

Chorus Master

The position as Chorus Master in Den Norske Opera & Ballett is vacant from 1. August 2025, for a fixed term of 3 years. The Chorus Master reports to the Artistic Director of Opera and has full artistic responsibility for the Norwegian National Opera Chorus, which at present consists of 52 full-time singers.

The Chorus Master is supported by a Chorus Administrator.

Responsibilities include

- Artistic development of the chorus in line with the Artistic Director of Opera's vision and strategy.
- Responsibility for ensuring the Norwegian National Opera Chorus maintains the highest professional standards, provides a positive working environment, and supports chorus members' professional development and welfare
- Preparing and rehearsing the chorus
- Artistic and administrative dialogue with conductors and directors on individual productions
- Artistic responsibility for chorus concerts and tours
- Advising the Artistic Director of Opera on chorus matters
- Planning the chorus' musical rehearsals and season schedule
- Recruitment of new chorus members
- Conducting the chorus backstage as necessary

Required qualifications include

- Broad knowledge of the opera repertoire and significant relevant experience
- High level of proficiency in both piano accompaniment and conducting
- Good language skills - preferably German and/or Italian in addition to English. The working language of the chorus and the opera house is Norwegian and the acquisition of a basic knowledge of the language will be required. Support will be provided for the successful candidate.
- Broad experience in chorus management
- Experience of (artistic) trade union relations and consultation with union representatives
- Good skills as a team player and communicator
- Ability to manage a large workload effectively
- Administrative ability

We offer

- An opera house and a company of the highest professional standard
- Artistic challenges and an exciting, well-resourced working environment
- A high degree of autonomy in the job
- Pension scheme
- Favourable holiday allowance
- Salary and terms to be negotiated

Indrykningsdato

10.10.2024

Ansøgningsfrist

22.10.2024

Virksomhedsnavn

Den Norske Opera & Ballett

Lokation

OSLO

Fagområde



Musik / Sang / Lyd

Angiv type af ansættelse

Fuldtid

Navn på kontaktperson

Sissel Wiik

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Søgstilling

<https://candidate.hr-manager.net/ApplicationInit.aspx?cid=256&ProjectId=188672&DepartmentId>

Info

Any queries regarding the position can be directed to Artistic Director of Opera Randi Stene c/o Hanne Nordengen by e-mail: hanne.nordengen@operaen.no

The Norwegian National Opera & Ballet aims to promote diversity within the workplace. Qualified applicants are encouraged to apply regardless of background.

Please note that the Norwegian National Opera & Ballet has a policy of public application lists.