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SINGERS

(LYRIC SOPRANO, LYRIC COLORATURA SOPRANO/SOUBRETTE, MEZZO SOPRANO, LYRIC TENOR, BARITONE AND BASS-BARITONE/BASS)

FOR THE UPPER AUSTRIAN OPERA STUDIO

**LANDESTHEATER LINZ (LINZ STATE THEATRE) IN COOPERATION
WITH THE ANTON BRUCKNER PRIVATE UNIVERSITY OF LINZ**

The promotion of young talent occupies an important place at Landestheater Linz. Here, the Upper Austrian Opera Studio, founded in 2016 in cooperation with the Anton Bruckner Private University, plays an important role. Thus, the Upper Austrian Opera Studio is Austria's only opera studio with a connection to a university. The goal of the opera studio, directed by Gregor Horres, is to facilitate the entry of young singers into solo engagements.

The members of the studio will work on up to three chamber operas each season. Song recitals, concerts, participation in the series of events "Opera at the Piano" and workshops will expand the program. In addition, there is the possibility that the young singers, if they are suitable, will be integrated into the ongoing productions in the Großer Saal at the Musiktheater with small and medium roles. The studio members must enroll at the Anton Bruckner Private University, where they will further deepen their training individually in the course "Musiktheater".

We are looking for lyric soprano, lyric coloratura soprano/soubrette, mezzo soprano, lyric tenor, baritone and bass singers for the 2025/2026 and 2026/2027 season.

Requirements and restrictions

- The age limit is 30 years.
- Working Language is German. German language skills level B1 are required.
- If possible, interested candidates should have a master's degree in voice.

Please send the following documents:

- Completed Curriculum Vitae Questionnaire; you can find the questionnaire [here as a PDF form](#) (download the form, open it with a common PDF reader, fill in the blanks and save it, sign it, then email it with the rest of your documents OR: download it, print it, fill it out, sign it, scan it and email it with the rest of your documents).
- a copy of your ID card
- a recent portrait photo
- three arias as YouTube link, via SoundCloud or similar platforms, without passwords (**one Mozart aria is mandatory**, if possible one aria in German). *Please no download links. The arias must be easily accessible and streamable.*
- A short text (maximum 2000 characters in German) stating your motivation for applying and your expectations for membership in the Upper Austrian Opera Studio.

Applications will be accepted by e-mail only. Your application should not exceed a total size of 6 MB. Send your documents to Gregor Horres, Director of the Upper Austrian Opera Studio, opernstudio@landestheater-linz.at.

The **application deadline is December 15 2024**. Unfortunately, later applications cannot be considered. After a preliminary selection, **auditions** will be held in Linz on **February 18, 20 and 21, 2025**. Please refrain from asking questions about the status of your application. Travel expenses will not be reimbursed.

For more information on the Anton Bruckner Private University, please visit www.bruckneruni.at.