

VOCAL Boot Camp

JULY 31-AUG 4

CHICAGO



Summer Voice Intensive

A week of singing through the Musical genres: Musical Theatre, Jazz/American Songbook and Pop/Rock. This week-long vocal intensive will help you master vocal technique and style at the same time. Students will get to work with award-winning performers/voice coaches **Roberta Duchak** and **Ellen Winters** on a variety of solo and ensemble numbers. Workshop will include: • Daily Warmups- breathing, placement, work all vocal registers • Ensemble singing- singing in harmony and blending • Master Classes in Musical Theatre, Jazz, and Pop/Rock • Microphone technique

What do I need to prepare?

Please come prepared with three songs in your key. You must choose one **(1) Musical Theatre** piece; one **(1) Jazz/American Songbook** piece; and one **(1) Pop/Rock** piece.
All songs will be approved by Roberta and Ellen by July 20

Where will we meet?

We will meet daily at **Open Door Theater**, 902 S Ridgeland Ave, Oak Park, IL

When do we meet?

We will meet Wed, July 31 - Sun, August 4
Ages 10-14 - 10am-1pm daily
Ages 15-21 - 2pm-5pm daily
****Final Performance 2:30pm on Sunday**

Who are the instructors?

Roberta Duchak is an award winning musical director, Broadway actress and vocal coach for Russell Crowe and Hugh Jackman for the film *Les Misérables*. She has toured nationally with Broadway companies for "Ragtime," "25 Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee," "Scrooge" (with Richard Chamberlain) and "Showboat." Roberta spent 8 years as an Adjunct Faculty member of Columbia College Chicago and has 2 active vocal studios in the Chicago area.

Ellen Winters is an award-winning vocalist who has been performing and touring professionally for over 20 years in both the Jazz and Rock/Pop genres. She has sung with Grammy winners like Daryl Stuermer (guitarist for the band, Genesis) and Darmon Meader of New York Voices. Ellen has performed to sold out crowds at Davenport's, City Winery and The Skokie Theater in Chicago & The Bitter End in New York. She was voted Milwaukee's "Best Jazz Musician" by the Shepherd Express in 2017. Ellen has been Adjunct Faculty at Columbia College Chicago since 2007.

"If Russell Crowe and Hugh Jackman are hitting all the right notes in the hit film 'Les Miserables,' they have one talented Chicago area resident (Roberta Duchak) to thank for their vocal prowess."

- Chicago Sun Times

"If you've heard jazz vocalist Ellen Winters sing, you know she brims with enthusiasm and charm. Regardless of the venue, you know Winters brings a fresh interpretation to jazz standards."

- The Shepherd Express

INFO:

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- Registration \$495 (\$50 non-refundable deposit to secure spot.)
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