

# Jon Dirk Ross Baritone

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## Roles

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| Schaunard | *La Boheme* | Lyric Opera of Kansas City | 2026 |
| Antonio | *Le Nozze di Figaro* | Lyric Opera of Kansas City | 2026 |
| Aeneas | *Dido and Aeneas* | Angelo State University | 2026 |
| Gianni Schicchi | *Gianni Schicchi* | Chicago Summer Opera | 2025 |
| Papageno | *The Magic Flute* | Angelo State University | 2025 |
| Malatesta (Scenes) | *Don Pasquale* | Angelo State University | 2025 |
| Marcello (Scenes) | *La Boheme* | AIMS | 2025 |
| Figaro (Scenes) | *Il Barbiere di Siviglia* | Angelo State University | 2024 |
| Phantom | *Phantom of the Opera* | San Angelo Broadway Academy | 2023 |
| Shrek | *Shrek the Musical* | San Angelo Broadway Academy | 2022 |

## Concert & Masterclass

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| ASU Scholarship Concert | Fauré Requiem (Baritone Soloist) | Murphey Performance Hall | 2026 |
| Jamie Barton Masterclass | Donizetti (*Cruda, funesta smania*) | Schmidt Vocal Arts | 2025 |
| AIMS Meistersinger Finals Concert | Verdi (*La morte di Rodrigo*) | Helmut-liste-Halle | 2025 |
| AIMS Festival Orchestra Concert | Gounod (*Avant de quitter*) | Musikverein Goldener Saal | 2025 |
| Gala at The Gardens | Various | Permian Basin Opera | 2024-26 |
| Christmas Pops Concert | Various | San Angelo Symphony | 2024 |

## Awards

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| 1st Place | NATS (South Texas Chapter) | 2026 |
| 2nd Place | John Alexander National Vocal Competition | 2026 |
| Presser Scholar Award | The Presser Foundation | 2025 |
| Encouragement Award | AIMS Meistersinger Finals Concert | 2025 |
| Winner | ASU Concerto and Aria Competition | 2025 |
| Encouragement Award | Metropolitan Opera Laffont Competition (Tulsa District) | 2025 |
| Recipient | 2025 Schmidt Vocal Arts Alumni Grant | 2025 |
| 1st Place | NATS (South Texas Chapter) | 2023 |
| Recipient | Herald Stark Encouragement Award (NATS) | 2023 |

## Education

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| Lyric Opera of Kansas City | Resident Artist | 2026-Present |
| Angelo State University | BM in Vocal Performance | 2022-26 |

| Teachers | Coaches | Conductors | Directors |
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| Michaela Martens | Piotr Wisniewski | Rory Macdonald | Stephen Lawless |
| Joanna Ruszala | Elena Kholodova | Christopher Allen | Stephanie Smith |
| Mark Covey | Dottie Randall | Fagner Rocha | Garnett Bruce |
| | Kathryn Wright | Hector Guzmann | Joshua Horowitz |