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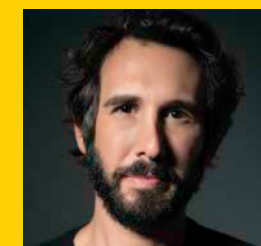


LACHSA'S 6TH ANNUAL

FUTURE ARTISTS GALA



CORBIN BLEU '05
Gala Host



JOSH GROBAN '99
LACHSA Luminary Award



CHANNING DUNGEY
Arts Advocate Award



MICHAEL FITZPATRICK '88
Fitz and the Tantrums



MELINA KANAKAREDES
Gala Producer



TONY BARBIERI
Auction Host

SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2023
6:30 PM PST

Avalon Hollywood
1735 Vine Street, Hollywood, CA 90028

Featuring exciting student performances and special guests PLUS exclusive auction items from internationally-renowned LACHSA artists and once-in-a-lifetime experiences

This evening of celebration will support the future artists and changemakers of Los Angeles County and help keep high-quality free public arts education accessible to any student with talent and a dream

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About LACHSA

Founded nearly four decades ago in the global creative capital of Los Angeles, the LA County High School for the Arts [LACHSA] is the #1 Arts High School in the Nation* for student artists whose undeniable talent and fearlessly authentic voices change the world. LACHSA students come from every part of Los Angeles County and exemplify its wide-ranging diversity.

LACHSA students study with professional teaching artists to sharpen their critical thinking and strengthen their skills in core academics and five arts disciplines – cinematic arts, dance, theatre, music, and visual arts.

They go on to thrive at top colleges and arts conservatory programs and establish themselves as leaders in their chosen fields of art or study. LACHSA students become the significant artists and individuals they were always meant to be.

LACHSA has a nearly 100% graduation rate and our students have been offered over \$14 million annually in scholarships to attend schools such as *The Juilliard School*, *Berklee School of Music*, *CalArts*, *NYU Tisch*, *RISD*, *Oberlin*, *Yale*, *Art Institute of Chicago*, *Stanford*, *UCLA*, *USC*, *University of Michigan*, and *Carnegie Mellon*.

*As ranked by Niche.com



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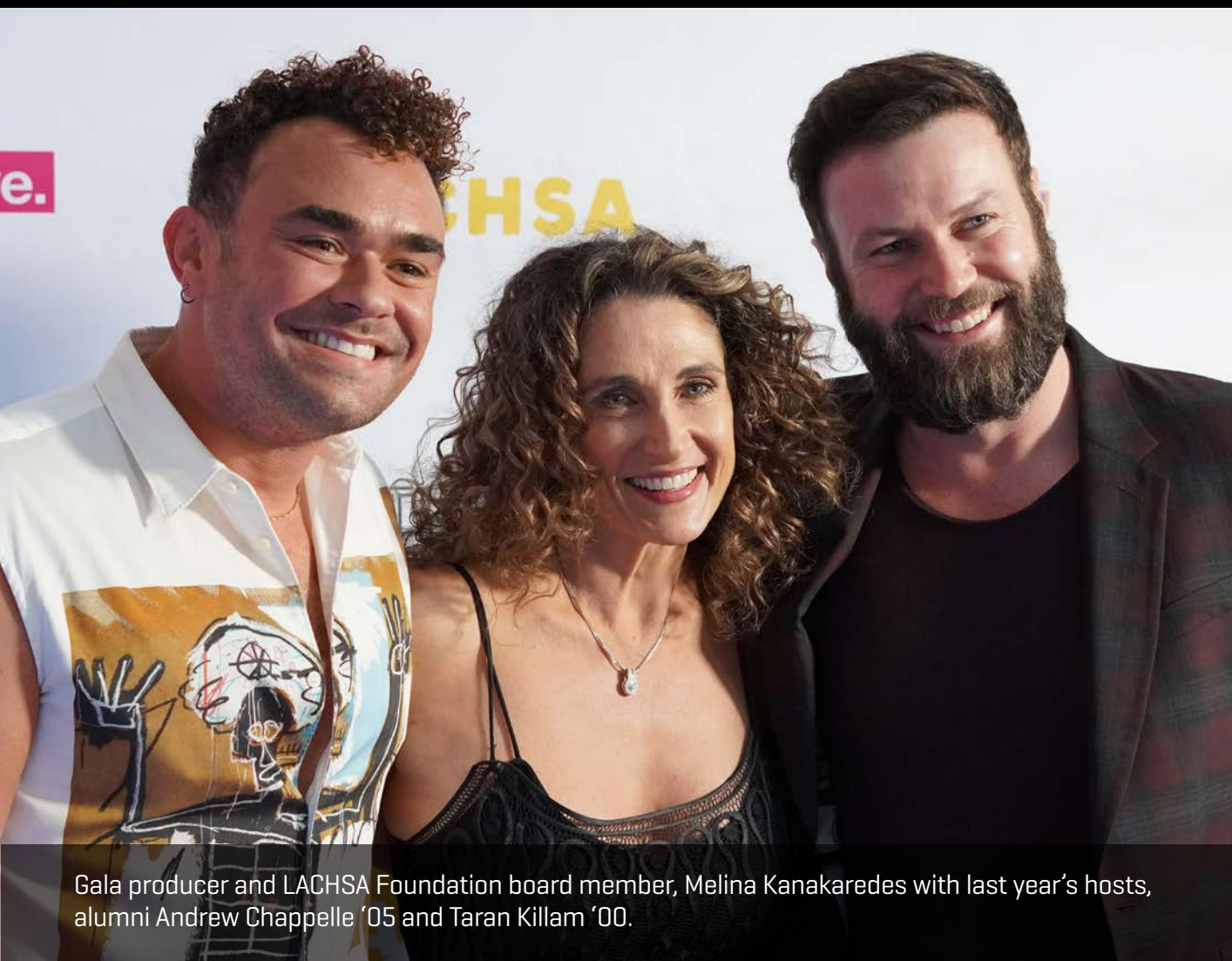
Ensuring Equity and Diversity in High-Impact Arts Training

The non-profit LACHSA Foundation ensures that the most remarkable student artists from all of Los Angeles County are able to engage in a transformative conservatory incubator, regardless of their backgrounds.

Each year, the LACHSA Foundation works to fund the actual costs of the arts curriculum and programs by cultivating relationships with a broad base of donors who recognize how critical it is to support young artists who were born to create.

The impact of your sponsorship will ensure:

- A faculty of internationally recognized professional teaching artists
- Master Classes taught by famous and/or influential actors, musicians, dancers, filmmakers, painters, and other artists. Recent master class guests have included Jazz Icon **Wynton Marsalis**, film composer **Thomas Newman**, filmmaker **Kemp Powers**, opera star **Angel Blue**, and jazz artist **Gretchen Parlato**.
- Over 40 public performances, film festivals, and visual art exhibitions annually.
- The highest quality/leading edge instruments, equipment, and art materials.



Gala producer and LACHSA Foundation board member, Melina Kanakaredes with last year's hosts, alumni Andrew Chappelle '05 and Taran Killam '00.



LACHSA Dance collaboration with Visual Artist Robert Vargas. Robert Vargas was recently honored by the City of Los Angeles, and had an intersection in Boyle Heights named in his honor in 2022.

Notable LACHSA Alumni

A few of the talented LACHSA alumni who are changing the world



Visual Artist **Kehinde Wiley** was the first Black artist to paint an official Presidential portrait of Barack Obama, and has been awarded the U.S. Medal of Arts for his work — painting, sculpture, and video — that reimagine people of color in traditional settings.



Grammy-nominated rock band **HAIM**, featuring three alumna, **Este**, **Danielle**, and **Alana Haim**. Alana recently starred in the Oscar-nominated film *Licorice Pizza*.



Josh Groban is an internationally renowned singer, songwriter, actor and producer with four multi-platinum albums and over 25 million records sold worldwide.



Matthew Rushing was a principal dancer and is now Associate Artistic Director for the Alvin Ailey Dance Theatre of America, and is considered one of the most acclaimed dancers in the country.



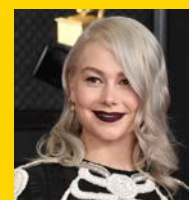
Angel Blue made her debut with the San Francisco Opera Company as “Clara” in *Porgy and Bess*, and the operatic soprano and classical crossover artist has been a featured soloist in concert and opera halls worldwide.



Josefina Lopez, Founder and Artistic Director of Casa 0101 Theater, wrote *Real Women Have Curves* — which won the top prize at Sundance Film Festival and was produced by HBO — while still a LACHSA student.



Kris Bowers, a Grammy and Oscar-nominated composer and pianist, has composed for film and television including Kobe Bryant's *Muse*, *Green Book*, *Bridgerton*, *King Richard* and artists Jay-Z and Kanye West.



Phoebe Bridgers is a Grammy-nominated singer, songwriter, and producer.

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