



The Dance Centre

Scotiabank Dance Centre

A unique location for
special events





Production Studio: Faris Family Studio

Multipurpose black box space perfect for productions, filming, conferences and special events.

- Spacious floor area 62 x 46 ft (2852 sq ft)
- Black Harlequin Cascade floor
- Retractable raked seating for 154 with great sightlines
- Playing area with seats and masking in place: 30 ft deep x 33 ft wide (900 sq ft)
- Air conditioning and ceiling fans
- Green room area and washroom backstage
- Lobby with bar area, fridge, washrooms, payphone, elevator
- Maximum capacity 200 (or as determined by facility staff for safety reasons)/100 seated, depending on seating configuration

Ask for our Technical Rider for full details.



Multipurpose Studio and Rooftop Patio: Judith R Marcuse Studio

Versatile multipurpose space with superb natural light, opening onto a canopied rooftop patio with great downtown views.

Ideal for receptions, weddings, photoshoots, exhibits and special events.

- Studio 25 x 32ft (800 sq ft) Patio 1079 sq ft
- Wood (maple) floor
- Air conditioning and ceiling fan
- Stereo
- Adjacent kitchen areas with fridge/freezer, sink, dishwasher, microwave, space for portable convection oven; washroom
- Maximum capacity (studio and patio) 120/ seated approx 50 depending on seating configuration

I am consistently happy to rent at Scotiabank Dance Centre, the studios are beautiful and staff always available to help.... A fantastic resource in the heart of the city.
Robert Leveroos,
The Cultch

I consider the SBDC one of the best venues in town and I will certainly recommend it as such.
David Murphy, Simon Fraser University

Multipurpose Studio: Mirna Zagar Studio

Versatile multipurpose space with excellent natural light, on the same floor as the Marcuse Studio.

Ideal for small-scale receptions, meetings, seminars, photoshoots.

- Studio 21 x 30ft (630 sq ft)
- Wood (maple) floor
- Air conditioning
- Stereo
- Adjacent kitchen areas with fridge/freezer, sink, dishwasher, microwave, space for portable convection oven; washroom
- Maximum capacity 40



Board Room: Peter C Godsoe Board Room

Fully-equipped Board Room ideal for meetings, planning sessions and interviews.

- Wooden tables and seating for up to 16, with space for additional seating
- Projection screen, dry-erase board, pin board, telephone
- Air conditioned
- Excellent natural light and window blinds
- Adjacent kitchen area with sink, fridge/freezer, coffee maker, dishwasher

About Scotiabank Dance Centre

Scotiabank Dance Centre opened in the heart of downtown Vancouver in 2001 and is regarded as Canada's flagship dance facility. Designed by the eminent architect Arthur Erickson, the stunning glass-enclosed facility is one of Vancouver's most distinctive cultural buildings. It is operated by The Dance Centre, a not-for-profit resource centre supporting dance in BC.

Scotiabank Dance Centre provides a unique environment for meetings, conferences, weddings, receptions, focus groups, strategic planning and team building sessions, and special events. Clients taking advantage of our excellent facilities include BC Fashion Week, the Vancouver Film School, Disney, ION Magazine and the Emily Carr University of Art and Design.

General Information

Regular hours of operation are 9am-10pm, seven days a week. These hours may be extended to accommodate special events: additional charges apply.

The building is wheelchair accessible except for the Jandali and Kraul & Strate studios on Level 4.

Excellent public transit links are nearby, and paid parking lots and metered street parking are in the vicinity. Please note there is no on-site parking.

We reserve the right to turn down a request if it appears unsuitable for our venue. Renters who make a booking for one type of event, and subsequently advertise it as another without informing The Dance Centre, will have their booking cancelled.

Liability Insurance (with liquor liability if appropriate) is a requirement of renting the facility.

Costs, Deposits and Payments

A detailed quote will be provided outlining rental fees and any additional costs including security, cleaning and music copyright fees.

A 25% deposit is required to secure a booking.

Final payment is due 30 days prior to the event.

The 25% deposit is retained if the event is cancelled less than three months in advance.

Cancellations less than 30 days prior to the event are non-refundable.

A refundable damage deposit is required at the time of booking.

Catering and Bar

Renters must bring in their own catering and bar supplies and staff: ask us for recommended catering services.

Kitchen facilities are limited, so please arrange a site visit prior to booking an event to ensure your needs will be met.

A Special Occasion License must be purchased and displayed if alcohol is served. A copy of the License must be provided to The Dance Centre a minimum of one week prior to the event.

The Dance Centre is not able to assist with the set-up of events including any chairs or tables that we might provide.

Catering, including equipment rentals, food, bar service, flowers, music, and waste removal, are the responsibility of the renter and must be removed from the premises immediately following the event.

Testimonial

My husband and I were completely set on finding a unique and urban/modern space to hold our wedding reception. My husband had always liked the ultra-modern look of the outside of the Scotiabank Dance Centre.... The Judith Marcuse studio was beyond perfect! The best part of the studio and patio is the view - it's like you're celebrating on top of the city! Our guests were amazed by our awesome location - we heard nothing but compliments all night. We definitely got that unique/urban/modern feel we had hoped for from the beginning. I can't thank the amazing staff of the Dance Centre enough for giving us the opportunity to have our wedding reception at such an awesome place. Karla Vervaet



Bookings and Information

To enquire about availability and rates, or to arrange a facility tour, please contact:
Venue Services
Administrator
604.606.6413
admin@thedancecentre.ca

For details and to take our virtual tour visit thedancecentre.ca/facility_rentals



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