Rachele Gilmore has established herself as one of America’s most sought after coloratura sopranos, and continues to thrill audiences around the globe combining what Opera News describes as a “silvery soprano...with an effortlessness that thrills her audience.” A regular performer in America, Europe and Asia, Ms. Gilmore is consistently praised for being “the vocal standout” and a dynamic actress; “displaying more talent and charm than any one person should be allowed to possess.” This season, Ms. Gilmore appears with Maestro Manfred Honeck and the Pittsburgh Symphony for both Haydn’s Creation and Handel’s Messiah, sings performances of Nannetta in Falstaff with Opera Omaha, and essays the title role in Lucia di Lammermoor with Virginia Opera. Rachele Gilmore’s 2016-2017 season featured performances of Gretel in Hansel und Gretel with the Lyric Opera of Kansas City, Marie in La fille du regiment with Austin Opera, and Olympia in Les Contes d’Hoffmann with Hawaii Opera Theatre. She also appeared in concert with the Los Angeles Philharmonic for performances of the Haydn Creation, the Seoul Philharmonic for scenes from Alice in Wonderland, and with the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra for a performance of Mozart’s Exsultate, jubilate and three songs by Duparc.
Master Class Participants

Les oiseaux dans la charmille
Jacques Offenbach
From Les Contes d’Hoffman (1819-1880)
Alyssa Harney, soprano

Do not utter a word
Samuel Barber
From Vanessa (1910-1981)
Olivia Romaniyi, soprano

Ach, ich fühle's
Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
From Die Zauberflöte (1756-1791)
Cailin Crane, soprano

Soir, op. 83
Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924)
Eric Baskerville, tenor

UPCOMING EVENTS

4/6/2018 – Michael Russo Sophomore Cello Recital– 4:30 PM
Diehn Center for the Performing Arts, Chandler Recital Hall

4/6–4/8 – Carmina Burana: Concert Choir with VSO– 8:00 PM ($) 
4/6—Ferguson Center for the Arts, Newport News, VA
4/7—Chrysler Hall, Norfolk, VA
4/8—Sandler Center, Virginia Beach, VA (2:30pm)

4/8/2018 – Dennis Zeisler Finale Concert: ODU Wind Ensemble – 3:00 PM
Norfolk Collegiate School, Norfolk, VA

4/9/2018 – Danny Santos Senior Saxophone Recital– 4:30 PM
Diehn Center for the Performing Arts, Chandler Recital Hall

4/9/2018 – ODU Flute Choir Concert– 7:00 PM
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4/10/2018 – ODU Chamber Ensembles Concert– 7:30 PM
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