

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST:CHORUS MASTER & REPETITEURS/ACCOMPANISTS

National Opera - Canberra is excited to invite Expressions of Interest from highly skilled and passionate individuals for the roles of Chorus Master and Repetiteur/Accompanists. Opportunities are available on an ongoing and project-based basis, offering the chance to work on a variety of exciting projects.

As a Chorus Master, you will be responsible for leading and coordinating vocal rehearsals, providing vocal coaching, and ensuring the artistic quality and cohesion of the chorus. You will work closely with the Artistic Director regarding the strategic direction, performance opportunities and repertoire for the chorus, and with conductors, directors, and performers to bring the vision of each performance to life.

As a Repetiteur or Accompanist, you will support the musical preparation of singers, assisting with rehearsals and providing accompaniment. A strong background in both classical and contemporary repertoire is essential, as well as a collaborative mindset and the ability to adapt to the unique demands of each performance. Advanced sight reading skills are required, although music will generally be provided with plenty of time for preparation.

Application Requirements:

- An up to date CV outlining your relevant experience;
- A cover letter addressing your interest in the position and relevant skills.

Shortlisted applicants may be required to attend an interview and/or audition as part of the selection process. Pianists should be prepared to play for soloists at the audition.

Previous experience working in opera, or with vocalists is strongly preferred, however some opportunities may be available for emerging accompanists. Due to the expected rehearsal and performance schedules, applicants should be based in, or regularly located in Canberra.

Any enquiries should be sent to recruitment@nationalopera.org.au

Deadline for applications: 5pm Sunday 19 January 2025
Please submit your CV and cover letter to recruitment@nationalopera.org.au