

Hampstead Garden Opera is seeking a Director to lead the company in its November 2019 production of Giacomo Puccini's *La bohème*. Two casts, five performances each, between 8 and 17 November at Jacksons Lane Theatre, Highgate, London N6.

Applicants should have relevant experience of directing opera, and of managing a creative team.

The post will run from June to November (auditions, rehearsals, performances), and the combined fee for the Director and an assistant will be £4,000.

After agreement on a production budget, it will be the Director's responsibility to appoint a creative team, and to manage that budget accordingly on the agreed basis.

Applications should be made to David Conway, Chairman of HGO, (david.conway@hgo.org.uk) and should comprise a CV and covering letter.

The closing date for applications is December 14th and it is intended to hold interviews in the period 18-20 December.

A maximum of six applicants will be accepted for interview. Those chosen will be given more detailed information by 16th December, to enable them to prepare adequately. At interview, applicants will be asked a series of questions which will include coverage of their directing ethos, their experience and approach to managing productions, and their vision for the opera.

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