

Lady Gaga to perform at the Oscars

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The 28-year-old singer will take to the stage at the 87th annual Academy Awards, held at the Dolby Theater in Los Angeles, on February 22 to sing a track for the star-studded audience.

Taking to her Instagram account this evening, the blonde beauty shared the big news with her fans, writing: "I'm performing live at the OSCARS this year!" It is not yet known what the *Applause* hitmaker will be performing but the producers, Craig Zadan and Neil Meron, of the annual ceremony believe she'll put on a spectacular show.

A statement release today reads: "Lady Gaga is a once-in-a-lifetime artist whose musical evolution keeps growing. We are proud to have her perform on the Oscars for the very first time."

The announcement comes just a week after the eccentric star performed at the Grammy Awards alongside Tony Bennett.

However, Gaga - who bagged her sixth Grammy gong last Sunday for Best Traditional Pop Vocal Album for her and Tony's *Cheek to Cheek* collection - isn't the only one rocking the stage this year as the host Neil Patrick Harris, 41, is to perform an opening number.