UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND SCHOOL OF MUSIC

NOTICE OF ADJUNCT FACULTY VACANCY – Beginning August, 2019

TITLE: Interim Lecturer of Voice (soprano; part-time, two-year appointment)

RANK: Lecturer

POSITION SUMMARY AND QUALIFICATIONS
The University of Maryland School of Music seeks an adjunct Lecturer of Voice for a two-year appointment. This is a part-time, 9.5-month appointment whose duties include: teaching and mentoring approximately six to ten undergraduate and graduate voice students annually; teaching one semester each year of Advanced Lyric English Diction; teaching other courses as needed and as per expertise; evaluating auditions and juries; teaching and/or participating in studio classes; and attending student recitals, including a schoolwide series of weekly noontime performances. The successful candidate will be able to work collaboratively with other faculty at the School of Music and be committed to working with a diverse student population. S/he will also have a documented record of excellence as both a professional singer and as an effective teacher of singing at the collegiate level. Preference will be given to a soprano. A graduate degree in voice or commensurate professional experience is required. Compensation is commensurate with experience and is based on final teaching load; position is benefits-eligible.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE For best consideration, please apply by May 17, 2019. Applications should consist of a brief cover letter, a curriculum vitae, and the names of at least three references with accompanying current contact information, including address, telephone, and e-mail. ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY EMAIL TO: Heather Mundwiler, Assistant to the Director, hmundwil@umd.edu. Please use the subject line “Interim Voice Search” for this message. Attachments in PDF format can be used for the cover letter, cv, and references.

CAMPUS: Founded in 1856, the University of Maryland, College Park is the flagship institution in the University System of Maryland. Our 1,250-acre College Park campus is just minutes away from Washington D.C., and the nexus of the nation’s legislative, executive and judicial centers of power. This unique proximity to business and technology leaders, federal departments and agencies, and a myriad of research entities, embassies, think tanks, cultural centers, and non-profit organizations is simply unparalleled. Synergistic opportunities for our faculty and students abound and are virtually limitless in the nation’s capital and surrounding areas. The University is committed to attracting and retaining outstanding and diverse faculty and staff that will enhance our stature of preeminence in our three missions of teaching, scholarship, and full engagements in our community, the State of Maryland and in the world.

SCHOOL OF MUSIC: Located on the University of Maryland campus and a part of the College of Arts and Humanities, the School of Music is a dynamic arts community committed to cultivating and transforming musical traditions and preparing students for meaningful engagement with their art, their culture and the world community. The School of Music is an integral part of the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center—a premiere arts presenting venue and creative laboratory for professional artists, teachers and students—housed within a state-of-the-art complex with six performance venues, rehearsal rooms, production shops, classrooms, and the School of Theatre, Dance and Performance Studies, along with the Michele Smith Performing Arts Library.
Located just minutes from the Nation's Capital, the University is linked by mass transit to one of the most vital music scenes in the country. The region is home to two major symphony orchestras (the National Symphony Orchestra and Baltimore Symphony) and numerous celebrated performance venues including the Kennedy Center, Library of Congress, Smithsonian Museums, National Gallery, and the Corcoran and Kreeger Museums. In addition, world-class research facilities within minutes of the campus include the Library of Congress, Smithsonian Institution, and the National Archives.

The University of Maryland, College Park actively subscribes to a policy of equal employment opportunity and will not discriminate against any employee or applicant because of race, age, sex, color, sexual orientation, physical or mental disability, religion, ancestry or national origin, marital status, genetic information, political affiliation, and gender identity or expression. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply.

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