

Maria Failla

AEA, Soprano with belt (E3-Db6)
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Broadway:

Cats Booth Singer Neil Simon Theatre

Tours:

The Sound of Music Mother Abbess u/s, Elsa u/s, Swing National Tour (Director, Jack O'Brien)
Evita Ensemble, Mother u/s First National (Broadway Revival)
West Side Story Rosalia, Somewhere Solo International Tour, Joey McNeeley (dir.)
Maria u/s
Kurt Weill Fest 2013 Soloist Opening concert and subsequent tour

Regional:

Man of la Mancha Antonia, Aldonza u/s Shakespeare Theatre Co. of DC
Pirates of Penzance Mabel Bristol Riverside Theater
West Side Story Maria Théâtre du Capitole de Toulouse (France)
The Vagabond King Katherine de Vaucelles The College Light Opera Company
Call Me Madam Princess Maria The College Light Opera Company
West Side Story Maria Théâtre Edwige Feuillère (France)
Hansel and Gretel Sandman New York Opera Project

Readings / Workshops

The Golden Lotus Autumn Astor Ed Iskandar, David Dabbon, Chase Brock

Awards

Lys Symonette Award: "Extraordinary Promise as a Singing Actor / Acting Singer" Lotta Lenya Competition (KWF)
Third Place American Traditions Competition
Sons of Italy Language Award Sons of Italy Foundation
The Bel Canto Institute Performance Award Bel Canto Institute, Florence

Training

Rice University, Shepherd School of Music - Bachelor of Music
Manhattan School of Music Pre-College Program
Professional Musical Theater Workshop
(With Paul Gemignani, Austin Pendleton, Joanna Merlin, Jim Carnahan, Ginger Thatcher)
NYU Steinhardt Summer Musical Theater Workshop
Bel Canto Institute Summer Program (Florence, Italy)
Boston University Tanglewood Institute Young Artists Vocal Program

Acting: Rob McCaskill, Craig Carnelia, Debbie Dickinson, Adrienne Klemme, Joanna Merlin, Austin Pendleton

Voice: Deric Rosenblatt, Andy Einhorn, Michael Dansicker, Kathleen Kaun, Carolann Page, Amy Williams

Dance: Strong mover

Special Skills: Conversational Italian, Spanish, French and German. Licensed Real Estate Agent, National Anthem Singer, (2 years in University), Swing/Ballroom/Latin Dance, basic fencing