

Frank Dale Travis Bass-Baritone

Dale Travis has become one of the most sought-after bass-baritones in America today. With a repertoire encompassing 50 roles over 25 years in a wide variety of styles from Mozart, Donizetti, and Rossini to Strauss, Puccini, and Wagner, Mr. Travis has been a frequent guest artist at the most prestigious opera companies in the world. He has appeared with the Metropolitan Opera, Lyric Opera of Chicago, San Francisco Opera, Houston Grand Opera, Washington National Opera, Los Angeles Opera, Santa Fe Opera Festival, Opera Colorado, Spoleto Festival USA, the Saito Kinen Festival Matsumoto, Teatro Regio Torino, Teatro Carlo Felice in Genoa, the Komische Oper Berlin, and the New Israeli Opera in Tel Aviv. Recently, Mr. Travis returned to Lyric Opera of Chicago for Tosca and Die lustige Witwe, Santa Fe Opera for Arabella, Die Zauberflöte, and Albert Herring, and San Francisco Opera for Le nozze di Figaro and The Makropulos Case. Other performances include Sergeant Sulpice in La fille du régiment in St. Louis, Louis in A View from the Bridge in Rome, Don Magnifico in La Cenerentola at Opera Colorado, Dr. Kolenatý in Věc Makropulos at the Metropolitan Opera, Baron Douphol in La traviata with Dallas Opera, Bartolo in Il barbiere di Siviglia with Kentucky Opera, and the role of Sacristan in Tosca with Michigan Opera Theatre. In 2018, he returned to Glimmerglass Opera for Il barbiere di Siviglia, West Side Story, and Silent Night. Recent engagements include the Dallas Opera and San Francisco Opera for Sacristan in Tosca, a return to Minnesota Opera for Nino Rota's Il cappello di paglia di Firenze, and a return to Santa Fe Opera as Don Alfonso in Così fan tutte. This season, he debuts with the Atlanta Opera and Virginia Opera as Don Magnifico in La Cenerentola.