

# Quae Omnia

The official Journal of Hispasong

History, culture, music, singing, vocal science and language

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The interest in Hispanism is growing little by little all around the world. Most of journals specialized for every social science discipline are written in Spanish. From singers to orchestra conductors, stage directors, composers, choir conductors to voice teachers, pianists, diction coaches, musicologists... There are a huge amount of people interested in Hispanic vocal music and they are not only performers, but also teachers in general, students of Spanish language or fans of Hispanic culture. All of them need also to understand every aspect of history, culture, traditions, music, pronunciation, interpretation, staging, repertory, popular beliefs or, even, stories, costumes, gastronomy or lifestyle.

All social sciences disciplines are welcome: history, ethnology, anthropology, musicology, paleography, linguistics and language, philosophy, religion, performing arts, visual arts, law...

Why not an article about gastronomy in medieval ages? Or law and justice in 19<sup>th</sup> century? Maybe one about flamenco "palos" or another about the role of women in Lorca's theatre? Are you a linguist? Performing arts are very interested in pronunciation, lexicon, dialects, semantic analysis.

Quae Omnia is the name of the oficial Journal of Hispasong, which is the Spanish project to spread Hispanic Vocal Music and to provide the necessary tools for all of this to be fully understood. Quae Omnia is not restricted to musicology articles and welcomes contributions about history, culture, traditions, language and vocal science in an original effort to provide music professionals the essential information for a much better interpretation of this vocal music.



# **MISSION**

Quae Omnia is the oficial Journal of Hispasong. Quae Omnia provides information regarding Hispanic world. Researchers can share their knowledges on history, music, culture, traditions, language and vocal science:

- History, culture and traditions: any historical period and any Hispanic country.
- Musicology: only vocal music: ópera, zarzuela, canción, flamenco, copla, etc.
- Linguistics and language: any language or dialect. Spanish, co-oficial languages like Catalan, Basque or Galician, early Castilian or Portugese, Mozarab, Quechua or Aymara for example and varieties like Andalusian, Argentinian and so.
- Anthropology and ethnology
- Paleography, not only writings but early notation.
- Philosophy, religion, law, psychology.
- Performing arts and visual arts

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For the main text is used Times New Roman and the size is 12 points. For phonetic symbols, Doulos SIL font is needed.



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Titles of individual songs should appear within notation marks, but titles of larger works should be italicized.

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