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INFORMATION ON OUR 2018/19 DATA

SWAP'ra 2018/19 Season data has been collected by Donna Lennard from season information available to the public. It covers all mainstage productions of the major UK Opera Companies for the 2018/2019 season (Autumn 2018 to Summer 2019)

In this document, you'll see a detailed breakdown of this data in several formats.

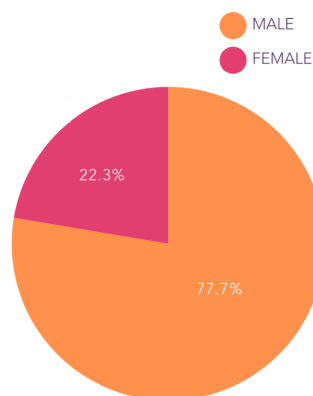
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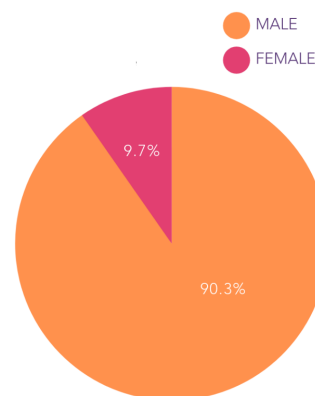
DIRECTORS

2018/19 SEASON



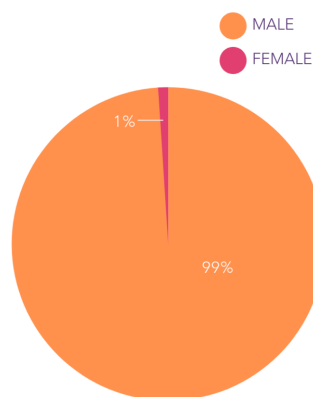
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2018/19 SEASON



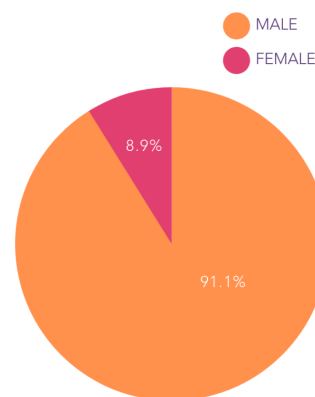
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2018/19 SEASON



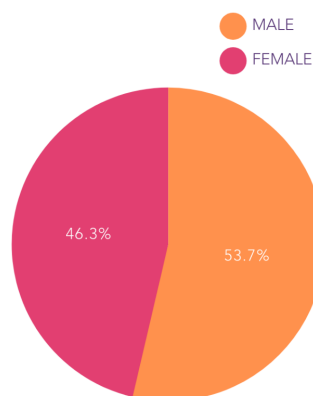
LIBRETTISTS

2018/19 SEASON



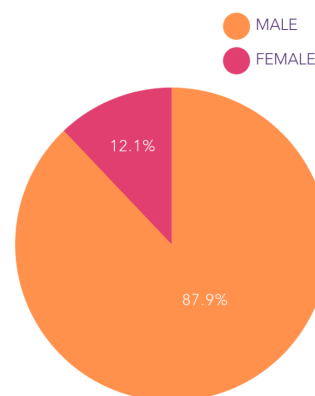
DESIGNERS

2018/19 SEASON



LIGHTING DESIGNERS

2018/19 SEASON



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DETAILED BREAKDOWN OF DATA

Company	Season	Production	Director		Conductor		Composer		Librettist		Designer		Lighting Designer	
Name	Gender	Name	Gender	Name	Gender	Name	Gender	Name	Gender	Name	Gender	Name	Gender	
ROH	2018/19	Das Rheingold	Keith Warner	Male	Antonio Pappano	Male	Richard Wagner	Male	Richard Wagner	Male	Stefanus Lazaridis	Male	Wolfgang Gobbel	Male
ROH	2018/19	Die Walkure	Keith Warner	Male	Antonio Pappano	Male	Richard Wagner	Male	Richard Wagner	Male	Stefanus Lazaridis	Male	Wolfgang Gobbel	Male
ROH	2018/19	Siegfried	Keith Warner	Male	Antonio Pappano	Male	Richard Wagner	Male	Richard Wagner	Male	Stefanus Lazaridis	Male	Wolfgang Gobbel	Male
ROH	2018/19	Götterdämmerung	Keith Warner	Male	Antonio Pappano	Male	Richard Wagner	Male	Richard Wagner	Male	Stefanus Lazaridis	Male	Wolfgang Gobbel	Male
ROH	2018/19	Simon Boccanegra	Elijah Moshinsky	Male	Henrik Nanasi	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Francesco Maria Piave	Male	Michael Yeargan	Male	John Harrison	Male
ROH	2018/19	Carmen	Barrie Kosky	Male	Julia Jones	Female	Georges Bizet	Male	Henni Meilhac	Male	Karin Lea Tag	Female	Joachim Klein	Male
ROH	2018/19	Hansel and Gretel	Antony McDonald	Male	Sebastian Weigle	Male	Engelbert Humperdinck	Male	Adelheid Wette	Female	Antony McDonald	Male	Lucy Carter	Female
ROH	2018/19	The Queen of Spades	Stefan Herheim	Male	Antonio Pappano	Male	Pyotr Tchaikovsky	Male	Pyotr Tchaikovsky	Male	Philipp Fuchsberger	Male	Bernd Pukrazbek	Male
ROH	2018/19	La Traviata	Richard Eyre	Male	Antonio Pappano	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Francesco Maria Piave	Male	Bob Crowley	Male	Jean Kalman	Male
ROH	2018/19	Katya Kabanova	Richard Jones	Male	Edward Gardner	Male	Leo Janacek	Male	Leo Janacek	Male	Antony McDonald	Male	Lucy Carter	Female
ROH	2018/19	Così fan tutte	Jan Philipp Gloger	Male	Stefano Montanari	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Lorenzo da Ponte	Male	Ben Baur	Male	Bernd Pukrazbek	Male
ROH	2018/19	La Forza del destino	Christof Loy	Male	Antonio Pappano	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Francesco Maria Piave	Male	Christian Schmidt	Male	Cliff Winter	Male
ROH	2018/19	Faust	David McVicar	Male	Dan Ettinger	Male	Charles Gounod	Male	Jules Barbier	Male	Charles Edwards	Male	Paule Constable	Female
ROH	2018/19	Billy Budd	Deborah Warner	Female	Ivor Bolton	Male	Benjamin Britten	Male	E.M. Forster	Male	Michael Levine	Male	Jean Kalman	Male
ROH	2018/19	Andrea Chenier	David McVicar	Male	Daniel Oren	Male	Umberto Giordano	Male	Eric Crozier	Male	Chlod Dobransky	Female	Adam Silverman	Male
ROH	2018/19	Tosca	Jonathan Kent	Male	Alexander Joel	Male	Giacomo Puccini	Male	Giuseppe Giacomini	Male	Paul Brown	Male	Mark Henderson	Male
ROH	2018/19	Boris Gudimov	Richard Jones	Male	Marc Albrecht	Male	Modest Mussorgsky	Male	Modest Mussorgsky	Male	Miriam Buerher	Female	Mimi Jordan Sherin	Female
ROH	2018/19	La nozze di Figaro	David McVicar	Male	John Eliot Gardner	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Lorenzo da Ponte	Male	Tanya McCallin	Female	Paule Constable	Female
ROH	2018/19	La fille du regiment	Laurent Pelly	Male	Evelino Pido	Male	Gaetano Donizetti	Male	JM Vernoy de Saint-Georges	Male	Chantal Thomas	Female	Joel Adam	Male
Linbury	2018/19	The Diary of One Who Disappeared	Ivo van Hove	Male	Leo Janacek	Male	Georg Frideric Handel	Male	Ozef Kalda	Male	Jan Versweyeld	Male	Jan Versweyeld	Male
Linbury	2018/19	Berenice	Adele Thomas	Female	Annelise Van Parys	Female	Antonio Salvi	Male	Hannah Clark	Female	D.M. Wood	Female	D.M. Wood	Female
Linbury	2018/19	The Monstrous Child	Timothy Shaeffer	Male	Jessica Cottis	Female	Gavin Higgins	Female	Francesca Simon	Female	Paul Willis	Male	Howard Hudson	Male
ENO	2018/19	Salome	Adena Jacobs	Female	Maryn Brabbins	Female	Richard Strauss	Male	Hedwig Lachman	Male	Marg Howell	Female	Lucy Carter	Female
ENO	2018/19	Porgy and Bess	James Robinson	Male	John Wilson	Male	George Gershwin	Male	Ira Gershwin	Male	Michael Yeargan	Male	Donald Holder	Male
ENO	2018/19	Lucia di Lammermoor	David Alden	Male	Stuart Stratford	Male	Gaetano Donizetti	Male	Salvatore Cammarano	Male	Charles Edwards	Male	Adam Silverman	Male
ENO	2018/19	War Requiem	Daniel Kramer	Male	Maryn Brabbins	Female	Benjamin Britten	Male	Wilfred Owen	Male	Wolfgang Tilmans	Male	Charles Ballour	Male
ENO	2018/19	La bohème	Jonathan Miller	Male	Alexander Joel	Male	Giacomo Puccini	Male	Giuseppe Giacomini	Male	Nasir Maharr	Male	Jean Kalman	Male
ENO	2018/19	Akhmatov	Phelim McDermott	Male	Karen Karmsek	Female	Philip Glass	Male	Philip Glass	Male	Tom Pye	Male	Bruno Poet	Male
ENO	2018/19	The Merry Widow	Max Webster	Male	Kristina Poska	Female	Franz Lehár	Male	Victor Leon	Male	Kevin Pollard	Male	Bruno Poet	Male
ENO	2018/19	The Magic Flute	Simon McBurney	Male	Martin Fitzpatrick	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Emanuel Shikaneder	Male	Michael Levine	Male	Jean Kalman	Male
ENO	2018/19	Jack the Ripper	Daniel Kramer	Male	Maryn Brabbins	Female	Chris Hopkins	Male	Emanuel Shikaneder	Male	Michael Levine	Male	Jean Kalman	Male
Opera North	2018/19	Tosca	Edward Dick	Male	Anthony Hermus	Male	Giuseppe Puccini	Male	Emma Jenkins	Female	Nicky Gillbrand	Female	Paul Anderson	Male
Opera North	2018/19	The Merry Widow	Giles Havergal	Male	Jonathan Santagada	Male	Giuseppe Puccini	Male	Tom Scott	Male	Scott Gilmore	Female	Lee Curran	Male
Opera North	2018/19	Silent Night	Tim Albery	Male	Nicholas Kok	Male	Kevin Potts	Male	Mark Campbell	Male	Hannah Clark	Female	Thomas C. Hase	Male
Opera North	2018/19	The Magic Flute	James Brining	Male	Robert Howarth	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Emanuel Shikaneder	Male	Colin Richmond	Male	Chris Davey	Male
Opera North	2018/19	Katya Kabanova	Tim Albery	Male	Stan Edwards	Female	Leo Janacek	Male	Leo Janacek	Male	Hildegard Bechtler	Female	Peter Mumford	Male
Opera North	2018/19	Gianni Schicchi	Christopher Alden	Male	Gary Walker	Male	Giuseppe Puccini	Male	Giovacchino Forzano	Male	Charles Edwards	Male	Adam Silverman	Male
Opera North	2018/19	Aida	Annabel Arden	Female	Richard Armstrong	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Antonio Ghislanzoni	Male	Doody Little	Female	Richard Moore	Male
Scottish Opera	2018/19	Rigoletto	Matthew Richardson	Male	Rumon Gamba	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Francesco Maria Piave	Male	Joanna Parker	Female	Jon Morrell	Male
Scottish Opera	2018/19	Katya Kabanova	Stephen Lawless	Male	Stuart Stratford	Male	Leo Janacek	Male	Leo Janacek	Male	Leslie Travers	Male	Christopher Akerlind	Male
Scottish Opera	2018/19	The Magic Flute	Thomas Allen	Male	Tobias Ringborg	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Emanuel Shikaneder	Male	Simon Hackett	Male	Mark Jonathan	Male
Scottish Opera	2018/19	Anthropocene	Matthew Richardson	Male	Stuart Stratford	Male	Stuart MacRae	Male	Louise Welsh	Female	Samal Black	Male	Matthew Richardson	Male
WNO	2018/19	La traviata	David McVicar	Male	James Southall	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Francesco Maria Piave	Male	Tanya McCallin	Female	Jennifer Tipton	Female
WNO	2018/19	La Cenerentola	Joan Font	Male	Tomas Hanus	Male	Giuseppe Puccini	Male	Jacopo Ferretti	Male	Joan Guillen	Male	Albert Faura	Male
WNO	2018/19	War and Peace	David Pountney	Male	Tomas Hanus	Male	Serge Prokofiev	Male	Serge Prokofiev	Male	Robert Innes Hopkins	Male	Malcolm Rippey	Male
WNO	2018/19	Un ballo in maschera	David Pountney	Male	Carlo Rizi	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Antonio Somma	Male	Raimund Bauer	Male	Fabrice Kébour	Male
WNO	2018/19	The Magic Flute	Dominic Cooke	Male	Thomas Blunt	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Emanuel Shikaneder	Male	Marie Jeanne Lecca	Female	Chris Davey	Male
WNO	2018/19	Roberto Devereux	Alessandro Talevi	Male	Carlo Rizi	Male	Gaetano Donizetti	Male	Salvatore Cammarano	Male	Kevin Pollard	Female	Matt Haskins	Male
WNO	2018/19	Don Pasquale	Danny Evans	Female	Stephen Higgins	Male	Gaetano Donizetti	Male	Gaetano Donizetti	Male	Loren Estein	Female	Jake Withshire	Male
WNO	2018/19	Dead Man Walking	Martin Constantine	Male	Karen Karmsek	Female	Jake Heggie	Male	Terrance McNally	Male	Misty Buckley	Female	Mark Jonathan	Male
WNO	2018/19	The Consul	Max Hoehn	Male	Justin Brown	Male	Gian Carlo Menotti	Male	Gian Carlo Menotti	Male	April Dalton	Female	Mark Jonathan	Male
WNO	2018/19	The Prisoner/Fidelio (ACT1)	David Pountney	Male	Lothar Koenigs	Male	Luigi Dallapiccola	Male	Luigi Dallapiccola	Male	Misty Buckley	Female	Mark Jonathan	Male
Glyndebourne	2018/19	La damnation de Faust	Richard Jones	Male	Robin Ticciati	Male	Hector Berlioz	Male	Georg Friedrich Tietzschke	Male	April Dalton	Female	Andreas Fuchs	Male
Glyndebourne	2018/19	Il barbiere di Siviglia	Annabel Arden	Female	Rafael Payare	Male	Giuseppe Puccini	Male	Cesare Sterbini	Male	Joanna Parker	Female	James Farncombe	Male
Glyndebourne	2018/19	Cendrillon	Fiona Shaw	Female	John Wilson	Male	Jules Massenet	Male	Henri Cain	Male	Nicky Gillbrand	Female	Anna Watson	Female
Glyndebourne	2018/19	Rusalka	Melby Still	Female	Robin Ticciati	Male	Antonín Dvořák	Male	Jaroslav Kvapil	Male	Rae Smith	Female	Paule Constable	Female
Glyndebourne	2018/19	Die Zauberflöte	Renaud Doucet	Male	Ryan Wigglesworth	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Emanuel Shikaneder	Male	Andre Barbe	Male	Guy Smard	Male
Glyndebourne	2018/19	Rinaldo	Robert Carsen	Male	Maxim Emelyanov	Male	George Frideric Handel	Male	Giuseppe Rossi	Male	Gideon Davey	Male	Robert Carsen	Male
Glyndebourne (on Tour)	2018/19	Rinaldo	Robert Carsen	Male	David Bates	Male	George Frideric Handel	Male	Giacomo Rossi	Male	Gideon Davey	Male	Peter Van Praet	Male
Glyndebourne (on Tour)	2018/19	L'elisir d'amour	Annabel Arden	Female	Ben Glasberg	Male	Gaetano Donizetti	Male	Felice Romani	Male	Les Brotherton	Male	Robert Carsen	Male
Glyndebourne (on Tour)	2018/19	Rigoletto	Christiane Lutz	Female	Thomas Blunt	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Francesco Maria Piave	Male	Christina Tabakoff	Male	Giuseppe Di Iorio	Male
ETO	2018/19	Kadmos	James Conway	Male	Peter Whelan	Male	George Frideric Handel	Male	Nicola Francesco Haym	Male	Natasha Marwal	Female	NO INFO	Male
ETO	2018/19	Didon and Aeneas/Jonah's will not speak	Sarah Homburg	Female	Jonathan Peter Kenny	Male	Henry Purcell	Male	Nahum Tate	Male	Adam Withshire	Male	Rory Beaton	Male
ETO	2018/19	Elizabeth I	James Conway	Male	John Andrews	Male	Giuseppe Puccini	Male	Carlo Guisado	Male	Giovanni Schmidt	Male	Rory Beaton	Male
ETO	2018/19	Idomeneo	James Conway	Male	Jonathan Peter Kenny	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Giuseppe Puccini	Male	Frankie Bradshaw	Female	Rory Beaton	Male
ETO	2018/19	Macbeth	James Dacre	Male	Gerry Cornelius	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Francesco Maria Piave	Male	Frankie Bradshaw	Female	Rory Beaton	Male
Grange Park	2018/19	Porgy and Bess	Jean-Pierre van der Spuy	Male	Stephen Barlow	Male	George Gershwin	Male	Ira Gershwin	Male	Francis O'Connor	Male	David Slater	Male
Grange Park	2018/19	Hansel and Gretel	Stephen Medcalf	Male	George Jackson	Male	Engelbert Humperdinck	Male	Adelheid Wette	Female	Yannis Theodoris	Male	NO INFO	Male
Grange Park	2018/19	Don Carlo	Jo Davies	Female	Giuseppe Puccini	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Joseph Méry	Male	Leslie Travers	Male	Anna Watson	Female
Grange Festival	2018/19	La nozze di Figaro	Martin Lloyd-Evans	Male	Richard Eger	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Lorenzo da Ponte	Male	Tim Reed	Male	Peter Mumford	Male
Grange Festival	2018/19	Falstaff	Christopher Luscombe	Male	Francesco Cilluffo	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Angelo Bortolotti	Male	Simon Hackett	Male	Peter Mumford	Male
Grange Festival	2018/19	Belshazzar	Daniel Slater	Male	Harry Christophers	Male	George Frideric Handel	Male	Charles Jennens	Male	Robert Innes Hopkins	Male	Peter Mumford	Male
Garsington	2018/19	The Bartered Bride	Paul Curran	Male	Jac van Steen	Male	Bedřich Smetana	Male	Karel Sabina	Male	Kevin Knight	Male	Howard Hudson	Male
Garsington	2018/19	Don Giovanni	Michael Boyd	Male	Douglas Boyd	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Lorenzo da Ponte	Male	Tom Piper	Male	Malcolm Rippey	Male
Garsington	2018/19	Fantasio	Martin Duncan	Male	Justin Doyle	Male	Jacques Offenbach	Male	Paul de Maistre	Male	Francis O'Connor	Male	Howard Hudson	Male
Garsington	2018/19	The Turn of the Screw	Louisa Miller	Female	Richard Farnes	Male	Benjamin Britten	Male	Myfanwy Piper	Female	Christopher Oram	Male	Malcolm Rippey	Male
OHP	2018/19	Manon Lescaut	Karolina Sofkalska	Female	Peter Robinson	Male	Giacomo Puccini	Male	Ruggiero Leoncavallo	Male	George Johnson-Leigh	Male	Rory Beaton	Male
OHP	2018/19	Un ballo in maschera	Rodula Gaitanaru	Female	Matthew Kofi Waldren	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Antonio Somma	Male	Takis	Male	Simon Corder	Male
OHP	2018/19	L'elisir	Oliver Platt	Male	Dane Lam	Male	Francesco Cilea	Male	Leggolo Marengo	Male	Alyson Cummins	Female	Rory Beaton	Male
OHP	2018/19	Il segreto di Susanna/Iolanta	John Wilkie	Male	John Andrews	Male	Emmano Wolf-Ferrari	Male	Enrico Gellicani	Male	Takis	Male	Mark Jonathan	Male
Longborough	2018/19	Das Rheingold	Olivia Fuchs	Female	Stan Edwards	Female	Pyotr Tchaikovsky	Male	Pyotr Tchaikovsky	Male	Richard Wagner	Male	Thomson Newman Brown	Female
Longborough	2018/19	Anna Bolena	Jenny Miller	Female	Jeremy Silver	Male	Gaetano Donizetti	Male	Felice Romani	Male	Enma Ryott	Female	Ace McCarron	Male
Longborough	2018/19	Don Giovanni	Martin Constantine	Male	Thomas Blunt	Male	Wolfgang Mozart	Male	Lorenzo da Ponte	Male	Will Holt	Male	Tim Mitchell	Male
Wexford	2018/19	Mala vita/L'oracolo	Rodula Gaitanaru	Female	Francesco Cilluffo	Male	Umberto Giordano	Male	Nicola Despre	Male	Cordelia Chisholm	Female	Paul Hackenmueller	Male
Wexford	2018/19	Dinner at Eight	Tomer Zivulon	Male	David Agler	Male	William Bolcom	Male	Marco Camillo	Male	Alexander Dodge	Male	Robert Wierzel	Male
Wexford	2018/19	Il bravo	Renaud Doucet	Male	Jonathan Brandani	Male	Saverio Mercurante	Male	Giuseppe Rossi	Male	Andre Barbe	Male	Paul Hackenmueller	Male
Wexford	2018/19	Don Pasquale	Kathleen Stakeman	Female	Daniella Pelleggrino	Female	Gaetano Donizetti	Male	Gaetano Donizetti	Male	Angela Giulia Toso	Female	Johann Fitzpatrick	Male
Wexford	2018/19	La fanciulla del West	Brenda Harris	Female	Giorgio Z'Alonso	Male	Giacomo Puccini	Male	Guelfo Civini	Male	Angela Giulia Toso	Female	Johann Fitzpatrick	Male
NI Opera	2018/19	Rigoletto	Walter Scudiffe	Male	Gareth Hancock	Male	Giuseppe Verdi	Male	Francesco Maria Piave	Male	Kasper Glerner	Male	Wolfgang Goebel	Male
NI Opera	2018/19	Sweeney Todd	Walter Scudiffe	Male	Siobhán Hayes	Female	Stephen Sondheimer	Male	Hugh Wheeler	Male	Dorota Karliczak	Female	Wolfgang Goebel	Male
Mid Wales	2018/19	Tosca	Richard											

OVERALL

The numbers

	Productions	Director		Conductor		Composer		Librettist		Designer		Lighting Designer		Overall		Total Roles
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
ROH - 2018/19	19	18	1	19	1	19	0	24	1	17	13	14	5	111	21	132
Linbury - 2018/19	3	2	1	0	1	3	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	11	7	18
ENO - 2018/19	9	8	1	9	3	9	0	10	3	8	7	8	1	52	15	67
Opera North - 2018/19	7	6	1	8	1	7	0	9	0	4	5	7	0	41	7	48
Scottish Opera - 2018/19	4	4	0	6	0	4	0	3	1	4	0	4	0	25	1	26
WNO - 2018/19	10	9	1	12	1	11	0	14	1	4	12	9	1	59	16	75
Glyndebourne - 2018/19	9	4	5	11	0	9	0	11	0	6	6	9	2	50	13	63
ETO - 2018/19	5	6	1	5	0	7	0	6	0	2	3	4	0	30	4	34
Grange Park - 2018/19	3	2	1	3	0	3	0	3	3	3	1	1	1	15	6	21
Grange Festival - 2018/19	3	3	0	3	0	3	0	3	0	3	0	3	0	18	0	18
Garsington - 2018/19	4	3	1	4	0	4	0	4	1	4	0	4	0	23	2	25
OHP - 2018/19	4	2	3	4	1	5	0	9	0	3	1	4	0	27	5	32
Longborough - 2018/19	3	1	2	3	0	3	0	3	0	2	2	3	0	15	4	19
Wexford - 2018/19	5	2	3	4	1	6	0	8	0	2	4	5	0	27	8	35
NI Opera - 2018/19	2	2	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	1	1	2	0	10	2	12
Mid Wales - 2018/19	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	7	0	7
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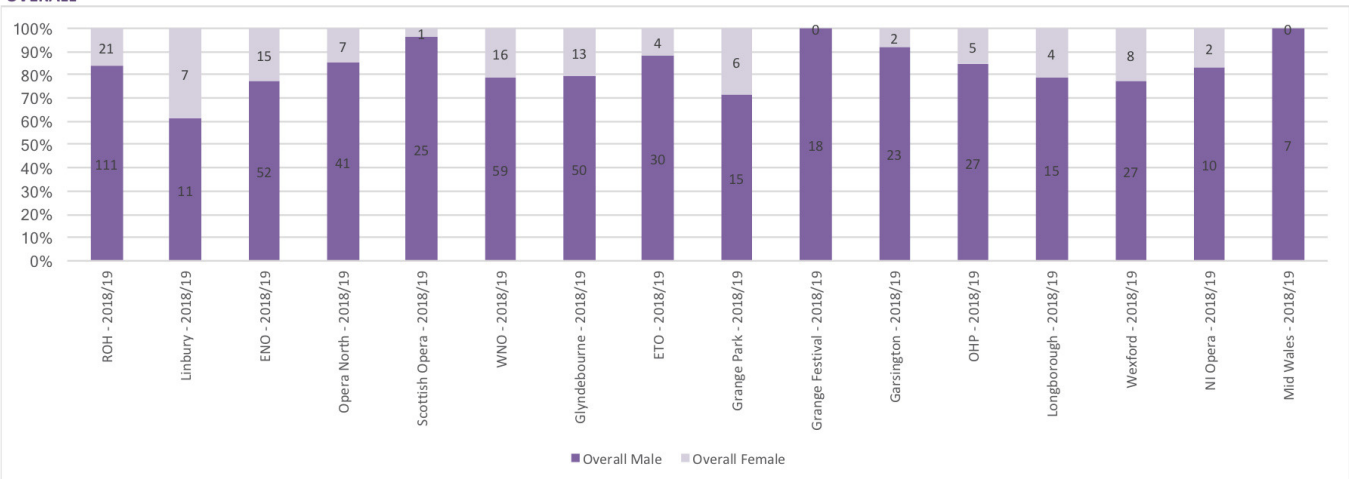
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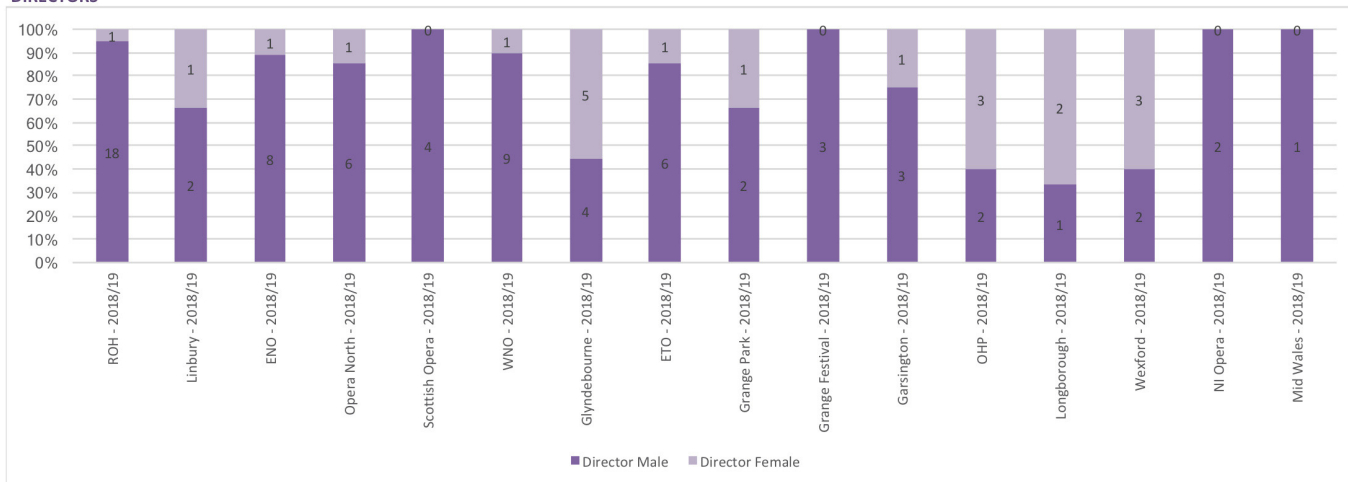
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What does this look like?

OVERALL



DIRECTORS



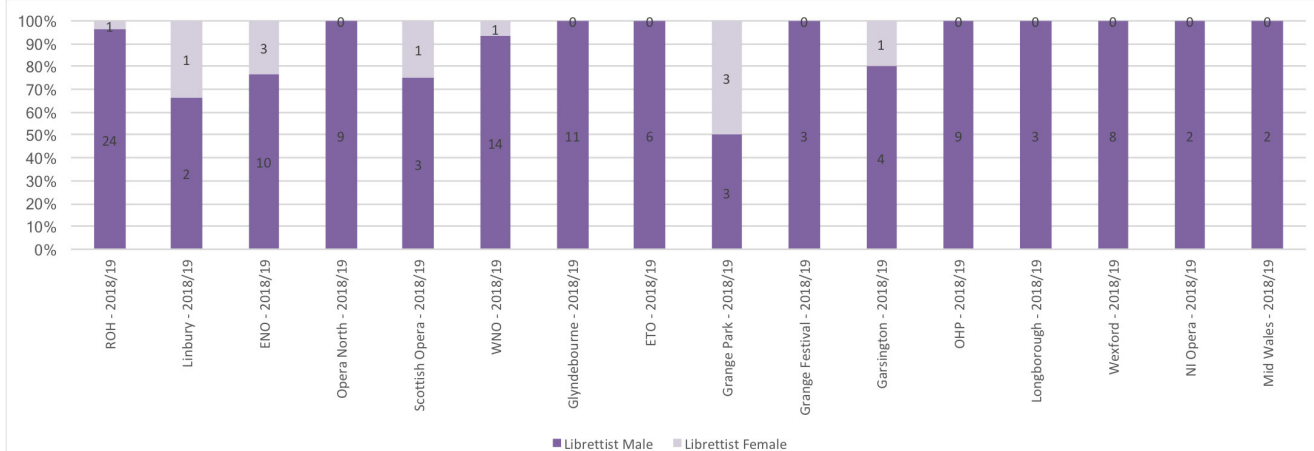
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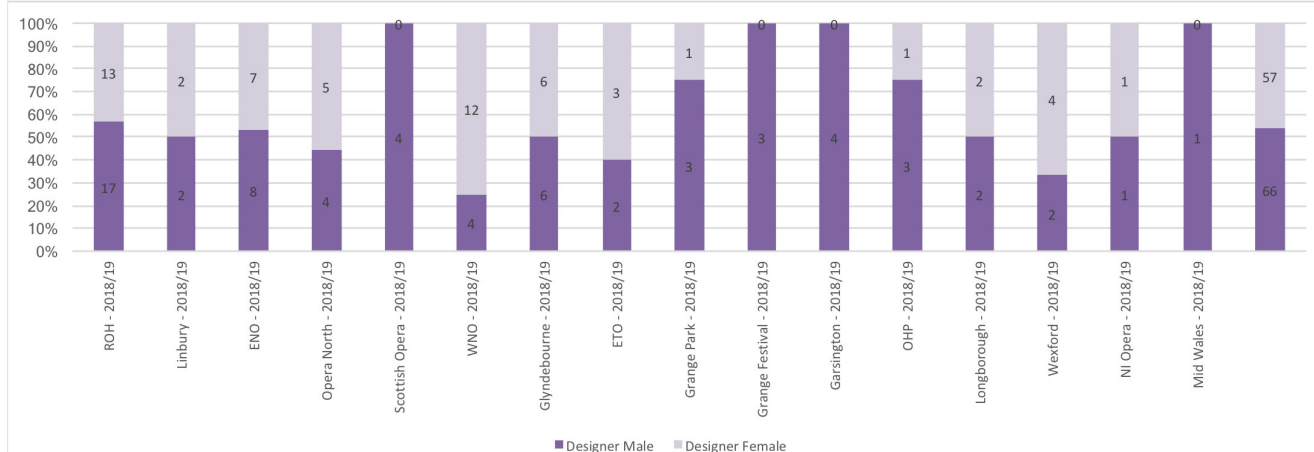
COMPOSERS



LIBRETTISTS



DESIGNER



LIGHTING DESIGNER

