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"For me, though, the show was nearly stolen by Tony Baker's hilariously funny Judge. With a real flair for comic singing and a hysterically lascivious tongue that kept making little appearances at all the right moments, he was a joy to watch". (Paul Austin Kelly for Sussex Express on "Trial by Jury" New Sussex Opera 2013)

Background

Although he performed from a very young age Tony chose to train as a set and costume designer for Opera enjoying a successful 20 year career working in some of the leading opera houses worldwide. After some years working as a Director as well as a Designer in 2013 he performed the role of the Judge in "Trial by Jury" in a production he was also directing for New Sussex Opera, and followed this with his debut as the Sacristan in "Tosca" for Opera Brava in 2014 / 15. In 2016 he decided to try a move to pursuing a career as a singer full time and performed 8 new major roles by the end of that year. In 2017 he performed in a number of concerts and Opera Galas as well as two productions of Gilbert and Sullivan's Iolanthe in 2 separate roles. Autumn 2017 will see his debut in the role of Zuniga for Ormond Opera.

He has studied singing privately for the last four years concentrating particularly on buffo/comic repertoire. Working with Grant Doyle and more recently with Robert Dean.

List of Roles Performed

Role	Opera	Composer	Company	Date
Judge	Trial by Jury	Sullivan	New Sussex Opera	2013
Sacristan	Tosca	Puccini	Opera Brava	2014/15
Falstaff	Merry Wives	Nicolai	Brent Opera	2015
Bartolo/Antonio	Nozze	Mozart	Dulwich Opera	2016
Lionel King	Dress Rehearsal**	A Evans	Sarastro Productions	2016
Sergeant	Pirates	Sullivan	Ormond Opera	2016
Don Alfonso*	Così fan tutte	Mozart	Dulwich Opera	2016
Snug	Dream	Britten	Surrey Opera	2016
Sergeant Sulpice	Fille du Regiment	Donizetti	Aylesbury Opera	2016
Bonze	Butterfly	Puccini	Ormond Opera	2016
Lord Chancellor	Iolanthe	Sullivan	G & S Festival	2017
Mountarat	Iolanthe	Sullivan	London Garden Opera	2017
Zuniga	Carmen	Bizet	Ormond Opera	2017

**** Musical play with excerpts from Sullivan, Bizet, Verdi.**

*** Role covered**