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# GEELONG ARTS CENTRE VENUE HIRE GUIDE





## Welcome to our collection of unique theatres and performance venues in the heart of Geelong's cultural precinct.

Our new landmark \$38.5 million redevelopment adds even more versatile spaces perfect for your next event. With three theatres, beautifully designed foyer and bar spaces, purpose-built performance and development studios, meeting rooms and breakout spaces, we can offer venue hire to touring companies of all sizes, community and corporate events with expert staff and facilities. Day delegate rates start from \$69\* per person.

Our experienced team at Geelong Arts Centre will work with you to create an event you will be proud of.

\* 20+ delegates and subject to add ons. Offer applies to Studio 4 only.

The Geelong Arts Centre coordinates and caters for a diverse range of functions and events including:

- Conferences
- Symposiums
- Break out rooms
- Rehearsal studios
- Performance spaces
- Cocktail events
- Catering



# THE PLAYHOUSE

*The inclusion of a dress circle in the design of this 764 seat proscenium arch theatre provides a warm, magical atmosphere popular with performers and audiences alike.*

The fly tower, orchestra pit, excellent technical facilities, spacious dressing rooms and green room area makes the theatre suitable for a wide variety of large events. The venue is regularly used for live theatre, major concerts, dance performances and corporate launches.

Ideal for:

- Musicals and large-scale theatre performances
- Concerts
- Dance performances
- Launches and conferences

# DRAMA THEATRE

*A studio-style theatre with a capacity of 325. This venue offers a contemporary, intimate setting for cabaret style shows, lectures and more.*

The Drama Theatre is an ideal space for intimate live theatre, acoustic concerts, comedy, lectures, seminars and more.

Ideal for:

- Intimate theatre performances
- Acoustic musical performances
- Comedy
- Conferences
- Lectures





# COSTA HALL

*In a remarkable feat of architecture and engineering, Deakin University has converted Geelong's old woolstores into a modern inner city campus site which also contains a state of the art, 1397 seat concert auditorium.*

Only a ten minute stroll from Geelong Arts Centre, Deakin's Costa Hall is a perfect venue for entertainment producers, conference organisers, local schools and community events.

Ideal for:

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- Large-scale concerts and performances
- Conferences
- Graduations

# STUDIO 4

*Studio 4 is our largest studio, situated on the top floor of our Ryrie Street building.*

This purpose-built performance and rehearsal studio boasts the same floor space as The Playhouse stage and features sprung masonite flooring, ceiling rigging points, floor length mirrors, portable double ballet bars, chairs and tables.

The studio is also great for conferencing, functions and workshops. Audio-visual features include: data projector, screen, a fixed lighting grid, 55" TV with HDMI inputs, Wi-Fi and multiple power points. It also includes access to amenities such as toilets, showers and kitchenette.

**Floor area:** 279m<sup>2</sup>

**Measuring:** 17.85m x 15.65m

**Capacity:** 120

Ideal for:

- Corporate events
- Wedding ceremonies
- Auditions
- Classes
- Workshops
- Exhibitions
- Rehearsals
- Conferences



**DAY DELEGATE  
RATE FROM \$69\*  
PER PERSON**

\*20+ delegates and subject to add ons.  
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## STUDIO 3

*Adjacent to Studio 4 on the top floor of our Ryrie Street building is Studio 3.*

Studio 3 features sprung masonite flooring, portable double ballet bars and floor length mirrors.

The studio also provides audio-visual features such as 55" TV with HDMI inputs, Wi-Fi, multiple power points, and access to amenities such as toilets, showers and kitchenette.

**Floor area:** 117m<sup>2</sup>

**Measuring:** 12.8m x 8.6m

Ideal for:

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- Rehearsals
  - Auditions
  - Lessons
  - Workshops
  - Exhibitions
  - Break out room

# STUDIO 2

*A purpose-built rehearsal and performance studio space perfectly suited to all forms of the arts.*

Studio 2 features tarkett sprung dance flooring, double ballet bars and floor length mirrors.

The studio also provides audio-visual features such as 55" TV with HDMI inputs, Wi-Fi, multiple power points, and access to amenities such as toilets, showers and kitchenette.

**Floor area:** 138m<sup>2</sup>

**Measuring:** 20.2m x 6.85m

Ideal for:

- Rehearsals
- Auditions
- Lessons
- Workshops
- Exhibitions







# STUDIO 1

*A purpose-built rehearsal and performance studio space, perfectly suited to all forms of the arts.*

Geelong Arts Centre's smallest studio space, Studio 1 features tarkett sprung dance flooring, double ballet bars and floor length mirrors.

The studio also provides audio-visual features such as 55" TV with HDMI inputs, Wi-Fi, multiple power points, and access to amenities such as toilets, showers and kitchenette.

**Floor area:** 109m<sup>2</sup>

**Measuring:** 12.38m x 6.94m

Ideal for:

- Rehearsals
- Auditions
- Meetings and training facilities
- Lessons
- Workshops
- Exhibitions

**RYRIE  
ST FOYER  
LEVEL 0**



**RYRIE  
ST FOYER  
LEVEL 1**





Victoria's second biggest city has emerged as a centre for knowledge and innovation – a mecca for big thinkers, creatives, start-ups, movers, shakers and makers.

Old, industrial spaces are being transformed into creative hubs, urban precincts and fabulous eateries.

Choose from conference and event venues catering for more than 1,000 delegates and an abundance of top quality accommodation within easy reach.

# The perfect place for your next conference no matter what size.

With competitive day delegate rates from \$69\* per head  
– book your package today.

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## Showcase video

To watch a short video showcasing our spaces simply visit:  
[geelongartscentre.org.au/venue-hire](http://geelongartscentre.org.au/venue-hire)

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# HOW TO BOOK

To book a venue or take a tour of the facilities, get in touch with our Presenter Services Department:

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