

Judith Hoffmann

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Artistic curriculum vitae

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Repertoire list



Opera:

2025	Guest solo contract with OZM Dortmund (Pedro Halffter Opera)
2019	Guest solo contract at Münster Theatre
2015 16 17	Solo contract with Euregio Concert Society
2015	Guest solo contract at Hagen Theatre
2013 2014	Guest contract – soloist at the Hanover State Opera
2012 13	Guest contract – soloist at the Saxony State Theatre (Felsenbühne Rathen)
2011	Guest contract – soloist at the Nordhausen Theatre
2011 12	Luisenburg Festival, Wunsiedel
2009–10 – 2012–13	Ensemble member (NV-Solo) at the Saxony State Theatre
2007	Wernigerode Castle Festival

Concerts & staged concerts: (a selection)

2026	G. Rossini – Petite Messe Solennelle: Auferstehungskirche, Essen J. Brahms – Requiem: Essen Cantata concert: Viersen Cantata concert: St Mary's Basilica, Kevelaer Liedrecitals: Marmorsaal, Bad Ems, Sondershausen Castle Ensemble Amouné: Stadtkirche, Darmstadt, Marktchurch Neuwied, Monastery Kamp, Evangelical Church, Orsoy
2025	Helge Burggrave – Dreikönigsoratorium: Essen-Werden, J. Rutter – Magnificat, Mass of the Children: Mönchengladbach, J.S. Bach – St Matthew Passion: O.L. Vrouwe Kerk, Hengelo, NL Liedrecitals: Ventana and Domforum, Cologne; OZM, Dortmund. Ensemble Amouné: Limburg Cathedral, Monastery Kamp, Marienthal
2024	Verdi Requiem: Muziekcentrum, Enschede / Almelo, Netherlands, Mendelssohn Hymn Bach BWV140: Basilica of Santa Giustina, Padua/ Italy, Santa Maria Gloriosa dei Frari, Venice/Italy, San Lorenzo, Vicenza/ Italy, St Barbara's, Mantua/Italy Mozart Mass in C minor: Stadtkirche, Moers Liedrecitals: Schumann House, Leipzig; Baden-Baden Residenz Bellevue Brahms House, Heinrich Heine Institute, Düsseldorf Ensemble Amouné: Monastery Kamp, St. John the Baptist, Refrath,
2023	J.S. Bach – St Matthew Passion: O.L. Vrouwe Church, Hengelo, NL J. Brahms – Requiem: Recklinghausen Neue Philharmonie Westfalen, J.S. Bach – St John Passion: Werne Abbey, Concerto Royal Cologne Liedrecitals: Rheinforum Wesseling Ensemble Amouné: International Brass Festival Moers (IBBTM)

2022	G.F. Handel – Messiah: Stadthuiszaal, Hengelo, Netherlands F. Mendelssohn – Elijah: Essen and Remscheid, Saint-Saëns – Christmas Oratorio: Münster Liedfestival Ruhr 2022: Artistic Director, staged recital Castle Borbeck Palace, Essen, Liedrecitals: Hornbach Monastery Church, ProKlassik Bonn/Cologne Ensemble Amouné: St Mary's Basilica, Kevelaer, IBBTM
2021	Verdi Requiem: Tersteegenkirche, Düsseldorf, J.S. Bach Christmas Oratorio: Auferstehungskirche, Essen Liedfestival Ruhr 2021: Artistic Director, staged song recital Castle Borbeck Palace, Essen Liedrecitals: Altes Pfandhaus, Cologne, Johanneskirche, Berlin, Borbeck Palace, Essen, Auferstehungskirche, Essen LiveStream – VOX HUMANA: Art song and Organ, Stadtkirche Ohligs
2020	Liedrecitals: Riverside Studio, Cologne (by invitation) Ensemble Amouné: International Brass Days, Moers
2019	Schubert Mass: Essen Cathedral Chapter Ensemble Amouné: Marian Festival Week, Diocese of Münster Recitals: Törnich Castle
2018	Verdi Requiem: Langenfeld Three Sounds of Spring: Dortmund Concert Hall, Lucca Boccherini Auditorium, Liedrecitals: ProKlassik Königswinter
2017	Chamber concert: Dortmund Opera House W.A. Mozart Requiem: Auferstehungskirche Essen, Muziekcentrum Enschede. Liedrecitals: Villa Zsuzsa, Mühlheim Ensemble Amouné: Kerpen
2016	J. Haydn – The Creation: Cologne Philharmonic Hall WDR Children's Rights Award, Funkhaus Wallrafplatz Dvořák – Stabat Mater: Stadtlohn Ev. Church, Muziekcentrum Enschede
Up to 2016	Ruhrtriennale, Zwinger/Dresden, Blaue Saal deSingel Antwerp, Muziekcentrum Enschede, in large churches in Germany and abroad

Audio recordings:

2023	NEUSTART KULTUR recordings "Still in Luft" at St.Quirinius Cathedral, Lehen
2021	WDR3 radio play, "Preussen. Im Kopf." Singer/narrator various live streams.
2020	Riversidestudio Cologne, online concert "Berühren ohne Berührung" Excerpts from recital: Women Poets
2016	WDR Children's Rights Award , musical arrangement
2014	WDR 3 Studio Acoustic Art , production: Marcus Schmickler

Education:

Since 2017	current vocal coaching: K. Schötteldreier
2005–2017	private vocal studies with Prof. Th. Heyer and O. Mykytenko
2005	Graduated with a diploma in vocal performance and vocal pedagogy at the Folkwang University of the Arts, Essen with Prof. R. Robins

Masterclasses:

Ks. Brigitte Fassbaender, Prof. Klesie Kelly, Barbara Hannigan

Competition:

Winner of the NRW State Competition in the opera/opera category

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Scholarships:

2025	Project funding from the City of Cologne, Department of Culture, Supported by IFM e.V. Initiative Freie Musik in Köln
2023	NEUSTART KULTUR grant
2022	NEUSTART KULTUR grant
2021	NRW 'Auf geht's' grant
2020	NRW 'Auf geht's' grant

Collaborations & productions: Directors: (a selection)

Helen Malkowsky, Wolfgang Dosch, Bernd Mottl, Sebastian Ritschel, Stefan Zednik, Horst Kupich, Antón Armendariz Diaz

Collaborations with opera and concert: Conductors: (a selection)

Benjamin Reiners, Florian Ludwig, Stefan Veselka, Michele Carulli, Pedro Halffter
André Walschaerts, Elmar Lehn, Stephen Harrap, Eric Kotterink, Michael Reif, KMD
Stefanie Westerteicher, Christoph Spengler, Christian Rose, Esther Kim, Harald Martini,
Gordon Kampe, Christian Lorenz, KMD Elke Czernisev.

Collaboration with Actors in concert productions: (a selection)

Christoph Maria Herbst, Elisabeth Trissenaar, Tina Engel

Collaboration with Composers:

Gordon Kampe, Marcus Schmickler, Anno Schreier, Stephen Harrap, Elmar Lehn

Festivals: (a selection)

Ruhrtriennale, RheinVokal Festival, Liedsommer Rheinland, Pro Klassik Königswinter,
Luisenburg Festival Wunsiedel

Repertoire – Opera | Operetta | – current roles

Composer	Work	Language	Role	Performance
R. Wagner	Lohengrin	german	Elsa	studied
C.M. von Weber	Der Freischütz	german	Agathe	studied
Pedro Halffter	Penélopes Dream	engl.	Molly Bloom	Scenic 2025
E. Kálmán	Die Csárdásfürstin	german	Sylva Varescu	concert version/semi-staged
E. Kálmán	Gräfin Mariza	german	Gräfin Mariza	In Vorbereitung
G. Bizet	Carmen	french	Micaela	concert version/semi-staged
F. Smetana	Die verkaufte Braut	german	Marie	concert version/semi-staged
R. Strauss	Salome	german	Salome	In preparation
W.A. Mozart	Così fan tutte	it.	Fiordiligi	In preparation
A. Dvorak	Rusalka	tschech.	Rusalka	In preparation
F. Lehár	Die lustige Witwe	german	Hanna Glawari	In preparation
P. Tschaikowsky	Eugen Onegin	russ.	Tatjana	In preparation

Repertoire – Opera | Operetta | – previous roles

Composer	Work	Language	Role	Performance
Kurt Weill	Street Scene	german	Rose Maurrant	Hanover State Opera 2013/14 Münster Theatre 2019
W.A. Mozart	Die Zauberflöte	german	Pamina	Hagen Theatre 2015 Landesbühnen Sachsen 2010/11/12 Luisenburg Festival, Wunsiedel 2011 Felsenbühne Rathen 2011 Wernigerode Castle Festival 2007
E. Humperdinck	Hänsel und Gretel	german	Gretel	Saxony State Theatres 2010/11/12
C.M. von Weber	Der Freischütz	german	Ännchen	Landesbühnen Sachsen 2010/11/12 Luisenburg Festival, Wunsiedel 2012 Felsenbühne Rathen 2010/11/12
G. Puccini	La Bohème	german	Musette	Saxony State Theatres 2011/12
L. Spohr	Faust	german	Röschen	Saxony State Theatres 2010/11
N. Ramdohr	Pettersson und Findus	german	Findus	Saxony State Theatres 2010/11/12/13
E. Kálmán	Gräfin Mariza	german	Lisa	Saxony State Theatres 2010/11
F. Lehár	Der Graf von Luxemburg	german	Juliette Vermont	Saxony State Theatres 2011/12
A. Lortzing	Der Waffenschmied	german	Marie	Saxony State Theatres 2011
F. Wildhorn	Dracula	german	Lucy	Saxony State Theatres 2011/12/13

Repertoire – Cantatas | Oratorios | Passions: (a selection)

Composer	Work	Catalogue raisonné
J.S. Bach	Jauchzet Gott in allen Landen	BWV 51
J.S. Bach	Ich habe genug	BWV 82
J.S. Bach	Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme	BWV 140
J.S. Bach	Pfingstkantate Erschallet ihr Lieder	BWV 172
J.S. Bach	Magnificat D-Dur	BWV 243

J.S. Bach	Matthäus-Passion	BWV 244
J.S. Bach	Johannes-Passion	BWV 245
J.S. Bach	Weihnachts-Oratorium	BWV 248
L. van Beethoven	9. Sinfonie	Op. 125
J. Brahms	ein Deutsches Requiem	Op. 45
A. Bruckner	Te Deum	
A. Dvořák	Te Deum	Op. 103
A. Dvořák	Stabat Mater	Op. 58
Ch. Gounod	Cäcilienmesse	
G.F. Händel	Dixit Dominus	
G.F. Händel	Messiah	
J. Haydn	Die Schöpfung	Hob. XXI Nr. 2
J. Haydn	Die Jahreszeiten	Hob. XXI Nr. 3
J. Haydn	Stabat mater	
J. Haydn	Nelsonmesse	Hob. XXI Nr. 11
W.A. Mozart	Exultate, jubilate	KV 165
W.A. Mozart	Vespera solennes de Confessore	KV 339
W.A. Mozart	Missa in c (Sopran 1u.2)	KV 427
W.A. Mozart	Requiem	KV 626
F. Mendelssohn-Bartholdy	Elias	Op. 70
F. Mendelssohn-Bartholdy	Paulus	Op. 36
F. Mendelssohn-Bartholdy	Lobgesang	Op. 52
G. Rossini	Petite Messe solennelle	
J. Rutter	Magnificat	
J. Rutter	Mass of the children	
G. Verdi	Missa da Requiem	