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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **INDIANAPOLIS OPERA RESIDENT ARTISTS TO PERFORM FIRST CONCERT DURING INAUGURAL SUNDAYS AT THE BASILE PROGRAM**

Who: Indianapolis Opera Resident Artist Program Members

Soprano Allison Nicholas  
Tenor Nathanael Hein

Mezzo-Soprano Stephanie Feigenbaum  
Baritone Jacob Pence

What: Sundays at the Basile, a musical journey through the dramatic, ecstatic, lustful and delicate sides of opera, art song and Broadway. Songs from *La Traviata*, *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, *Into the Woods*, and *Carmen*, are among the offerings for this concert.

When: Sunday, September 13 at 2:30 pm

Where: Basile Opera Center, 4011 N. Meridian Street, Indianapolis

Why: To nurture the professional growth and development of artists off and on the stage and to allow them the opportunity to share their love of opera with diverse audiences.

How: This is a ticketed event. Tickets are available at the door for \$20 per person or a season package for three shows is available for \$50.

#### **About Indianapolis Opera**

Since 1975, Indianapolis Opera has delivered the passion, excitement and art of opera throughout Indiana with compelling educational, cultural and community activities. The Indianapolis Opera Resident Artist Program reaches 30,000 children and adults statewide each year, with additional performances in Michigan, Illinois and Kentucky. In 2014, the company embraced an intensive organizational assessment process to examine its business operations, gather audience feedback and understand community needs in a changing environment. One of several outcomes includes the hiring of Kevin Patterson in February 2015 as Indianapolis Opera's General Director.

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