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PATRICK MALLETTÉ BARITONE

During his three years of training as a member of the Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal (the Opéra de Montréal's apprenticeship programme), Patrick Mallette performed a number of roles, including Guglielmo in Mozart's *Così fan tutte*, Belcore in Donizetti's *L'Elisir d'amore*, the Chief of Police in Menotti's *Amelia goes to the Ball*, and Gil in Wolf-Ferrari's *Il Segreto di Susanna*. On the Opéra de Montréal's main stage, he appeared as Marullo in *Rigoletto*, the Marchese D'Obigny in *La Traviata*, Sciarrone in *Tosca*, and Haly in Rossini's *L'Italiana in Algeri*, among others.

Mr. Mallette also participated in the world premiere of Zack Settel's opera *Pacamambo*, produced by Chants Libres, a company with a mandate to create new operas. This opera was also presented as part of the Musicools Festival in Toronto in May 2003, and at the YO! International Youth Opera Festival in Utrecht, Holland in October 2003. During the summer of 2003, Mr. Mallette worked on the title role of *Don Giovanni*, as well as appearing in the role of Masetto at the Vermont Opera Festival.

Mr. Mallette recently sang the baritone solos in Handel's *Messiah* with the New Brunswick Symphony Orchestra, while for La Chapelle de Montréal, under the direction of Yannick Nézet-Séguin, he appeared in the role of Jesus in both the *Saint John Passion* and *Saint Matthew Passion* by Bach.

Future engagements include jeu d'enfants OSM may the role of D'Estillac in Lehar's *La Veuve joyeuse (The Merry Widow)* at the Opéra de Montréal in June 2004, and again in the Opéra de Marseille's production in February 2005. Mr. Mallette will also sing the role of Silvano in Verdi's *Un Ballo in maschera* at the Opéra de Toulon in January 2005.

Mr. Mallette is the recipient of a number of grants, including grants from the Canada Council for the Arts, the Jacqueline Desmarais Foundation for Young Canadian Opera Singers, the Opéra de Montréal, the Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal's "Fonds d'insertion en carrière", and Jeunesses musicales of Canada.

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BARITONE

5'10" (1m78) Eyes: Brown
165 lbs (75 kg) Hair: Brown

TRAINING

- Member, Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal (August 2000 to June 2003)
- Private singing lessons with Marlena Malas (since January 2002)
- Private classical singing lessons with Robert Savoie (1998 to 2001)
- German-language courses, Goethe Institute (August 1998 to 2000)
- Intensive acting workshop for singers, Conservatoire d'art dramatique du Québec à Montréal (August 1999)
- Intensive training in corporeal mime, Omnibus mime school (June 1999)
- Fencing course (1999)

MASTER CLASSES

2003

- Dmitri Hvorostovsky, baritone
- Daniel Lipton, conductor

2002

- Larissa Gergieva, vocal coach
- Marilyn Horne, mezzo-soprano
- Gerald Finley, baritone
- Susan Patterson, soprano

2001

- Christian Badea, conductor
- Martin Isepp, vocal coach
- Cal Stewart Kellogg, conductor
- Edoardo Müller, conductor
- Stefan Szkarafowsky, bass

DISTINCTIONS

2004

- Canada Council for the Arts Grant
- Opéra de Montréal's "Fonds d'insertion en carrière" Grant

2003

- Opéra de Montréal Grant
- Jeunesse musicale of Canada Grant
- Jacqueline Desmarais Foundation Grant
- Opéra de Montréal's "Fonds d'insertion en carrière" Grant

2002

- Jacqueline Desmarais Foundation Grant
- Opéra de Montréal's "Fonds d'insertion en carrière" Grant
- Jeunes Ambassadeurs lyriques Competition Finalist
- Orford Arts Centre Grant

2001

- Opéra de Montréal's "Fonds d'insertion en carrière" Grant
- Opéra de Montréal Grant

PRODUCTIONS

2005

February

- Opéra de Marseille ; *La Veuve joyeuse* by Lehar (D'Estillac)

January

- Opéra de Toulon ; *Un Ballo in maschera* by Verdi (Silvano)

2004

June

- Opéra de Montréal ; *La Veuve joyeuse* by Lehar (D'Estillac)

May

Jeu d'enfants OSM

2003

December

- New Brunswick Symphony Orchestra ; *Messiah* by Handel (baritone solo)

October

- Festival YO!, Utrecht ; *Pacamambo* by Settel (The Psychiatrist)

June

- Vermont Opera Festival ; *Don Giovanni* by Mozart (Masetto)
- Opéra de Montréal ; *L'Italiana in Algeri* by Rossini (Haly)

May

- Musicools Festival, Toronto ; *Pacamambo* by Settel (The Psychiatrist)

April

- Orchestre symphonique de Montréal ; *School Matinees*
2003 (cont'd.)
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February

- Opéra de Montréal ; *Rigoletto* by Verdi (Marullo)

2002

December

- Chants Libres ; world premiere of *Pacamambo* by Settel (The Psychiatrist)
- Opéra de Montréal ; *Gala*

November

- Orchestre symphonique de Montréal ; *School Matinees*

September

- Opéra de Montréal ; *Madama Butterfly* by Puccini (Commissario)

August

- Domaine Forget ; *Benefit concert for the Jacqueline Desmarais Foundation*

July

- Orford Arts Centre ; *Don Giovanni* by Mozart (Leporello)

May

- Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal ; *L'Elisir d'amore* by Donizetti (Belcore)

March

- Opéra de Montréal ; *Tosca* by Puccini (Sciarrone)
- La Chapelle de Montréal ; *Saint John Passion* by Bach (Jesus)
- Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal ; *Amelia goes to the Ball* by Menotti (Chief of Police)
- Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal ; *Così fan tutte* by Mozart (Guglielmo)

February

- Opéra de Montréal ; *La Traviata* by Verdi (Marchese D'Obigny)
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October-November

- Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal ; *Così fan tutte* by Mozart (Guglielmo)

September

- La Chapelle de Montréal ; *Israel in Egypt* by Handel (soloist)

May

- Opéra de Montréal ; *Pelléas et Mélisande* by Debussy (The Doctor and The Shepherd)

April

- La Chapelle de Montréal ; *Saint Matthew Passion* by Bach (Jesus)
- Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal ; *La Fille du régiment* by Donizetti (Sulpice)

February

- Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal ; *Il Segreto di Susanna* by Wolf-Ferrari (Gil)

2000

October-November

- Atelier lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal ; *La Fille du régiment* by Donizetti (Sulpice)

July

- Oberlin Programme, Casalmaggiore ; *Don Giovanni* by Mozart (Leporello)

1999

December

- Théâtre La Chapelle ; world premiere of the chamber opera *Des Hommes inutiles* by Francis Caron (The Guide)

1998

July

- Orford Arts Centre ; *Il Barbiere di Siviglia* by Rossini (Don Basilio)

March

- Université de Montréal Opera Atelier ; *Don Giovanni* by Mozart (Leporello)

February

- Université de Montréal Opera Atelier ; *La Belle Hélène* by Offenbach (Calchas)

1997

November

- Théâtre d'Art Lyrique de Laval ; *Carmen* by Bizet (Zuniga)

July

- Orford Arts Centre ; *Le Nozze di Figaro* by Mozart (Bartolo)

April

- Université de Montréal Opera Atelier; *Gianni Schicchi* by Puccini (Spinelloccio and Amantio di Nicolao)
- Université de Montréal Opera Atelier; *Der Schauspieldirektor* by Mozart (The Banker)

January

- Université de Montréal Opera Atelier; *Die Fledermaus* by Strauss (Frosch)

1996

November

- Théâtre d'Art Lyrique de Laval; *La Bohème* by Puccini (Benoît)