

Le Nozze di Figaro

(in Italian)

Opera in four acts by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Libretto by Lorenzo Da Ponte

Based on the comedy by Pierre Augustin Caron de Beaumarchais

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Tuesday, September 21 2010, at 8:00 PM
Thursday, September 23 2010, at 7:30 PM
Saturday, September 25 2010, at 8:00 PM
Thursday, September 30 2010, at 7:30 PM
Sunday, October 3 2010, at 2:00 PM
Tuesday, October 5 2010, at 7:30 PM
Sunday, October 10 2010, at 2:00 PM
Saturday, October 16 2010, at 8:00 PM
Friday, October 22 2010, at 8:00 PM

CAST

<i>Figaro</i>	Luca Pisaroni
	Kostas Smoriginas (10/10,16,22)
<i>Susanna</i>	Danielle de Niese
	Heidi Stober (10/10,16,22)
<i>Dr. Bartolo</i>	John Del Carlo
	Dale Travis (10/10,16,22)
<i>Marcellina</i>	Catherine Cook
<i>Cherubino</i>	Michèle Losier
<i>Count Almaviva</i>	Lucas Meachem
	Trevor Scheunemann (10/10,16,22)
<i>Don Basilio</i>	Greg Fedderly
<i>Countess Almaviva</i>	Ellie Dehn
<i>Antonio</i>	Bojan Knezević
<i>Barbarina</i>	Sara Gartland
<i>Don Curzio</i>	Robert MacNeil
<i>First bridesmaid</i>	Mary Finch
<i>Second bridesmaid</i>	Erin Neff

*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: 18th century; the villa of Count Almaviva outside Seville

Act I -- A room in the villa
Act II -- The Countess's apartment
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Act III -- A courtyard in the villa
Act IV -- The garden of the villa

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