danielle Orlando, piano
April 7, 2002*	Weill Recital Hall	C.Y. Liao, baritone; Fu-gen Wei, piano
Nov. 12, 2000*	Weill Recital Hall	Francisco Casanova, tenor; Palo Zinger, piano
Mar. 13, 2000*	Weill Recital Hall	Vivica Genaux, mezzo-sop.; Keri Mikkelson, piano, Chatham Baroque
Nov. 12, 1998*	Weill Recital Hall	Petra Lang, mezzo-sop.; Mattias Graff-Shestag, piano
Oct. 27, 1996*	Alice Tully Hall	Sonia Ganassi, mezzo-sop.; Paola Moliani, piano
April 8, 1996	Carnegie Hall	Carlo Bergonzi, tenor; Vincenzo Scalera, piano
Jan. 21, 1996*	Alice Tully Hall	Stuart Neill, tenor; Richard Raub, piano
May 1, 1995*	Weill Recital Hall	Ning Liang, mezzo-sop.; Eve Queler, piano
April 17, 1994	Carnegie Hall	Carlo Bergonzi, tenor; Vincenzo Scalera, piano
Oct. 24, 1993*	Alice Tully Hall	Olga Borodina; mezzo-sop.; Larissa Gergieva, piano
Mar. 9, 1993*	Florence Gould Hall	Barbara Conrad, mezzo-sop.; Patricia Sage, piano
Nov. 4, 1991	Carnegie Hall	Dmitri Hvorostovsky, baritone; Mikail Arkadiev, piano
Mar. 4, 1990	Alice Tully Hall	Dmitri Hvorostovsky, baritone; Oleg Boshniakovich, piano