

## **CURRICULUM VITAE DENNIS HEATH**

### **EDUCATION**

- Voice Teachers:** Seth Riggs; Herbert Kraus; Ks.James King;  
Ks.Birgit Nilsson; Martial Singher; Ks.Hans Hopf  
Burton Garlinghouse; Helen Hodam; Horst Gunther;  
Alan Lindquist; Andrew White
- Coaches:** Gwendolyn Koldofsky; Ross Reimueller; Martin Rich  
Irving Beckman; Natalie Limonick; Armen Guzelimian
- Master Classes:** Eleanor Steber; Martin Katz; Geoffrey Parsons  
Ks. James King; Ks. Birgit Nilsson; Ks. Jean Cox &  
Anna Reynolds; Giuseppe di Stefano; Martial Singher;  
Nico Castel; Norman Shetler; Pierre Bernac
- Piano:** Johanna Harris
- Musicology:** Carol MacClintock
- Academia:** California State University, Long Beach  
California Institute of the Arts, Los Angeles  
Cincinnati Conservatory (Graduate School), Ohio  
Music Academy of the West (Santa Barbara)  
University of Southern California (U.S.C.)  
Los Angeles Civic Light Opera Workshop  
American Institute of Musical Studies (AIMS) – Graz, Austria

### **AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS**

- Lauritz Melchior Heldentenor Foundation – Award 1992  
Wagner Society of New York – Scholarship 1990  
Southern California Fine Arts Guild – Award 1990  
Pasadena Opera Guild – Award 1990  
Arrowhead Opera Institute – Scholarship 1989  
Lambda Phi Award for excellence in teaching – 1987

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Voice Faculty:** Hochschule für Musik und Theater (Munich, Germany)  
Bayerische Theaterakademie / August Everding (Munich)  
University of Redlands  
Scripps College (Claremont)  
California State University / Fullerton  
Los Angeles City College  
Pacific Conservatory / Performing Arts

**Lecturer:** El Camino College; Cyprus College; Chaffey College  
Cerritos College

## PERFORMANCES

### Concert (soloist)

<b>Conductor</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Location</b>
Leonard Bernstein	Mass	Mark Taper Forum
Roger Wagner	Messiah	Dorothy Chandler Pav.
	Elijah	Dorothy Chandler Pav.
	Carmina Burana	Dorothy Chandler Pav.
	Trial by Jury	Dorothy Chandler Pav.
	Mozart Requiem	Carnegie Hall
Robert Shaw	Beethoven's 9th	Pomona
Jon Robertson	Mozart Requiem	University of Redlands
Simon Rattle	Seven Deadly Sins	Dorothy Chandler Pav.
Edward Low	Vespers 1610	Pasadena
	Weihnachtsoratorium	Pasadena
	Seasons	Pasadena
William Hatcher	Verdi Requiem	Pasadena
Heinrich Bender	Otello (excerpts)	Bavarian Sate Opera
	Carmen (excerpts)	Bavarian Sate Opera

**Concert (chorus):** Carlo Mario Giulini; Norman Luboff; Roger Wagner;  
Claudio Abbado; Zubin Mehta

### **Opera / Operetta / Musicals (soloist):**

<b>Title</b>	<b>Role</b>	<b>Location</b>
Albert Herring	Albert	Hidden Valley Opera (Carmel)
Fidelio	Florestan	Palos Verdes
Brigadoon	Charley	PCPA (Santa Maria)
Die lustige Witwe	Camille	Staatstheater am Gärtnerplatz
Ritorno d'Ulisse	Giove	Staatstheater am Gärtnerplatz
Die Zauberflöte	1st Armed Guard	Staatstheater am Gärtnerplatz
La Juive	Leopold	Riverside Opera

### **Opera (chorus):**

New York City Opera:	Die Meistersinger; Mefistofele; Turandot (Los Angeles)
Bayreuther Festspiele:	Fliegender Holländer; Parsifal; Tannhäuser; Götterdämmerung; Tristan und Isolde (Bayreuth)
Züricher Oper:	Fliegender Holländer (Zürich)
Frankfurter Oper:	Samson et Dalila; Luisa Miller; Götterdämmerung; Oberon; Lustige Witwe; Fidelio; La Traviata
Bayerische Staatsoper:	Tannhäuser; Fliegender Holländer (Munich)
Salzburger Festspiele:	Tristan und Isolde (Tokyo)

### **Recordings:**

"The Young Americans" - Presented by Johnny Mathis (Mercury)  
"While We're Young" - The Young Americans (ABC)  
"The Wonderful World of the Young" - The Young Americans (ABC)  
"Time For Livin'" - The Young Americans (ABC)  
"Firestone Christmas Album" - The Young Americans (Firestone)  
"Byzantia: Two Journeys After Yeats" - Alden Ashforth (Orion)  
"Passage" - Carpenters (A&M)  
"Voice of the Heart" - Carpenters (A&M)  
"Music of Bernstein" - Jena Philharmonic Orch. (Arte Nova Classics)

### **Movies:**

Yes, Giorgio (with Luciano Pavarotti); The Young Americans; Empire of the Sun;  
Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom; Like Father, Like Son; Two of a Kind;  
The Money Pit; Red Heat; Lord of the Rings

**TV:**

Johnny Carson Show; Hollywood Palace; Meredith Willson Specials; Dean Martin Specials; Andy Williams Show; NHK-TV Japan

**EXTRAS**

**Shows with:** Johnny Mathis; "Tennessee" Ernie Ford; Bing Crosby; Kate Smith; Caterina Valente; Dianna Ross & the Supremes; Gladys Knight & the Pips; Ann Corio; Roger Miller; Sergio Franchi; Dorothy Kirsten; James McCracken; Julie Andrews; Vic Damone; Dean Martin; Meredith Willson; Bob Hope; Anna Moffo; Carpenters

**Unions:** AGMA; AFTRA; SAG; NATS; GEMA