

Audrey J. Edelstein

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Passionate conductor with 10+ years experience directing orchestras, choirs, and ensembles of all sizes. Bringing authenticity and connection to the podium through every performance. Imaginative programmer, advocating for compositions by women and composers of underrepresented heritages.

CONDUCTING EXPERIENCE

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

- ▶ Broadway Bach Ensemble *Assistant Music Director*; New York, NY 2022-present
- ▶ Arcadian Chorale *Guest Conductor*; Aberdeen, NJ 2022-present
- ▶ Oratorio Society of Queens *Assistant Conductor*; Flushing, NY 2016-2021
- ▶ New Conductors Orchestra *Guest Conductor, Founding Member*; New York, NY 2019-present
- ▶ Northwinds Symphonic Band *Assistant Conductor*; Glen Cove, NY 2019-2021
- ▶ New Amsterdam Symphony Orchestra *Cover Conductor*; New York, NY 2019
- ▶ Yonkers Philharmonic Orchestra *Cover Conductor*; Yonkers, NY 2017-2018

YOUTH PROGRAMS

- ▶ HaZamir Long Island: The International Jewish Teen Choir
Chapter Conductor; Great Neck, NY 2019-2021
- ▶ Metropolitan Youth Orchestra *Guest Conductor*; Herricks, NY 2018

UNIVERSITY LEVEL

- ▶ Queens College Orchestra *Conducting Fellow*; Flushing, NY 2015-17
- ▶ Damn Yankees *Music Director*; Flushing, NY 2017
- ▶ The Royal Singer (Opera Premiere) *Music Director*; Swarthmore PA 2015
- ▶ Guys and Dolls *Music Director*; Swarthmore, PA 2015
- ▶ South Pacific *Music Director*; Swarthmore, PA 2014

PROFESSIONAL

- ▶ Palisades Sinfonietta 2022-present
- ▶ Broadway Bach Ensemble Chamber Group *Guest Conductor* 2022
- ▶ Moscow Symphony Orchestra *Prisma Conducting Fellow* 2018

VIEW CONDUCTING VIDEO: AUDREYJEDELSTEIN.COM/MEDIA

CONDUCTING HIGHLIGHTS:

Oratorio Society of Queens; Flushing, NY 2016-2021

Assistant Conductor

- ▶ Instructed 70+ member chorus at weekly rehearsals, led tenor and bass sectionals, conducted ensemble at biannual concerts with professional orchestra (Zoom for 2020-21)
- ▶ Taught sight-singing and musicianship courses with up to 50 people per class
- ▶ Organized and distributed 7-12 pieces for 45 member professional orchestra per concert
- ▶ Created infographics and instructional videos for 2020-21 virtual performances, resulting in 6,500 views across platforms
- ▶ Auditioned prospective new members with Artistic Director

Broadway Bach Ensemble; New York, NY 2022-present

Assistant Music Director; Cover Conductor

- ▶ Program unique and engaging repertoire (Baroque- 21st century) for 3 concerts annually
- ▶ Conduct 65+ member civic orchestra in condensed 2-week rehearsal process & concerts
- ▶ Select and contract soloists from leading NYC ensembles

SELECTED OTHER EXPERIENCE

New Conductors Orchestra; New York, NY

2021-present

Web Master; Publicity

- ▶ Rebranded and redesigned NCO website (newconductorsorchestra.org) to reflect their innovative, creative mission; streamlined layout and content for clarity and ease of navigation
- ▶ Create clear and brand-specific ticketing for concerts
- ▶ Design publicity postcards and signage for events
- ▶ Conceptualize & execute creative vision for social media posts (Instagram, Facebook), including designing graphics

Queens College Conductors Workshop; Flushing, NY

2015-2019

Manager

- ▶ Per season, managed scheduling and payments of 4 clinicians, 15 student conductors, and orchestra of 50+ musicians
- ▶ Acquired and distributed 12 scores/season and corresponding orchestral parts, including rental scores of contemporary compositions
- ▶ Created website and curated all web content, including program advertising

Queens College; Flushing, NY

2018-2020

Stage Manager

- ▶ PSM for Aaron Copland School of Music Opera Studio productions of *The Magic Flute*, *Suor Angelica*, *Gianni Schicchi*

SKILLS

- ▶ Microsoft Office
- ▶ Google Workspace
- ▶ Squarespace Circle Member- Freelance Web Designer (visit audreyjedelstein.com/webdesign for portfolio)
- ▶ Video Editing
- ▶ Conducting, Piano, Bassoon, Voice
- ▶ Canva- designer of social media templates for private clients (Instagram, Facebook, Email Blasts)
- ▶ Sibelius

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Bespoken- *Fellow*

2022-present

EDUCATION

Aaron Copland School of Music, Flushing, NY — MM Orchestral Conducting
Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA — BA Music