

Hannakaisa Nyrönen
Soprano



Finnish soprano Hannakaisa Nyrönen was awarded 1st prize at the 2019 Elizabeth Connell Prize Singing Competition for aspiring dramatic soprano voices. Ms. Nyrönen made her Finnish National Opera debut in 2020 singing *Fiordiligi* under the direction of Esa-Pekka Salonen. During 2021-22 Hannakaisa appeared as Brünnhilde in *Die Walküre*, *Siegfried* and *Götterdämmerung* at Eurajoki Festival. In 2018 the Finnish Wagner Society awarded her a scholarship to the Bayreuth Festival. Ms. Nyrönen has sung the role of Sieglinde in the Bayreuth RING for kids at Helsinki Festival, the title role in *Countess Mariza*, *Hanna* in *The Merry Widow* and *Judith* in *The Bluebeard's Castle*. Other roles performed include *Freia* in *Das Rheingold*, *Rosalinde* in *Die Fledermaus*, *Juno* in *The Tempest* by Jean Sibelius and *Kullervo's Sister* in Sibelius's symphonic poem *Kullervo*.

Ms. Nyrönen is a graduate of the Sibelius Academy and holds a Master of Music degree in both Opera Singing and Church Music. In 2023 Hannakaisa will sing her debut as *Isolde* at Eurajoki Festival, *Sylva* in *The Gipsy Princess* at Helsinki Music Centre and *Sieglinde* with Latvian National Symphony Orchestra.