

# **Curriculum Vitae**

Name Ursula Oelke

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Vocal range Soprano

Languages German, English, French, Italian

### **Musical Education**

Piano Piano studies starting in 1983:

Zurich Conservatory - Verena Schaller-Pfenninger

Teacher's diploma 1987Concert diploma 1991

Voice Singing lessons since 1980:

11 years in St. Gall with: Regula Hesse-Ammann

**Sharon Gross** 

Susan Reppion-Brooke

3 years with Matthias Toggenburger in Winterthur

2 years with Susan Falk in Sydney/Australia 10 years with Romeo Alavi Kia (Vienna/Berlin) 1 year with Stefania Huonder (Switzerland) 1 year with John Lehman (Hamburg)

several Masterclasses

Choral Singing 3 years Youth Choir St. Gall (P. Kraehenbuehl)

4 years Children's Choir Theatre St. Gall (R. Stecher)
3 years SchoolChoir Grammar school St. Gall (P. Huber)
1 year Grand Choir Conservatory Zurich (A. Charlet)
5 years Madrigal Choir Conservatory Zurich (P. Siegwart)
3 years Study Choir oft he Diocese Church Music School in

St. Gall (R. Bruggmann)

#### **Concerts**

As a concert singer at home and abroad (Switzerland, Austria, Germany, Australia et al.):

- Recitals with songs of Barber/Bernstein/Britten,
   Schubert/Mahler/Wagner/Strauss,
   Wolf/Berg/Schumann et al.
- Chamber music with diverse fellow musicians
- Soli in
  - Oratorios of Mendelssohn, Charpentier, Händel, Purcell, Bernstein et al.
  - Masses of Mozart, Schubert et al.

# Stage performances

Diverse "Sister Act" – Sister Mary Patrick CultChurch St. Leonhard

St. Gall

Rodgers/Hart "The Boys of Syracus" - Adriana Cellarstage St. Gallen

Puccini "La Bohème" – Chor Corn Market Theatre

Bregenz

Smetana "The Bartered Bride" - Kathinka Music theatre

Friedrichshafen e.V.

Lerner/Loewe "My fair Lady" – 2. Maid Municipal theatre St. Gall

## Further artistic activities

Piano teacher Grammar School am Burggraben St. Gall since 1996

Teacher's College St. Gall 1996 - 2011

Private lessons since 1978

Voice teacher Private lessons since 2004

Musical. Direction/

Piano

"Marry me a little" (Sondheim)

Cellarstage St. Gall

Singing Coach of the accapella group ExtrAcappella in St. Gall

Répétiteur for seminars, auditions and private lessons in Vienna,

Eisenstadt (A), Zürich, St. Gallen, Sydney (AUS) et al.

for opera, operettas and musicals in St. Gall,

Friedrichshafen (GER), Bregenz (A), Sydney (AUS)

Choir-master/ Répétiteur at the Grammar School am Burggraben St. Gall for the musicals HAIR, GREASE, SISTER ACT,

MAGDALENA, HELENA et al.

Project choirs for orchestral concerts in Goldach/Arbon

Orchestra pianist with the Symphony Orchestra St. Gall

Musikkollegium Orchestra Winterthur