

## AESS SENIOR PRIZE

1982	SUSAN BULLOCK	John Graham-Hall, Helen Charnock
1983	LYNTON BLACK	Noel Mann, Hazel Morgan, Richard Paul
1984	NIGEL CLIFFE	Melanie Marshall, Robert Johnson, Judith Bates
1985	PHILIP LLOYD EVANS	Fiona Rose, Jane Webster
1986	REBECCA de PONT DAVIES	Philip Sheffield, Jonathan Veira
1987	ANNE LEWIS	Richard Wilson, Michael Jamieson-Smith
1988	JAMIE MACDOUGALL	Richard Wilson, Denise Hector
1989	SUSANNAH WATERS	Roger Langford, Claire Henry
1990	SIMON ROBERTS	Heather Ship, Howard Quilla-Croft
1991	KATARINA KARNEUS	Mark Griffiths, Daniel Neer
1992	BARBARA O'NEILL	Kathleen Geary, Lucy Winkett
1993	CHRISTOPHER MALTMAN	Marian Anderson, Danielle Freeman
1994	RODERICK WILLIAMS	Geraldine McGreevy, Stephen Lily
1995	JAMES RUTHERFORD	Jonathan Monks, Madeleine Cuckney, Muriel Phillips Acc.
1998	NORBERT MEYN	Gillian Keith, Nathaniel Webster, Simon Lepper Acc.
1999	HELEN WITHERS, DAVID CLEGG (Joint)	Mark Nixon Acc.
2000	TESSA SPONG	Jacob Rothoff Acc.
2001	RODNEY CLARKE	Llyr Williams Acc.
2002	HOWARD WONG	Anna Tilbrook Acc.
2003	JOHN LOFTHOUSE	Sian Jones, Elin Manahan Thomas, John Reid Acc.
2004	JANE HARRINGTON	Andrew Staples, Nicky Spence, Marc Verter Acc.
2005	NATHAN VALE	Catherine Hopper, John Evans, Jonathan Beatty Acc.
2006	IESTYN MORRIS	Katherine Allen, Oliver Hirst, Jennie-Helen Moston Acc.
2007	RHONA McKAIL	Emily-Jane Thomas, Sara Lawson, Jonathan Fisher Acc.
2008	ELISABETH TOYE	Benedict Nelson, Duncan Rock, Elizabeth Rossiter Acc.
2009	JOHN McMUNN	Kate Symonds-Joy, Marcus Farnsworth, Craig White Acc.
2010	HELEN-JANE HOWELLS	Jennifer France, Christohper Jacklin, Jennifer Miles Acc.
2011	SAMUEL EVANS	Catherine Backhouse, Ben McAteer, Jamie Thonpson Acc.
2012	HADLEIGH ADAMS	Eleanor Garside, Alexei Winter, (Jnt 2 <sup>nd</sup> ) Catherine Norton Acc.
2013	SARAH PARKIN	Natalie Montakhab, Bradley Travis, Jennifer Hughes Acc.
2014	ALEXEI WINTER	Raphaela Papadakis, Heather Caddick, William Vann Acc.
2015	RHIANNON LLEWELLYN	Richard Moore, David Jones, Peter Foggitt Acc.

## PREVIOUS PRIZE WINNERS



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## THE PATRICIA ROUTLEDGE NATIONAL ENGLISH SONG COMPETITION

**Guildhall School of Music & Drama  
Wednesday, May 25<sup>th</sup> 2016**

### **Judging Panel:**

**Lynton Black, Nigel Foster, Jane Highfield,  
Maria Jagusz**

### **Judges for the Preliminary Round:**

**Mel Mehta, Angela Hickey, Brian Parsons**

### **Welcome to the Association of English Singers and Speakers Senior Competition**

The AESS is a registered charity and its members comprise performers, teachers and those with an interest in our core aim, which is *'to encourage the communication of English words, in singing and speech, with clarity, understanding and imagination'*.

I hope you enjoy this evening's competition. If you would like to join the association and share in its work, please visit <http://www.aofess.org.uk> where you can find information on all of the AESS competitions. **Sarah Leonard – Chairman**

**The AESS wishes to thank the Director of the Guildhall School of Music & Drama and all the staff who have loaned their facilities this evening. Thanks too to Armin Zanner, the Head of Vocal Faculty, for his support. The Co-ordinator is particularly grateful to Ingrid Van Boheemer for her help with practical matters. The AESS is grateful to all the judges who are AESS members serving in a voluntary capacity.**