

Honoured as one of the **University of Saskatchewan's Arts and Science Alumni of Influence**, Saskatchewan born contralto, Lisa Hornung has been acclaimed for performances in repertoire ranging from Baroque to contemporary composers. Her voice has been called "rich and powerful" and her stage presence has "inspired audiences and musicians alike".

Lisa enjoys a singing career that has taken her across Canada, the United States and Europe. Most often heard in Handel's *Messiah*, Ms. Hornung's orchestral performances also include Beethoven's *Ninth Symphony* and *Mass in C major*, Mozart's *Requiem*, *Coronation Mass* and *Vesperae solennes de Confessore*, Pergolesi's *Stabat Mater*, the Duruflé *Requiem*, the Canadian premiere of Ruth Watson-Henderson's *From Darkness to Light*, Verdi's *Requiem*, Bach's *Magnificat* and *Christmas Oratorio*, Vivaldi's *Gloria*, Mahler's *Symphony No. 2*, and *Lieder eines fahrenden Gesellen*, Mendelssohn's *Elijah*, Vaughn William's *Magnificat*, *The May Queen* by Bennett, and the *Alto Rhapsody* by Brahms.

In accordance with her belief that every one deserves the opportunity to sing, Lisa runs a non-audition **Community Youth Choir** including singers from ages 5 to 19, as well as a non-audition **Community Men's Choir**. She is the founder and director of **Summer School for the Solo Voice**, a week long study and performance opportunity for singers, private and classroom teachers, choral conductors and pianists / accompanists of all ages and abilities. Across the the last 25 years, SSSV, which includes an extensive pedagogy program, has grown from a local to an international program.

Lisa is passionate about education, with a special dedication to inspiring seasoned teachers and mentoring young educators. In October of 2017 Ms. Hornung was presented with the **Saskatchewan Music Educators Association's Outstanding Achievement Award**.

Well known as a performer, teacher, adjudicator, clinician and choral coach, Lisa lives in North Battleford, Saskatchewan with her husband John. They have two grown children and are enjoying their new role as grandparents.