

A background photograph of a group of children singing enthusiastically. The focus is on a girl in the foreground with glasses, and other children are visible behind her, all with their mouths open as if singing. The lighting is warm and slightly blurred.

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# Chorus

# JAMBOREE

Glasgow Royal Concert Hall  
Sun 8 Jun 2025 3pm

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# Chorus JAMBOREE

**Stephen Doughty** Presenter / Director, RSNO Chorus

## RSNO Workplace and Buggy Choir

**Aimee Toshney** Conductor

**Birks of Aberfeldy** Robert Burns and Ken Johnston

**May It Be** Eithne Ní Bhraonáin, Nicky Ryan and Roma Ryan, arr. Mark Brymer

**Beat of a Different Drum** Sarah Quartel

## Training Choir

**Patrick Barrett** Conductor

**Monster Stomp** Jon Bennet and John Perry

**Let's Go Fly a Kite** Sherman and Sherman

**Roller Ghoster** Alan Simmons

## Children's Chorus 1

**Alison McNeill** Conductor

**Skyscraper from City Songs** Bob Chilcott

**Whisper** Greg Gilpin

## Children's Chorus 2

**Patrick Barrett** Conductor

**Senua de Dende – Pepperoni Pizza** Trad. Canons

**It was a Lover and his Lass** Errollyn Wallen

## RSNO Chorus

**Stephen Doughty** Conductor

**Plaudite omnis terra** (Motet in 12 parts for three choirs) Giovanni Gabrieli

**If Music Be the Food of Love** Jean Belmont Ford

**Singin' Wid a Sword in Ma' Han', Lord** Spiritual, arr. Zsolt Gárdonyi

INTERVAL

## RSNO Chorus Academy Glasgow

**Aimee Toshney** Conductor

**Never Weather-Beaten Sail** Thomas Campion

**Goodnight Sweetheart** Calvin Carter and James Hudson, arr. Robert Sund

**We Rise Again** Leon Dubinsky, arr. Stephen Smith, accompaniment Scott MacMillan

## Youth Chorus 1

**Alison McNeill** Conductor

**Foundation** Seth Bockley and Russell Hepplewhite

**If the Sky would Fall** Seth Bockley and Russell Hepplewhite

**The Circus** Stephen Deazley

## RSNO Chorus Academy Dundee

**Laura McFall** Conductor

**Come What May** David Baerwald, arr. Charles Beale

**Follow the Heron Home** Karine Polwart, arr. Baz Chapman

## Youth Chorus 2

**Patrick Barrett** Conductor

**Mysteries** Seth Bockley and Russell Hepplewhite

**Fire is a Small Child** Seth Bockley and Russell Hepplewhite

## Youth Chorus 2 and Changed Voices

**Frikki Walker** Conductor

**Hope is a Thing with Feathers** words Emily Dickinson, music Frikki Walker

## Changed Voices

**Frikki Walker** Conductor

**Caledonia** words and music Dougie MacLean, arr. Frikki Walker

**Tiger! Tiger!** words William Blake, music Mary Lynn Lightfoot

## Grand Finale

**Why We Sing** words and music Greg Gilpin

**Hebba Benyaghla** and **Edward Cohen** Piano

**Stuart Semple** Drumkit

# RSNO Workplace and Buggy Choir



Andrew Clark  
Ashley Smith-Hammond  
Catherine Stewart  
Chiko Parkinson  
Christine Copeland  
Eileen Farrelly  
Elaine Struthers  
Justin Low  
Laura Ferguson  
Nicola Slaven  
Norma Aldred  
Pippa Barnwell  
Sandra Biggart  
Stephen Leggett

## **DIRECTOR**

Aimee Toshney

## **PIANIST**

Hebba Benyaghla

## **CHORUS ASSISTANT**

Chiko Parkinson

# Aimee Toshney

## **Conductor, Workplace and Buggy Choir and Director, RSNO Chorus Academy Glasgow**



Scottish soprano, choir-leader, animateur and educator Aimee Toshney graduated from Glasgow University (MA 1st class Hons, MMus Musicology), the Royal Northern College of Music (MMus with Distinction) and English National Opera's Opera Works programme with many scholarships and awards.

As an interpreter of classical and traditional music she has performed on national television and radio; around the world in venues including the British High Commission in Canberra, Auckland Town Hall, Iglesia de los Jerónimos Madrid, the London Coliseum and the National Opera House, Ireland; and extensively as a performer of the songs of Robert Burns.

Aimee has taught, facilitated and consulted for organisations including the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, National Youth Choir of Scotland, Luminate, the Edinburgh International Festival, MENSA, SAME, Sistema Scotland, the RSNO Youth Chorus and the ISM Trust. Awards include an *Evening Times* Community Champion Award for dementia projects and the J M Barrie Action for Children's Arts Members' Award for her work with the Leeds Lieder Festival.

# Training Choir

Abigail Hughes  
Ailsa MacLeod  
Anna Hogan  
Anvi Kumar  
Anya Nicol  
Arabella Friel  
Caitlin Danton  
Cameron Fallon  
Cecily Stalin  
Charlotte Hutcheson  
Charlotte Ngai  
Chiara Cavanna  
Cora Hughes  
Daniella (Dani) Gorgesh  
Devin Lin  
Dunstan Ting Nok Kan  
Eilidh Clark  
Elisabeth Trinick  
Elliot Vanatta  
Emily Fitzpatrick  
Emma Rae

Esohe John  
Eve McKenna  
Farrah Ford  
Fionn Parish  
Genevieve Williams  
Gnima Thiam  
Gökcen Ayla Edki  
Harmony Kang  
Hal MacDonald  
Heidi Coghill  
Isla Vinter  
Joyce Oyedokun  
Katie Macdonald  
Leela King  
Liam Tanner  
Lorna Massey  
Lucy Bell  
Maeve Winter  
Magnus Sherry  
Millie Abernethy  
Noah Diamond O'Connor

Orianne Connell  
Peggy Williams  
Philippa (Pippa) Sole  
Rebecca McKinlay  
Reuben Kaye  
Rita Pusino  
Rory Daniels  
Ruah Dallas-Childs  
Ryan Zakeri  
Sean Kurewa  
Sophia El Obbadi  
Sophia Lin  
Sophia McCumisky  
Xanthe Hendry  
Yuktha Mantrala  
Zara McNab

## PIANIST

Judith Keaney



# Patrick Barrett

## Director, RSNO Youth Choruses



Patrick Barrett is a conductor specialising in choral music and opera. He is currently Chorus Director of the RSNO Youth Choruses, Royal Opera House Youth Opera Company, Irish Youth Choir (14-17 years) and the award-winning Farnham Youth Choirs.

Recent highlights include conducting the RSNO Youth Chorus in performances with Sheku Kanneh-Mason, Benjamin Grosvenor and Nicola Benedetti, as well as preparing them for the recording of *Gaspard's Christmas* by Jonathan Dove. Patrick also led Farnham Youth Choir to two gold medals at the World Choir Games 2024 in New Zealand. He has premiered new works by Errollyn Wallen, Jonathan Brigg, Emma O'Halloran and DJ R.Kitt, and is a regular guest conductor with the National Youth Choirs 9-15 Years.

Patrick's commitment to youth choral music extends to preparing choruses for the Edinburgh International Festival, and for the Dunedin Consort, where his work often features in major international performances. As a dedicated music educator, Patrick has worked with organisations including The Sixteen, BBC Singers, Wigmore Hall and Aldeburgh Young Musicians, and has spoken at the Post Primary Music Teachers Association in Ireland.

In opera, Patrick collaborates with leading UK companies such as the Royal Opera House, English National Opera and Garsington Opera, where he prepares youth choruses for main-stage productions and world premieres, including *Carmen* under Antonello Manacorda and *Otello* under Sir Antonio Pappano. Previously, he was the conductor of the University of Birmingham's Upper Voices Choir, University of Reading Chamber Choir and Brockham Choral Society.

# Children's Chorus 1



Ailidh Mackay  
Alex D'Analeze  
Alexa Cameron  
Amelia Brandmeier  
Amy MacLaine  
Aoife O'Hagan  
Aubree Gillespie  
Benjamin McIntosh  
Beth Boldra  
Bethany Wilson  
Daniel Lee  
Dina Beraik  
Ella Robertson  
Eloise Willingham  
Emil Bayer  
Erin Marshall  
Evelyn Simpson  
Fenella Boyd  
Fern Vickers  
Finn Crosby  
Frieda Townsley

Gabriella McDevitt  
Grace Adekunle  
Grace Wu  
Harrison (Harry) Knox  
Harry Foster  
Jack Cooper  
Jack Knox  
Jessica Clark  
Jessica Larmour  
Keir Dowell  
Keya Basu Maguire  
Kira D'Analeze  
Lucy Nicholson  
Maisie Frame  
Margot McLeod  
Martha McGuire  
Matthew Low  
Mattia Castello Guida  
Miracle Ugwu  
Miriam Hutchinson  
Naomi Mitchell-Russell

Nerissa Stout  
Odell-May Black  
Olivia Beadsworth  
Olivia Paterson  
Romy Brazenhall  
Rose Diamond  
Rose Willers  
Rowan Tapalian  
Shinjini Datta  
Zoë Rodger

**PIANIST**  
Edward Cohen

# Alison McNeill

## Associate Director, Children's Chorus 1 and Youth Chorus 1



Alison McNeill is a Scottish soprano, conductor and fiddle player with a rich and diverse musical career. A graduate of the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland with a Masters in Performance, Alison further honed her craft studying with the late Teresa Berganza in Spain.

Passionate about cross-disciplinary and immersive performances, Alison draws inspiration from world music and diverse cultures. In a busy and varied career, she has performed as a soloist all over the UK, Denmark, Holland, Spain, Italy, Germany, Austria, Japan, Qatar, Pakistan, Kenya, USA and Mexico. Alison's career highlights include singing as a soloist with Ditirambo Early Music Ensemble in Mexico, *Carmina Burana* and Verdi's Requiem with the RSNO in Glasgow Royal Concert Hall, winning the Andrés Segovia Prize for Spanish Song in Spain (the only non-native speaker to win this award), headlining international festivals with folk rock band Reely Jiggered, broadcasts on BBC Radio nan Gàidheal, BBC Radio Scotland, BBC Radio 4 and Pakistani and Mexican national TV, and workshops with children in Japan, Kenya and Pakistan.

Alison has conducted numerous choirs, including the National Youth Choir of Northern Ireland's Junior Choir and Boys Choir, RSNO Youth Choruses, National Youth Choir of Scotland National Boys Choir, Coats Choral, Glasgow Chamber Orchestra and Voices of Argyll, who are known for working on multi-art form projects and most recently gave the premiere of *Interwoven* for sitar, tabla, piano, choir and Indian dancer at the Scottish Parliament.

# Children's Chorus 2

Aarnav Bhaat  
Anna Davis  
Anna Ramanujam  
Annabel McCrossan  
Arthur Stark  
Ayva Kyle  
Bruce Nicholson  
Bushan Gaddale  
Cameron Naylor  
Catrin Ogle  
Chloe Turnbull  
Daisy Quinn  
Elise Job  
Forbes Loudon  
Freya Mackay  
Harris Zhong Heng Ng  
Henry Aitken  
Holly Grassl  
Honor Osmond  
Ingrid McGilvery  
Isabella Purdy

Isla Nicolson  
Isla Robertson  
Jan Kalous  
Joy Lam  
Kiaan Advay  
Layan Shaaban  
Lotte van Vliet  
Lucia Fernandez-McCann  
Luna Jiang  
Martha Scott  
Nethra Mantrala  
Olivia Tang  
Osazee Orhionkapayo  
Penelope Robinson  
Phoebe Burnett  
Rachel Ayers  
Rebecca Penman  
Rhea Elizabeth Oommen  
Rhea Sharma  
Rozi Nemeth  
Skye Anderson

Sofia Jorge  
Yiyi Myler  
Zach Baxter  
Zara Patel

**PIANIST**  
Judith Keaney

# RSNO Chorus

## **SOPRANO 1**

Alison Pryce-Jones  
Catherine Taylor  
Karman Leung  
Morag Kean  
Rei Camilleri  
Roberta Yule  
Sarah Greer

## **SOPRANO 2**

Beth Kean  
Carol McLean  
Carole Sim Sayce  
Eleanor Gaskell  
Elizabeth Jack  
Elspeth Waugh  
Heather Keating  
Helen Hyland  
Jennifer Imrie  
Jenny Cheung  
Kate Adams  
Katie Dew  
Laura Gorman  
Leila Inglis  
Lizzie Reather  
Lorna Robertson  
Lynsey Brook  
Lynsey Scott  
Margaret Mills  
Ruby Ginoris  
Theresa Hoare

## **ALTO 1**

Ailie MacDougall  
Angela McDonald  
Anne Browning  
Anne Murphy  
Anne Thies  
Brenda Williamson  
Esther McMillan  
Harriet Skipworth  
Julia King  
June Thomas  
Laura MacDonald  
Linda McLauchlan  
Louise Reid  
Marrian Murray  
Mary Taylor

Maureen McCroskie  
Marita McMillan  
Ruth Townsend  
Steve Halfyard  
Thea Jones  
Uta Engelbrecht

## **ALTO 2**

Alison Bryce  
Ann Firth  
Anne Newlands  
Carol Leddy  
Catharine Perrin  
Denny Henderson  
Eleanor McLaren  
Elizabeth Stevenson  
Gillian Downie  
Hilde McKenna  
Jane Stansfield  
Janette Morrison  
Sonja Crossan

## **TENOR 1**

Alex Rankine  
Andrew Clifford  
David Miller  
Nathan Dunsmore

## **TENOR 2**

Calum Lowe  
Cosma Gottardi  
Donald Weetman  
George Lloyd  
Graham Parsonage  
Laurie Nelson  
Robert Paterson  
Tyler Newton

## **BASS 1**

Alistair Laird  
Andrew Lyons  
Ian Mills  
Mark Higginson  
Martin Waddell  
Robin Watson  
Stuart Corkindale

## **BASS 2**

Alan Maxwell  
Chris Morris  
Findlay Peters  
Graeme Simpson  
Ian Gray  
John MacLellan  
Kenneth Allen  
Melvyn Davies  
Stephen Lipton  
Stewart McMillan

## **RSNO CHORUS DIRECTOR**

Stephen Doughty

## **RSNO CHORUS VOCAL COACH**

Polly Beck

## **RSNO CHORUS REHEARSAL PIANIST**

Edward Cohen

## **STAFF ASSISTANTS**

Eilidh Morrison  
Ellis Nairne





# Stephen Doughty

## Director, RSNO Chorus



Stephen Doughty has been Chorus Director of the RSNO Chorus since the start of the 2022:23 Season. Since his arrival, the Chorus has seen an influx of new members and an abundance of varied and critically acclaimed performances, including Verdi's *Requiem*, Britten's *War Requiem*, Bruckner's *E Minor Mass* and the Scottish premiere of Sir James MacMillan's *Christmas Oratorio*. He has also directed the Chorus in new and imaginative programmes in their own right, including Rheinberger's *Mass in E flat* for double choir, and concerts with percussion and organ featuring Bernstein's *Chichester Psalms*, the European premiere of McIntyre's *Missa Brevis* and Ives' final major choral work, *Psalm 90*.

Stephen's previous 12-year tenure as Chorus Master of Belfast Philharmonic Choir included a number of world premieres, most significantly James Whitbourn's *The Seven Heavens* and Philip Hammond's *Requiem for the Lost Souls of the Titanic*, performed exactly 100 years since the liner went down, and further European premieres

of both Stuart Scott's *Requiem Brevis*, which saw the 100-strong choir separated into eight choirs spaced around the audience, and Christopher Marshall's *Earthsong*.

Stephen particularly enjoys working with amateur singers, not least leading regular singing days frequently involving up to 800 singers. He was Musical Director of Edinburgh Bach Choir for seven years and has directed the Garleton Singers for over 30 years, performing with them recently at the Lammermuir Festival.

Stephen plays harpsichord/organ continuo and orchestral piano and has given frequent organ recitals, including several on the grand Mulholland Organ in the Ulster Hall, Belfast. He is also in demand as an arranger and orchestrator, with a large portfolio of work particularly for young voices. He has produced a plethora of arrangements of the music of pianist Christopher Norton, including two publications of piano duets and a suite for wind sextet, and has received commissions from Children's Classic Concerts, the Ulster Orchestra and the RSNO. Commissions from the BBC have seen his work performed on BBC Alba and at the Last Night of the Proms, and his pieces feature on several recordings, including with the RSNO Chorus.

Stephen is an examiner for the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music.

# RSNO Chorus Academy Glasgow



## **SOPRANO**

Agnes Wypych  
Anne Livingstone  
Connie Elder  
Eileen Petrie  
Elizabeth Irvine  
Gillian Harkness-McKinlay  
Irene Hastings  
Jennifer Macdonald  
Karina Thomas  
Lynn Kennedy  
Martina Boyce  
Maureen Sinclair  
Nadia Reilly  
Nikola March  
Pauline Buchanan

## **ALTO**

Aileen Robertson  
Alix Bearhop  
Anne Marie Simpson  
Biddy Ramsay  
Catriona Hunter  
Christine Russell  
Debbie Connor  
Donna Mackenzie  
Fiona Marshall  
Kirstie McLean  
Liz Arbuckle  
Marie McDougall  
Maureen Denham  
Polly Ewart  
Rosalind Mellon  
Siân Malyon  
Susan Conaghan  
Susan Futter

## **TENOR**

Robert Arbuckle  
Ruth Murray

## **BASS**

Andrew Winter  
Laurence Reilly  
Peter Stott  
Robin Ewart  
Simon Munro  
Stephen Kennedy

## **DIRECTOR**

Aimee Toshney

## **PIANIST**

Hebba Benyaghla

## **CHORUS ASSISTANT**

Chiko Parkinson

# Youth Chorus 1

Abigail Gallacher  
Ailsa Hutchinson  
Alexandra Cartmell  
Anna Arbuckle  
Ava-Simran Dhillon-Dileri  
Bernadette Xin-Ying Kho  
Blair McKinlay  
Bronagh McKnight  
Charlotte Muir  
Colette Balmer  
Cora Robertson  
Elishka Foster  
Elizabeth Poet  
Eunice Oyedokun  
Faith Junyen Wong  
Fiamma Milligan  
Gabriella Mills  
Grace Nickson

Grace Romans  
Greta Ingleby  
Hannah Binu  
Idrissa Thiam  
Iris Stalin  
Isla Balitbit  
Jayden Odebeatu  
Kaia Grassl  
Katherine Moffett  
Kimberley McFarlane  
Kirsty McLean  
Lilianna Nemeth  
Lisa Kipgen  
Louise Morris  
Megan Parsons  
Melissa Gunathilaka  
Melissa Maffia  
Misha Gupta

Molly Kerr  
Neave Maclachlan  
Netra Gaikwad  
Olivia Tait  
Ollie Leitch  
Penelope Leithead  
Rita El Obbadi  
Rory Cameron  
Shreeya Pandit  
Sophie Waller  
Tess Fleming  
Thomas Wylie  
Timur Kassimkulov  
Tvisha Bhardwaj

## PIANIST

Edward Cohen



# RSNO Chorus Academy Dundee



## **SOPRANO**

Elizabeth Shearer  
Helen Davie  
Irene Hill  
Julie MacKinnon  
Liz Crawford  
Marta Reis  
Rebecca Paavola  
Sandra Brown  
Shirley Graham  
Shonagh Morrison  
Sue Moody  
Sylvia Adams  
Teresa Little

## **ALTO**

Abigail Lyons  
Amy Knighton  
Anne Jordan  
Anne Lindsay  
Bernie Arnott  
Caroline Boyd  
Charlotte Petty  
Eileen Holmes  
Fiona Anderson  
Fiona Whitton  
Helen Forbes  
Jemma Toller

Jenni Dorward  
Kate Keillor  
Lindsay Crosbie  
Lisbeth Thoms  
Maureen McKeown  
Morag Sutherland  
Morag Thomson  
Morag Ward  
Pat Fegen  
Sandra Savage  
Valerie Gauld

## **TENOR**

Chris Hill  
Emily Hanover  
Graham Overton  
John Parry  
Lucy Wakefield  
Mairi Fraser  
Richard Kelly

## **BASS**

Alan Cook  
Andy Hall  
Doug Stirling  
James Gardner  
Kenny McKaig  
Stewart Fyffe

## **DIRECTOR**

Laura McFall

## **PIANIST**

Euan Gow

## **CHORUS ASSISTANT**

Chiko Parkinson



# Laura McFall

**Director, RSNO Chorus Academy Dundee**



Laura McFall is a musician, educator and choral leader, and is known for her dedication to advancing vocal arts and music education. She holds a Master's degree in Music Performance from the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, where she specialised in Vocal Performance under the tutelage of Wilma MacDougall. She was selected as a semi-finalist in both the Charles Wood Song Competition and the Mozart Singing Competition in London. She also performed in many external recitals with organisations such as Live Music Now, Westbourne Music and National Galleries Scotland.

Laura is a skilled Kodály practitioner, choral leader and singing teacher, and holds a Post Graduate Diploma of Education from the RCS. Her professional experience is extensive and varied, including teaching positions with Sistema Scotland, the RCS Juniors and Seniors, the National Youth Choir of Scotland and Northern Ireland, Queen's University Belfast and Dunedin Consort. She is currently Primary Music Coordinator at Jordanhill School, Director of the RSNO Chorus Academy Dundee and Musicianship Lecturer at the RCS.

Laura's inclusive philosophy is evident in her work as she strives to make singing an integral part of life for individuals and communities alike. Throughout her career, she has remained committed to her vision of enhancing music education and performance.

# Youth Chorus 2

Aaleah McAulay  
Aicha Thiam  
Aimee Morton  
Alec Buckley  
Alicia Idessane  
Alma Correal-Jarrett  
Amelia Mashwani  
Amelia Philip  
Amy Sanderson  
Ana Ryburn-Thomson  
Anshi Sai Vanga  
Bea Courtial  
Bennett Gowans  
Brewen Lyons  
Cara Mackay  
Connie Hunter  
Diana Lizer  
Edie Dunn  
Eilidh Hughes  
Eilidh McIntyre  
Ellie Digger  
Ellie Toner  
Emilia Ewer  
Emilia Rathbone  
Emily Hathaway  
Emma Little  
Evie Diamond  
Gregor Townsley  
Holly Rodger  
Hope Henderson  
Indii McCulloch

Izzy Hughes  
Jessica Ewer  
Jessica-May Payne  
Jeviy Dela Santa  
Jude Tait  
Kate Mosley  
Katie Rourke  
Leila Osmond  
Lia McCulloch  
Lucy Arbuckle  
Maia Fernandez McCann  
Martha Danton  
Martha Johnson  
Mia Tomb  
Nellie Heinrich  
Nirvana Balideh  
Nuala-Maria McKnight  
Olivia Cocozza  
Orla Gilligan  
Rachel Cook  
Rosa Caughie  
Rowie Bryce  
Sarah Orimoloye  
Sophie Hall  
Stella MacEachran  
Stella Sorenson  
Summer Wang  
Susie Wu  
Thea Morag Heinrich  
Yasmin Patel  
Yi Han Dong

## RSNO YOUTH CHORUS STAFF

### RSNO YOUTH CHORUS DIRECTOR

Patrick Barrett  
TRAINING CHOIR, CHILDREN'S CHORUS 2  
AND YOUTH CHORUS 2

### ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

Alison McNeill  
YOUTH CHORUS 1 AND CHILDREN'S CHORUS 1

### MUSICIANSHIP STAFF

Heather Drysdale  
Phil Gault  
Mairi Leggatt  
Claire McCue  
Moilidh NicGriogair  
Sarah Skerritt  
Laura Smith  
Aimee Toshney  
Frikki Walker

### VOCAL COACHES

Daniela Hathaway  
Alison McNeill  
Laura Smith

### PIANISTS

Edward Cohen  
Judith Keaney

# Changed Voices



Aarush Bhat  
Advay Kadwe  
Akash Gadale  
Alastair NG  
Alistair Hillis  
Andrew Ross  
Brodie Webster  
Calum Tamata  
Daniyal Sölić-Ansari  
Dougie Grant-Duff  
Ewan Pilsworth  
Finlay Bryce  
Jack Ellen  
Jack Hammond  
Joe Thunder  
Keir Cameron  
Kjartan Magnusson  
Lev Sorokin  
Logan Adam  
Matthew Clarkson  
Max Biankin  
Murray Graham  
Nicholas Milne  
Odunayo Orimoloye  
Reuben Griffiths  
Sam Smith  
William Philip  
Yashar Pourghazi  
Yashvardhan Jain

**DIRECTOR**  
Frikki Walker

**VOCAL COACH**  
Phil Gault

**PIANIST**  
Tim Mills

**STAFF ASSISTANTS**  
Claire Bryan  
Katie Bryan  
Gavin Johnson  
Rennie MacKechnie  
Rachel Morrison  
Nicole Swindells

# Frikki Walker

## Director, Changed Voices



Frikki Walker is a choral conductor with many years' experience of conducting boys' changing voices. He has conducted the RSNO Changed Voices since 2009 and for many years conducted the Changed Voices of the National Youth Choir of Scotland, and also founded and directs Glasgow Cambiata, which brings together boys' choirs from schools in the area. This choir has performed to great acclaim with the RSNO.

Frikki is Director of Music at St Mary's Cathedral, Glasgow, where his choir has earned an international reputation for excellence through its regular broadcasts on radio and TV. He founded and conducts the Royal School of Church Music Scottish Voices, and is often a guest conductor and examiner at the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland. As a member of staff at the High School of Glasgow, his Chamber Choir has won BBC Songs of Praise Senior School Choir of the Year and made various radio and TV appearances.

Frikki has worked with all of Scotland's most prestigious choirs and has run workshops and adjudicated at music festivals all over Scotland. He is also an accomplished organist, singer and composer.

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A man with grey hair and a beard, wearing a black tuxedo with a white bow tie, stands in a lush jungle. He holds a baton in his right hand and gestures with his left. The background is a dense thicket of green foliage, including large leaves, red bird-like flowers, and pink peonies. A blue grid pattern is visible in the upper background.

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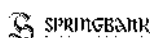
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