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(Far left) Title Co-Sponsors Valerie and Harry Cooper; (Close left) Santino Pizzo, Franchesca Castagnola;



Ron Evans , Tanya and Charles Brandes



(Far left) Ranna Sampson and Mayor Jerry Sanders; (Close left) Peter and Diane Yanofsky;



Irwin and Joan Jacobs



Some of the Dow Divas, community and cultural activists who act as a support group for the SD Opera.



(Right) Hershell Price and Honorable Chairwoman Pam Slater-Price



(Right) Gale and Jim Krause

San Diego Opera held its 2010 Gala, "La Belle Époque," on Jan. 30 in conjunction with the opening of the company's 45th season with Puccini's timeless classic "La bohème." The black-tie event featured an elegant pre-opera cocktail reception at The US Grant followed by a performance of "La bohème." Immediately following the opera, participants enjoyed dinner and dancing with the cast of "La bohème." The Dow Divas chaired the event. Photos/Rob McKenzie



Camila Arnold, Tara Wilson, Fay Wilson



**Former SD Opera
Chairwoman and
Dow Diva
President Iris
Strauss address-
es attendees**



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