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#cwb (conducting with baby)

Dr. Coreen Duffy is Director of Choral Activities at the University of Montana School of Music, where she conducts the Chamber Chorale and University Choir, teaches conducting and choral methods, and supervises student teachers. She also serves as Artistic Director of the Missoula Community Chorus, where she conducts the 90-voice mixed choir and a select Chamber ensemble. Before arriving in Montana, Dr. Duffy served on the faculty at the University of Miami Frost School of Music, where she conducted ensembles and taught an array of conducting, arranging, and music history courses. Dr. Duffy is an active clinician as well as a composer. Her choral works are published by Walton Music, ECS Publishing, and Pavane Publishing and regularly featured on reading sessions and as recommended repertoire.

A specialist in Jewish choral music, Dr. Duffy has designed special performance and interest sessions dedicated to Jewish repertoire at two National American Choral Directors Association Conferences (Dallas, 2013 and Chicago, 2011). She founded the Second Avenue Jewish Chorale of South Florida; under her direction, the ensemble performed at such venues as the ACDA Florida Conference in Orlando and the North American Jewish Choral Festival (NAJCF) in New York. Dr. Duffy recently served two terms as Repertoire & Standards Chair for Ethnic and Multicultural Perspectives in the Florida ACDA. She has presented on the subject of Jewish choral music at the Second Annual Conference on Jewish Liturgical Music in Hannover, Germany; the American Conference of Cantors Convention, Fort Lauderdale; NAJCF, New York; ACDA Florida Conference, Orlando; Florida International University, Miami; Hamilton College, New York; and the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa.

Education

- D.M.A. University of Southern California Thornton School of Music--Choral Music (Secondary Fields: Instrumental Conducting, Choral Arranging, Sacred Music)
- M.M. University of Miami Frost School of Music--Choral Conducting
- J.D. University of Michigan Law School
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