

# Guide to YOST: Y / Opera / Studies Today

YOST



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## Collection Overview

**REPOSITORY:** Oral History of American Music  
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**CALL NUMBER:** YOST

**TITLE:** YOST: Y / Opera / Studies Today

**DATES:** 2020–2021

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 12 Computer Files (25.74 gigabytes)

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** A collection of recorded conferences, workshops and presentations hosted by the Yale Opera Studies initiative.

**ONLINE FINDING AID:** To cite or bookmark this finding aid, please use the following link: <https://hdl.handle.net/10079/fa/oham.yost>

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## Administrative Information

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### Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research. The finding aid includes links to stream most interviews online via Oral History of American Music's (OHAM) AV access system, Aviary. Yale users can login to Aviary using their Yale University ID, to stream these interviews without restriction. Other users are able to request access to interviews directly through Aviary. For access instructions, and to request transcripts of an interview, see [OHAM's website](#).

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### Conditions Governing Use

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### Preferred Citation

YOST, YOST: Y / Opera / Studies Today, Oral History of American Music, in the Music Library of Yale University.

## **Processing Information**

Recording of Developing Opera in the Age of #MeToo was received as a single mp4 file, sent to OHAM via network transfer. Three access files (two mov and 1 mp4) -- one for each of the three panels recorded from the conference -- were then created from the master file.

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## **Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements**

mp4 and mov files

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## **Scope and Contents**

A collection of recorded conferences, workshops and presentations hosted by the Yale Opera Studies initiative.

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## **Arrangement**

The collection is arranged chronologically by the order in which panels and workshops were presented.

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## Collection Contents

### Developing Opera in the Age of #MeToo, 2020 May 8

Kreuzer, Gundula Katharina , organizer

The 2020 annual Y / Opera / Studies Today conference of the Yale Department of Music: Developing Opera in the Age of #MeToo, presented via webinar on May 5, 2020

Composing Women's Issues 2020 May 8

YOST 1 a

*1 Computer File (4.44 gigabytes)*

*Approximate running time: 67 mins*

Reid, Ellen (Composer) , interviewee

Mazzoli, Missy , interviewee

Cusick, Suzanne G. , interviewer

Ellison, Cori , interviewer

[\[Aviary\] YOST 1 a](#)

Conference convened via videochat, organized in New Haven, CT

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Developing New Opera 2020 May 8

YOST 1 b

*1 Computer File (4.44 gigabytes)*

*Approximate running time: 116 mins*

Kreuzer, Gundula Katharina , moderator

Cremo, Paul , panelist

Harrington, Wendall , panelist

Mazzoli, Missy , panelist

Morrison, Beth , panelist

Osgood, Steven , panelist

Reid, Ellen (Composer) , panelist

Tesori, Jeanine , panelist

Zambello, Francesca , panelist

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Salt: A Workshop Exploration of the Online Possibilities of Opera 2020 May 8

YOST 1 c

*1 Computer File (1.52 gigabytes)*

*Approximate running time: 102 mins*

Diamond, Patrick (Theater Director) , moderator

Calcagno, Mauro (Musicologist) , respondent

Brunelle, Jill , presenter

Gambini, Danilo , presenter

Pollock, Frances , presenter

Roller, Emily , presenter

Tassi, Camilla (Projection Designer) , presenter

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**Opera and Representation, 2021 May 6-8**

Kreuzer, Gundula Katharina , organizer

The 2021 annual Y / Opera / Studies Today conference of the Yale Department of Music: Opera and Representation, presented via webinar on May 6 and May 8, 2021

Director's Commentary: The Industry's Sweet Land (Los Angeles, 2020) 2021 May 6

YOST 2 a

*1 Computer File (1.06 gigabytes)**Running time: approximately 92 mins*

Sharon, Yuval , speaker

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Welcome and Introduction 2021 May 8

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*1 Computer File (128 megabytes)**Approximate running time: 13 mins*

Kreuzer, Gundula Katharina , speaker

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Lightning Talks I: Casting Aida - "My Skin Was My Costume": Blackness and Aida, 2021 May 8

1925-1933

YOST 2 b ii

*1 Computer File (66.1 megabytes)**Approximate running time: 12 mins*

Caplan, Lucy , presenter

Zabala, Adriana

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Lightning Talks I: Casting Aida - Before the Met: Leontyne Price, Television, and the NBC Opera Theater 2021 May 8

Opera Theater

YOST 2 b iii

*1 Computer File (58.5 megabytes)**Approximate running time: 11 mins*

Ward-Griffin, Danielle , presenter

Zabala, Adriana

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Lightning Talks I: Casting Aida - Join the Chorus of Voices: Opera, Identity, and the Social 2021 May 8

Media Moment

YOST 2 b iv

1 Computer File (105 megabytes)

Approximate running time: 9 mins

Mosley, Imani Danielle , presenter

Zabala, Adriana

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Lightning Talks I: Casting Aida - Discussion 2021 May 8

YOST 2 b v

1 Computer File (258 megabytes)

Approximate running time: 23 mins

Gibson, Maya

Caplan, Lucy

Ward-Griffin, Danielle

Mosley, Imani Danielle

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Lightning Talks II: Challenging Stories, Staging, (Dis)Appearance 2021 May 8

YOST 2 b vi

1 Computer File (615 megabytes)

Approximate running time: 62 minutes

Calico, Joy Haslam, 1965-

Ebright, Ryan , presenter

Everett, Yayoi Uno , presenter

Steigerwald Ille, Megan, 1987- , presenter

Sheppard, William Anthony, 1969-

[\[Aviary\] YOST 2 b vi](#)

Includes introduction, three lightning talks, and discussion. Lightning talk titles: Reinventing Malcolm, Redefining Opera: Anthony Davis's X (Ryan Ebright), Saariaho and Sellars's Only the Sound Remains (2016): Transcoding the Aesthetics of Noh Drama (Yayoi Uno Everett), and "They told me nothing/They gave me nothing": Approaching Erasure in The Industry's Sweet Land (Megan Steigerwald Ille).

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## Discussion I: Economics in the Field of Cultural Production

2021 May 8

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*1 Computer File (821 megabytes)**Approximate running time: 61 mins*

Chu, Allison , moderator

Pollock, Frances , moderator

Acon, Derrell , panelist

Diamond, Patrick (Theater Director) , panelist

Harris, Maurice L. , panelist

Lang, David (David A.) , panelist

Romano, Aleks , panelist

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## Discussion II: Developing New Themes in Opera

2021 May 8

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*1 Computer File (1.16 gigabytes)**Approximate running time: 95 mins*

Kreuzer, Gundula Katharina , moderator

Du, Yun, 1977- , panelist

Kearney, Douglas , panelist

Lewis, George S. , panelist

Sharon, Yuval , panelist

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## Discussion III: Diversification through Collaboration?

2021 May 8

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*1 Computer File (1.47 gigabytes)**Approximate running time: 91 mins*

Nyong'o, Tavia , moderator

Chacon, Raven , panelist

Du, Yun, 1977- , panelist

Kearney, Douglas , panelist

Lewis, George, 1952- , panelist

Lien, Mimi , panelist

Sharon, Yuval , panelist

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Discussion IV: What To Do With the Canon? + Final Thoughts

2021 May 8

YOST 2 f

*1 Computer File (1.66 gigabytes)*

*Approximate running time: 98 mins*

André, Naomi Adele , moderator

Brooks, Daphne , panelist

Heard, Ethan , panelist

Moore, Latonia , panelist

Sharon, Yuval , panelist

[\[Aviary\] YOST 2 f](#)

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## **Selected Search Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### **Subjects**

Opera  
Women in music

### **Acquired From**

Kreuzer, Gundula Katharina