

Technical Specifications

The Salon



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Venue Information

The Salon is a contemporary space as has been conceived as an acoustic volume, tall and rectangular – approximately 16m (l) x 9m (w) x 8m (h). It is equipped with a versatile selection of production equipment suitable for a wide range of recording, performance and event modes. It is located directly off the main foyer, at ground level, with its own dressing rooms and backstage facilities.

Capacity

The Salon's seating can be configured for concert style, in the round or for seated dinners.

Capacity: up to 130 concert seating, 100 seated dining or 150 standing reception.

Stage Management Facilities

Console

Custom console and stage relay monitor positioned in control room

Communications

Talkback: Clear-Com Talkback Master System
Cue Light: Leon Audio Cue Light System
Paging: Full Backstage and Foyer paging available with zoning

Staging Equipment

The Salon has a large range of stage and orchestral furniture, including music stands, orchestral chairs, bass stools, cello boards, scone lights, conductor's podium and stand, and lecterns. We are also able to provide a range of rostra configurations at variable heights.

Please advise us of your staging equipment requirements as early as possible and provide a stage plan.

Lighting

Console

JANDS Event 416

Control Positions

The Main LX control position is located within the control room, although DMX can be patched to within the performance space if required.

Luminaire

The Salon rig has been designed to suit ensembles of varying sizes and configurations that require open-white down-light. It contains a selection of ETC Source Four Profiles and PARs which can be supplemented for receptions and special events using additional fixtures. Please discuss your requirements with us at the earliest opportunity.

All lamps are permanently rigged and patched and any adjustment may incur additional costs.

Three-Phase Power

Two outlets available within the performance space.

Audio

Speaker System

A versatile speaker system will be available. Please contact Presenter Services to discuss your requirements.

Control

The following equipment is available in the control booth:

Yamaha DM1000

Lexicon MPX-I

Tascam CD Player/Recorder

DAT Recorder

The audio control is permanently installed in the control room. If audio control is required within the performance space, a second console can be made available.

Microphones

A range of microphones will be available including the following brands:

Schoeps

DPA

Neumann

Senheiser

Shure

Sennheiser RF is available on request.

Recording

The Salon can be configured for a wide range of recording purposes. Please advise us of your requirements.

Communications

Refer to Stage Management facilities.

Audio Visual

Projectors

A variety of projection options are available in the Salon. Please discuss your requirements with Presenter Services.

Screen

TBC

AV Equipment

The MRC has a range of additional AV equipment including DVD players, video monitors, laptops, smartfade, scan converter and VGA switcher. Please discuss your requirements with us.

Outside Broadcast

Audio, video and intercom tie lines also run from strategic points to the connection panel by the OB (outside broadcast) vehicle point in the Loading Bay.

Recital Instruments

The Melbourne Recital Centre houses the following fine instruments for use in the Salon, use of these instruments is provided at the MRC's discretion and with tuning provided by the MRC's approved tuners:

- Steinway D Grand Pianos (tuned to A440)
- Two Manual Flemish style Harpsichord (after Ruckers)
- Klop Chamber Organ (4 stop)
- C4 after Walter & Sohn Fortepiano (tuned to A430)

Backstage

Stage Door

The Melbourne Recital Centre Stage Door is located on Sturt Street and is staffed from 0800 until venue closedown each day. Drivers making deliveries or collections should report here on arrival.

Dressing Rooms

Dressing rooms are located on ground floor. There is one principal room with ensuite, as well as two smaller dressing rooms.

Loading Access and Venue Location

Loading Access

The Loading Dock is at ground floor

Dock Access:	Sturt Street
Vehicle Height Clearance:	N/A
Dock Height:	1200
Dock Door Dimensions:	W: 3390 X H: 4000
Dock Lift Dimensions:	W: 3300 X L: 4000 Max Height: 1500
Dock Lift SWL:	4000Kg
Stage Pass Door Dimensions:	W: 2570 X H: 2700

Venue Location



Contact Information

Addresses

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