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## ACADEMIC

### **Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, Glasgow (2013 - 2015)**

MMus – Opera Course (June 2015) (Conducting Teacher: Nigel Boddice, ARAM; Vocal Teacher: Iain Paton)

### **Royal Academy of Music, London (2011 - 2013)**

MA – Distinction – Vocal Studies (June 2013) (Conducting Coach: Iain Ledingham; Vocal Teacher: Neil Mackie CBE)

DipRAM – Performance (June 2013)

LRAM – Vocal (June 2012)

### **University of Durham, Durham (2008 - 2011)**

BA (Hons) (1<sup>st</sup>) – Music (June 2011) (Conducting Professor: Ray Farr; Vocal Teacher: Miranda Wright)

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## MUSICAL CONSULTANCY, ADVISORY WORK, PROJECT WORK & VOCAL TEACHING

- Arts & Community Outreach Fellow, Van Mildert College, Durham University (May 2019 – March 2020)
  - Career Angel - St. Cuthbert's Society, Durham University (2018 - )
  - Vocal Teacher & Musical Mentor – Grey & Trevelyan Colleges (2018 - )
  - Musician in Residence, St. Cuthbert's Society, Durham University (2018)
  - Workshops, mentoring & coaching – York University Operatic Society (2018 - )
  - Shortlisted Stage - Clore Leadership Programme – (2017)
  - Vocal Teacher & Musical Mentor - Van Mildert College, Durham University (September 2016 - )
  - Undergraduate Mentor - St. Cuthbert's Society, Durham University (2016/7)
  - Vocal Teacher & Musical Mentor - The College of St. Hild & St. Bede, Durham University (January 2016 - )
  - Member of Senior Common Room & Musical Advisor - St Cuthbert's Society, Durham University (January 2016 - )
  - Vocal Teacher - St. Chad's College, Durham University (October 2015 - 2018)
  - LRAM Teaching Diploma (June 2012)
  - Musical Mentor & Vocal Teacher - St. Mary's College, Durham University (September 2011 - )
  - GAP year assistant, The Portsmouth Grammar School, Portsmouth (2007 – 2008)
  - Various work with schools and community groups
  - Private students across the UK
  - I have piano skills (Grade 8 ABRSM) and often accompany vocal students and choir rehearsals as necessary
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## VOCAL COACHING, MASTERCLASSES & TRAINING

- Consultant & Performer – 'Opera by the Lake', Van Mildert College, Durham University (2020\*)
- Workshops & Cathedral Evensong with joint choirs of Van Mildert, Grey, Trevelyan & Collingwood Colleges, Durham University (2018, 2019\*)
- Chorus master, Verdi – Messa di Requiem - Parenthesis Choir, London College of Music & South Chiltern Choral Society, Reading Town Hall, Reading (March 2018)
- Weekend of Workshops with La Chorale La Stéphanelle, Saint-Étienne-de-Crossey, Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes (February 2018)
- Vocal & Operatic Conducting Tutor – York University Operatic Society (February 2018 - )
- Chorus master, Beethoven Symphony No. 9 - Parenthesis Choir, London College of Music & Windsor & Maidenhead Symphony Orchestra, Eton College Hall, Eton (November 2017)
- Masterclass/Workshop – Van Mildert & St. Chad's Colleges; St. Cuthbert's Society, Durham University (November 2017)
- Assistant Conductor - Hastings Philharmonic Orchestra & Choir, Hastings (2017)
- Masterclass/Workshop – The College of St. Hild & St. Bede, Durham University (November 2016, February 2017)
- Masterclass/Workshop – St. Mary's College, Durham University (February 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018)
- Masterclass/Workshop – Grey College, Durham University (February 2019)

- Various training sessions across the UK: A-Chord Choir, London; Heathfield Choral Society, East Sussex; Glasgow Cathedral Choral Society; P&O Choir, Dover; Sittingbourne Orpheus Choral Society, Sittingbourne; South Chiltern Choral Society, Reading; Hastings Philharmonic Choir, Hastings

## **POSTS HELD**

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Interim Musical Director, A-CHORD Choir, North London	2019
Musical Director, <i>Paranthesis Choir</i> , Reading	2016 –
Director of Music, <i>St. Mary's College, Durham University</i>	2009 - 2011
Chorus master, <i>Durham University Music Society, Durham University</i>	2011

## **FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS**

Associate Fellow, <i>Van Mildert College, Durham University</i>	2020 -
Arts & Community Outreach Fellowship, <i>Van Mildert College, Durham University</i>	2019 – 2020*
Musician in Residence, <i>St. Cuthbert's Society, Durham University</i>	2018
RCS Trust Scholarship, <i>Royal Conservatoire of Scotland</i>	2013 – 2015
Josaphine Baker Trust Scheme, <i>Royal Academy of Music</i>	2012 - 2013
Ian Graham Award, <i>Durham University</i>	2011

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COURSES**

Developing Yourself as a Leader, <i>Course Leader: Andrew Scott (Durham University)</i>	Dec 2019
Moving Mountains: Influencing & Negotiating Skills, <i>Course Leader: Andrew Scott (Durham University)</i>	Nov 2019
Clore Leadership Programme (Interview Stage) ( <i>Clore Duffield Foundation</i> )	May 2017

## **REVIEWS & OTHER PROFESSIONAL WORK, FURTHER LINKS**

- Reviews & Multimedia extracts (including conducting & vocal work) can be found on my website: <http://www.matthewthomasmorgan.co.uk/multimedia-and-reviews.php>
- A live performance with me conducting can be found at: <https://www.getreading.co.uk/news/reading-berkshire-news/watch-reading-choir-stun-oracle-11532749>
  - [www.matthewthomasmorgan.co.uk](http://www.matthewthomasmorgan.co.uk)
  - [www.paranthesis.org.uk](http://www.paranthesis.org.uk)
  - [www.hastingsphilharmonic.com](http://www.hastingsphilharmonic.com)
  - [www.ensembleorquestra.com](http://www.ensembleorquestra.com)
  - [www.dur.ac.uk/st-cuthberts.society](http://www.dur.ac.uk/st-cuthberts.society)

**\*Further information and a current diary of events can be found online at: [www.matthewthomasmorgan.co.uk](http://www.matthewthomasmorgan.co.uk)\***

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