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2024/2025 SEASON REFERENCE SHEET

Below, please find casting details and a link to production photography for the Canadian Opera Company's upcoming season of programming. **All information is current as of the date of release and may be subject to further updates and additions.**

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Nabucco

By Giuseppe Verdi

October 4, 6, 12, 17, 19, 23, and 25, 2024

Sung in Italian with English SURTITLES™

A production from Lyric Opera of Chicago

Cast and Creative Team

Nabucco	Roland Wood
Abigaille	Tamara Wilson
Fenena	Rihab Chaieb
Ismaele	Matthew Cairns
Zaccaria	Simon Lim
Conductor	Paolo Carignani
Director	Katherine M. Carter
Set Designer	Michael Yeargan
Costume Designer	Jane Greenwood
Price Family Chorus Master	Sandra Horst

With the COC Orchestra and Chorus

Faust

By Charles Gounod

October 11, 13, 16, 18, 24, 26, and November 2, 2024

Sung in French with English SURTITLES™

New COC Production

Cast and Creative Team

Faust	Long Long
Méphistophélès	Kyle Ketelsen
Marguerite	Kseniia Proshina
Valentin	Simon Mechlinski
Marthe	Megan Latham
Conductor	Johannes Debus

Director Amy Lane
Set and Costume Designer Emma Ryott
Lighting Designer Charlie Morgan Jones
Choreographer Tim Claydon
Price Family Chorus Master Sandra Horst

With the COC Orchestra and Chorus

Madama Butterfly

By Giacomo Puccini

January 24, 26; February 1, 6, 8, 12, 14, and 16, 2025

Sung in Italian with English SURTITLES™

A production from Houston Grand Opera production

Cast and Creative Team

Cio-Cio-San	Eri Nakamura
Pinkerton	Kang Wang
Suzuki	Hyona Kim
Sharpless	Michael Sumuel
Goro	Julius Ahn
Yamadori	Samuel Chan

Conductor	Keri-Lynn Wilson
Original Director	Michael Grandage
Revival Director	Jordan Lee Braun
Original Set & Costume Designer	Christopher Oram
Original Lighting Designer	Neil Austin
Movement Director	Nao Kusuzaki
Price Family Chorus Master	Sandra Horst

With the COC Orchestra and Chorus

La Reine-garçon

By Julien Bilodeau and Michel Marc Bouchard

January 31; February 2, 5, 7, 9, 13, and 15, 2025

Sung in French with English SURTITLES™

A co-commission and co-production with Opera de Montréal

Cast and Creative Team

Christine	Kirsten MacKinnon
	Kirsten LeBlanc
Karl Gustav	Philippe Sly
Johan Oxenstierna	Isaiah Bell
Axel Oxenstierna	Daniel Okulitch
René Descartes	Owen McCausland
Marie-Éléonor	Aline Kutan
Assistant to Descartes	Alain Coulombe

Conductor Johannes Debus
Director Angela Konrad
Set Designer Anick La Bissonnière
Costume Designer Sebastien Dionne
Lighting Designer Éric Champoux
Projection Designer Alexandre Desjardins
Price Family Chorus Master Sandra Horst

With the COC Orchestra and Chorus

Wozzeck

By Alban Berg

April 25, 27; May 3, 8, 10, 14, and 16, 2025

Sung in German with English SURTITLES™

A co-production with The Salzburg Festival, The Metropolitan Opera and Opera Australia

Cast and Creative Team

Wozzeck Michael Kupfer-Radecky
Marie Ambur Braid
Drum Major Matthew Cairns
Captain Michael Schade
Doctor Anthony Robin Schneider
Margret Krisztina Szabó
Andres Owen McCausland
The Fool Michael Colvin

Conductor Johannes Debus
Director William Kentridge
Co-director Luc De Wit
Set Designer Sabine Theunissen
Costume Designer Greta Goiris
Lighting Designer Urs Schoenbaum
Projection Designer Catherine Meyburgh
Price Family Chorus Master Sandra Horst

With the COC Orchestra and Chorus

Eugene Onegin

By Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky

May 2, 4, 7, 9, 15, 17, and 24, 2025

A COC revival

Sung in Russian with English SURTITLES™

All scenery, properties and costumes constructed by the Metropolitan Opera Shops

Cast and Creative Team

Eugene Onegin	Vassily Ladyuk
Tatyana	Lauren Fagan
Lensky	Evan LeRoy Johnson
Gremlin	Dimitry Ivashchenko
Madame Larina	Krisztina Szabó
Filipyevna	Deborah Nansteel
Monsieur Triquet	Michael Colvin

Conductor	Speranza Scappucci
Director	Robert Carsen
Revival Director	Peter McClintock
Set and Costume Designer	Michael Levine
Original Lighting Designer	Jean Kalman
Revival Lighting Designer	Christine Binder
Choreographer	Serge Bennathan
Price Family Chorus Master	Sandra Horst

With the COC Orchestra and Chorus

Cavalleria rusticana (in concert)

By Pietro Mascagni

May 23, 2025

Sung in Italian with English SURTITLES™

Cast and Creative Team

Santuzza	Anna Pirozzi
Turiddu	Russell Thomas
Mamma Lucia	Deborah Nansteel
Alfio	Simone Piazzola

Conductor	Johannes Debus
Price Family Chorus Master	Sandra Horst

With the COC Orchestra and Chorus

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