

# Emily Yocum Black, Soprano

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## **Performance Experience**

### **Opera**

Laurie	<i>The Tender Land</i>	University of Louisville	2017
Pamina	<i>The Magic Flute</i>	University of Louisville	2016
Laetitia	<i>The Old Maid and the Thief</i>	University of Louisville	2015
Silverpeal	<i>The Impresario</i>	University of Louisville	2015
Sister Gertrude	<i>Dialogues of the Carmelites</i>	University of Louisville	2013

### **Scenes**

Birdie	<i>Regina</i>	University of Louisville	2016
Greta Fiorentino	<i>Street Scene</i>	University of Louisville	2016
Susanna	<i>The Marriage of Figaro</i>	University of Louisville	2015
Squeaky Fromme	<i>Assassins</i>	University of Louisville	2014

### **Musical Theatre**

June Sanders	<i>Smoke on the Mountain: Homecoming</i>	Grand Rivers Variety	2016
Chorus	<i>Mary Poppins</i>	Market House Theatre	2015
Chorus-“Nicest Kid in Town”	<i>Hairspray</i>	Market House Theatre	2012
Dorothy Gale	<i>The Wizard of Oz</i>	Market House Theatre	2009
Sharpay Evans	<i>High School Musical</i>	Market House Theatre	2008

### **Concert/Oratorio**

Songs of John Musto	SongFest	Los Angeles, CA	2017
Bach <i>Cantata BWV 106 &amp; 140</i>	Bach Cantata Institute, SongFest	Los Angeles, CA	2017
Bach <i>Cantata BWV 36</i>	Kentucky Bach Choir	Lexington, KY	2016
Handel <i>Messiah</i>	Bourbon Baroque	Louisville, KY	2017*, 2016, 2015
Mozart <i>Missa Brevis in D</i>	University of Louisville	Louisville, KY	2016
Saint-Saëns <i>Oratorio de Noël</i>	Broadway United Methodist Church	Paducah, KY	2015
Bernstein <i>Mass</i>	Louisville Orchestra	Louisville, KY	2015
Handel <i>Messiah</i>	Broadway United Methodist Church	Paducah, KY	2014
<i>Songs in the Key of L.A.</i>	SongFest Outreach Concert	Los Angeles, CA	2014

### **Chorus**

Chorus	<i>The Mikado</i>	Kentucky Opera	2017
Harem Girl	<i>The Abduction from the Seraglio</i>	Kentucky Opera	2016
Geisha	<i>Madame Butterfly</i>	Kentucky Opera	2016
Dance Captain	<i>Don Giovanni</i>	University of Louisville	2014

## **Education**

SongFest at the Colburn School; Professional Fellow, 2017

Kentucky Opera; Apprentice Studio Artist

SongFest at the Colburn School; Schubert Fellow/Young Artist, 2014

University of Louisville, Master of Music in Vocal Performance; Graduate Teaching Assistant

University of Louisville, Bachelor of Music in Vocal Performance

## **Awards**

Winner, University of Louisville Aria Competition, 2016

Grand Prize, Kentucky Bach Choir Audrey Rooney Vocal Competition, 2015

First Place Junior Women, Kentucky NATS Student Auditions, 2013

### **Principle Teachers**

Emily Albrink Katz  
Edith Davis Tidwell  
Kay Gardiner Bates

### **Coaches**

Lisa Hasson  
Deborah Dierks

### **Masterclass**

Kyle Ferrill  
Robert Barefield  
Jake Heggie  
Martin Katz

### **Conductors**

Teddy Abrams  
John Harbison  
Kimcherie Lloyd  
John Austin Clark

### **Directors**

Michael Ramach

\* upcoming performances