

Art Song Preservation Society

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Art Song Preservation Society upcoming workshop

**Henri Duparc (and his contemporaries)
Master Lecture and Workshop**

MAY 19th, 1:00-3:30 pm

Join the Art Song Preservation Society in their next workshop on Henri Duparc!

Singers Forum (49 West 24th Street, 4th Floor)

\$15 in advance/\$20 at the door

Among the great French song composers, there is but one who succeeded in defining a great number of elements that characterize the *mélodie* with only the most marginal contribution. With sixteen vocal songs for solo voice and piano, Henri Duparc (1848-1933) is considered one of the primary composers of the *mélodie* thanks in part to his capacity to unite the text with his musical concepts.

The purpose of this workshop and lecture is to provide an overview of Duparc in relation to the literary periods that thrived during his compositional years. Singers will perform selected Duparc *mélodies*, against the backdrop of a historical overview of the composer in an attempt to better understand Duparc's style and influences as one of France's most fascinating and gifted composers.

"He has given to the French mélodie a scope, a fullness and a power that no other composer except perhaps Berlioz has ever previously realized and which in truth no other has surpassed."

Julien Tiersot, French Musicologist.

If you would like to participate, please RSVP

aspsny@gmail.com There will be a pianist.



ASPS Competition Finalists with Blair Boone (L-R, Blair Boone, Tami Petty, Rosalie Sullivan, Malcolm Merriweather, Michael Weyandt, Silvie Jensen, Winnie Nip, Stefanie Izzo)



Michael Weyandt, Baritone, winner of the Art Song Preservation Society Competition this past March!



Rosalie Sullivan, Mezzo soprano, semi-finalist



Malcolm Merriweather, Baritone, semi-finalist

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