



## **Danish National Opera/ Den Jyske Opera Auditions for the Extra Chorus List/Assistants List**

Tenors: Friday 21 January 2022 from 10.30 AM

Altos: Monday 24 January 2022 from 10.30 AM

Den Jyske Opera/Danish National Opera is the national touring opera company of Denmark. The company is based in Aarhus, Denmark.

We are looking for committed and flexible singers who can fulfill a broad spectrum of musical, theatrical, and vocal requirements.

There might be a vacant permanent tenor position to be filled by 1 September 2022. This position will be offered qualified applicants.

### **Application**

Applications must be submitted by e-mail to [casting@jyske-opera.dk](mailto:casting@jyske-opera.dk) using the form below, accompanied by a photo and CV. The application form and accompanying documents should be submitted as a single PDF-file.

The application must be received by Den Jyske Opera/Danish National Opera no later than:  
**17 December 2021 at 5 PM.**

Forms can be downloaded from the link below or via [www.jyske-opera.dk](http://www.jyske-opera.dk)

- [Application form tenor](#)
- [Application form alto](#)

### **Terms of payment and employment**

As per agreement with Dansk Musikerforbund (The Danish Musicians Union).

### **About the auditions:**

The panel selects a number of applicants for the auditions shortly after the application deadline.

### **Time and location:**

Friday 21 January (tenors) and Monday 24 January (altos) - both days beginning at 10.30 AM at Søren Frichsvej 38 F, 8230 Åbyhøj in Aarhus, Denmark (rehearsal rooms of Den Jyske Opera/Danish National Opera).

Applicants invited to the audition will be notified about the exact schedule for the audition by e-mail no later than **18 January 2022.**

### **Audition panel**

General and Artistic Director of the Danish National Opera, Philipp Kochheim

Director of Music, Christopher Lichtenstein

Studienleiter, Peter Pade

Three representatives of the Danish National Opera Chorus (Den Jyske Operas Kor)

The Union representative of the Chorus (observer)

An external voice expert (observer)

### **The audition will take the following format:**

- A. An operatic aria of the candidates choice to be sung by heart (max 5 min)
- B. Mandatory assignments:
  - 1) a chorus piece from the opera repertoire (memorized)
  - 2) a short chamber choir piece (not to be memorized)
  - 3) a secunda vista piece, presented at the audition

**In addition**, the panel may ask a candidate to do some short aural tests and vocal exercises to conclude. The panel reserves the right to conclude the audition at any time.

### **The mandatory pieces 1 and 2 will be e-mailed to the candidates on 7 January 2022**

Please note that the requirements of the audition cannot be waived. This includes performance from memory. The mandatory items can be done in an order chosen by the candidate.

### **Pianist**

Den Jyske Opera/Danish National Opera will provide a pianist for the audition. It is not possible for the applicants to bring their own pianist. Please bring a clear copy of the chosen aria for the pianist.

### **Information and questions**

Candidates are very welcome to contact Studienleiter Peter Pade [ppj@jyske-opera.dk](mailto:ppj@jyske-opera.dk) with queries.