# University of New Mexico Curriculum Vitae

### Paula Corbin Swalin

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### Education

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Eastman School of Music Master of Music, Performance and Literature in Voice, 1992

University of New Mexico Bachelor of Music, Vocal Performance, 1989

Denver Paralegal Institute Certificate of Paralegal Studies, 1995

# **University Teaching**

University of New Mexico Lecturer II in Music, 2008 to Present

Courses Taught:

Applied Voice Lessons, Undergraduate and Graduate, 2008 to Present

Music Repertoire: Voice (MUS 449/559) Fall 2009 and 2011

Aural Skills I (MUS 150), Fall 2012

Graduate Music History Review (MUS 437) Spring 2016 Music Appreciation (MUS 139) Fall 2010 to Spring 2017) Film Music History (MUS 376) Spring 2013 to Present

UNM Honky-Tonk Ensemble (MUS 438/538) Fall 2019 and Spring 2020

## **Additional Teaching**

UNM Lobo Vocal Academy Faculty, 2016-2018

Paula Swalin Voice Studio Owner/Instructor, 2004 to 2012

### Performance

#### Oratorio

Requiem, Mozart, mezzo-soprano soloist Solemn Vespers, K. 339, Mozart, alto soloist

St. John Passion, J.S. Bach Requiem, Mozart (soprano)

Elijah, Mendelssohn

Messiah (Selections), Handel

C Minor Mass, Mozart

Magnificat, C.P.E Bach

University of New Mexico, December 2018 University of New Mexico, March 2017 New Mexico Philharmonic, March 2013

St. John United Methodist Church, April 2009

Monte Vista Christian Church

Heights Cumberland Presbyterian & St. John UMC

New Mexico Technical Institute, 2004

Canticum Novum, Santa Fe

#### Recital

Second Sunday Faculty Spotlight, *Clarieres dan le ciel* (Boulanger), *Five Poems of Anna Akhmatova*, (Prokofiev), *Dickinson Songs* by Kristin Ditlow, University of New Mexico, January 2019 Music from the Americas Concert Series, Season IV, Concert 7 featuring Federico Ibarra, *Seis melodias sobre poemas de Verlaine*, March 2016.

"Music of Frederic Mompou and Federico Ibarra" Arts in Medicine Concert Series at UNMH, January 27, 2016

Spanisches Liederspiel, Robert Schumann, Kristin Ditlow Faculty Recital, April 2015

"Music of Frederic Mompou" University of New Mexico Faculty Recital, September 2014

"Fred Sturm and Friends" Outpost Performance Space, November 2014

University of New Mexico, Faculty Recital, 2012

Music at St. John's, Composers 101: Barber, 2011

Music at St. John's, Composers 101: Copland, 2010

Music at St. John's, Composers 101: Brahms for Dummies,

Thursday Evening Musicale, St. John United Methodist, 2008, 2009, 2010

Lenten Recital Series, Heights Cumberland Presbyterian, 2005

## Opera

Merry Wives of Windsor	Anne	University of New Mexico
Street Scene	Jenny Hildebrand	Eastman School of Music
Carmen	Frasquita	University of New Mexico
El Barbarillo de Lavapies	Paloma	Viva Zarzuela (Albuquerque, NM)
The Magic Flute	Papagena, First Spirit	University of New Mexico
Bastien und Bastienna	Bastienna	University of New Mexico

#### **Musical Theater**

42nd Street Phyllis Dale SUNY Brockport

Phantom Chorus Country Dinner Playhouse, Denver Gigi Chorus Albuquerque Civic Light Opera

#### Choral

Cantata 104: *Du Hirte, Israel, höre,* J.S. Bach, St. John's Bach Project, St. John's UMC, April 2017 Beethoven Mass in C, New Mexico Philharmonic & St. John's UMC Choir, February 2013 St. John's UMC Chancel Choir, 2008-2012

Height's Cumberland Presbyterian Church Chancel Choir, 2004-2008

#### **Additional Performances**

"National Anthem," Fifty-Second Legislature, First Session, February 9, 2015

"Ricordi Furtivi" by Barbara Rettagliati, (American Premiere), John Donald Robb Composers Symposium, 2011

Stabat Mater by Giovanni Pergolesi (excerpts) with UNM's Las Cantantes, March 2011 Spavanochky by Sergei Zhukov, (American Premiere), John Donald Robb Composers Symposium, 2011

"Excerpts from Carmen: Micaela's Aria" UNM Choirs Spring Concert, February 2007 *The Wind,* song cycle by Scott Wilkinson (World Premiere), John Donald Robb Composers Symposium, 2007

Thursday Evening Musicale at St. John's UMC:

Deux Melodies by Frederic Mompou, July 2014

Strauss Songs, July 2010

Duets, Cage's Living Room Music, July 2009

Selections from Meet Me in St. Louis, July 2008

#### **Direction/Production**

Berning Down the House with Bernstein, Studio Class Performance, UNM, May 2019

Improv! The Musical, Studio Class Performance Project, UNM 2013

Musical Theater Scenes, Paula Corbin Swalin Voice Studio, 2010 and 2011

No Sets, No Lights, No Costumes, No Refunds! Paula Corbin Swalin Voice Studio, 2009

By Ones and Twos, Studio Class Performance Project, UNM 2008

New Mexico All-State Choir Audition and Practice Recordings, 2004 (Audition CD), 2005 (Audition

CD and Instrumental Repertoire Learning CD), 2006 (Audition and Vocal Repertoire Learning CD)

## Awards, Certifications, and Additional Training

Singing Voice Specialist Training Certification, NICEV, 2017

UNM Online Course Advisory Certification, 2016

Quality Matters Course Certification, 2016

 $Somatic\ Voicework\ ^{TM}\ The\ LoVetri\ Method,\ Levels\ I,\ II,\ and\ III,\ CCM\ Vocal\ Pedagogy\ Institute\ at$ 

Shenandoah University, 2015

National Association of Teachers of Singing Teacher Intern Program, 2006

### **Publications**

"Vocal Health for Young Singers." The NFHS Music Association Journal, Volume 34, No. 2, 2017-18

"Vocal Health for Young Singers." The New Mexico Musician, Volume LVIV, No. 1, Fall 2016

#### **Conference Presentations**

"Solo Vocal Repertoire for All-State Auditions – Beyond the Twenty-Four Italian Songs and Arias" – New Mexico Music Educators Conference, January 2018, with Kristin Ditlow, DMA

"Protecting the Voice, Yours and Theirs" – New Mexico Music Educators Conference, January 2016, with Alyssa Lord, CCC-SLP

## Workshops/Masterclasses Taught

UNM All-State Prep Workshop, Coordinator and Masterclass Teacher, 2014-2019

"Vocal Health – Teachers and Students" – Albuquerque Public Schools Teacher Professional Development Workshop, August 2019

"Use It, Don't Lose It! Ageless Singing" – 2019 Quintessence Summer Choral Festival, July 2019 11th Annual World Voice Day Workshop, Masterclass Teacher, April 2019

"Vocal Health for Choral Singers" – 2018 Quintessence Summer Choral Festival, July 2018

"Healthy Singing" – Festival de Bellas Artes, National Hispanic Cultural Center, February 2017

# **Leadership/Committees**

UNM OCAC Committee for Online Course Peer Review, 2016 to present

Governor, Rio Grande Chapter/District NATS, March 2015 to March 2018

President, Rio Grande Chapter/District NATS, February 2012 to March 2015

UNM Music Department Scheduling Committee, 2013 to 2015

UNM Library Committee, 2012 to 2014

Vice-President, Rio Grande Chapter/District NATS, February 2010 to February 2012

Secretary, Rio Grande Chapter/District NATS, February 2005 to February 2010

### **Administrative**

Co-Coordinator, 11th Annual World Voice Day Workshop, April 2019

Coordinator, Hall Johnson Competition, Texoma Regional Auditions, November 2017

Co-Coordinator, 9th Annual World Voice Day Symposium, April 2017

Coordinator, UNM Lobo Vocal Academy, 2017 and 2018

Auditions Chair, Edward Baird Singer of the Year Competition at Texoma NATS, November 2016

UNM Music Department Scheduling Coordinator, Fall 2010 to Fall 2015

# Adjudication/Peer Review

New Mexico All-State Choir Adjudicator, 2015, 2016, 2019

National Student Auditions, National Association of Teachers of Singing (Preliminary, Semi-Final, and Final Rounds) 2019

NMMEA Central District Solo & Ensemble, 2016, 2017, 2019

NMMEA North Central District Solofest, January 2019

National Student Auditions, National Association of Teachers of Singing (Preliminary, Semi-Final, and Final Rounds) 2017

2015 Texoma Artist Series Peer Review, NATS, Texoma Region

### **Guest Lectures**

"Considering Articulation, Caring For the Voice." MUS 407/439/507/539, Writing For the Voice, Instructor: Richard Hermann, Ph.D., September 2019

"Working With Singers and Singing Voice Habilitators." SHS 535, Medical Speech Language Pathology, Instructor: Carol Romero-Clark, MS, CCC-SLP, May 2019

"Analysis of the Voice." MUS 388/588, Vocal Pedagogy, Instructor: Michael Hix DMA, September 2018

"Commercial Music Vocal Pedagogy." MUS 388/588, Vocal Pedagogy, Instructor Michael Hix, DMA, November 2016

"Russian Song." MUS 449/549, Music Repertory-Vocal Lit., Instructor: Michael Hix, DMA, Fall 2013 and 2015