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APRIL 24, 2017

UNI OPERA  
PRESENTS:



# DEATH

*By*

# ARIA!



6:00 P.M.



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GALLAGHER BLUEDORN

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DIRECTED BY MITRA  
SADEGHPOUR

MUSIC DIRECTION BY  
MARK BILYEU



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# DEATH BY ARIA!

Featuring the members of UNI Opera  
Megan Grey and Rachel Storlie, Emcees  
Mark Bilyeu, piano

Welcome . . . . . Mitra Sadeghpour, Megan Grey, Rachel Storlie

La donna è mobile (*Rigoletto*) . . . . . Giuseppe Verdi  
(1813-1901)

Luke Fosselman, UNI Senior

When I am Laid in Earth (*Dido and Aeneas*) . . . . . Henry Purcell  
(1659-1695)

Athena Walton, UNI Sophomore

O mio babbino caro (*Gianni Schicchi*) . . . . . Giacomo Puccini  
(1858-1924)

The Sopranos of UNI Opera  
Special Guest, Dr. John Hines

Deh vieni alla finestra (*Don Giovanni*) . . . . . W.A. Mozart  
(1756-1791)

Adrian Horras, UNI Freshman

Mein Herr Marquis (*Die Fledermaus*) . . . . . Johann Strauss II  
(1825-1899)

Haley Steele, UNI Masters of Music, 2017

Greeting . . . . . Dr. Jean McDonald, head of the UNI Voice Area

Avant de quitter ces lieux (*Faust*) . . . . . Charles Gounod  
(1818-1893)

Aaron DeSantiago, UNI Junior

Pleurez, pleurez mes yeux! (*Le Cid*) . . . . . Jules Massenet  
(1842-1912)

Rachel Storlie, UNI Masters of Music, 2017  
Nicholas Schumacher, clarinet

Here I Stand (*The Rake's Progress*) . . . . . Igor Stravinsky  
(1882-1971)

Blair Remmers, UNI Masters of Music, 2017

Quel guardo il cavaliere...So anch'io la virtù magica  
(*Don Pasquale*) Gaetano Donizetti (1797-1848)

MaKayla McDonald, Masters of Music, 2017

Libiamo ne' liete calici (*La Traviata*) . . . . . Giuseppe Verdi  
(1813-1901)

UNI Opera Ensemble, 2017

Soloists: Kelly Noltner and Blair Remmers

Kelly Behling, Taylor Else, Siena Fah, MaKayla McDonald,  
Alexandra Saulsbury, Hannah Sealock, Emily Secor,  
Haley Steele, Samantha Stevens, Rachel Storlie, Blair DeBolt,  
Megan Grey, Maddy Langlitz, Nicole Lengemann, Leia Lensing,  
Elizabeth Paull, Kayla Schmitz, Athena Walton, Sam Coon,  
Carlos Cortes-Ortiz, Aaron DeSantiago, Luke Fosselman,  
Corey Spiess, Adrian Horras, Mike Sandmeyer, Tommy Truelsen

## PRODUCTION PERSONNEL

Artistic Director . . . . . Mitra Sadeghpour  
Music Director . . . . . Mark Bilyeu  
Production Manager . . . . . Gretchen Koinzan  
Lighting Design . . . . . Chris Tuzicka  
Stage Setup . . . . . Alex Westrom, Chuck Pugh  
Fundraising . . . . . Members of the Ensemble  
Program . . . . . Caroline Francis  
Poster Design . . . . . Derek Holt  
Rehearsal Pianists . . . . . Mariya Akhadjanova and James Jenkins  
Voice Faculty . . . . . Jeffrey Brich, John Hines, Jean McDonald,  
Michelle Monroe, Katherine Osborne, Mitra Sadeghpour  
Director of UNI School of Music . . . . . John Vallentine

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*This concert offered in memory of Peggy Jean Lengemann, and in loving support of her daughter, UNI Opera student Nicole Lengemann.*

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GREAT HALL, GBPAC

WOMEN SING!  
TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 6 P.M.  
GREAT HALL, GBPAC

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 7:30 P.M.  
GREAT HALL, GBPAC

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