CORPORATE & EVENTS HIRE BROCHURE



Welcome to York

York is a vibrant festival city with Roman roots and a Viking past. Imagine a city where ancient walls surround independent shops and vibrant eateries, offering an adventure for everyone.

Perfectly placed half-way between London and Edinburgh with the glorious Yorkshire Dales, North Yorkshire Moors and Yorkshire Wolds right on the doorstep. York is unlike any other English city.

We are centrally located on many bus routes, as well as walking distance from York Train Station. The nearest airport is Leeds Bradford.

We have partnerships with hotels, providing preferential rates for your delegates if required.



Make it York

Why York?

A meeting place for over 2000 years, York is one of England's finest and most beautiful cities – one which has always reinvented itself, while never forgetting its past. Cobbled medieval streets and iconic buildings tell the stories of York's people and its history; today, heritage and innovation combine to create a memorable destination for business events.

Sector Strengths:

York is home to two world-class universities, and it is the UK's first UNESCO City of Media Arts.

The city's knowledge-driven economy is amongst the strongest in the UK with a solid reputation for research, development, innovation and academic excellence.

How We Can Help:

We are here to help you plan for future events, offering free impartial advice and an in-depth local knowledge of the city and surrounding area.

City-wide familiarisation visits to ensure you find the right partners for your event.

Bespoke social experiences, incentive itineraries and memorable extras.

Connect you with accommodation providers for great rates.

Delegate travel deals (centrally located, there are over 140 direct train connections to/from York).

Letters of civic support to accompany event bids.

Free assets to support delegate engagement in advance and on arrival, including high quality images from our media library, social tool kits, city guides and more.

Discover more at visityork.org or conferences@visityork.org

Your Gateway to Conferences, Meetings and Events

Centrally located and easily accessible by foot, public transport or car, York Barbican provides an excellent addition to the York conference scene.

With over 1500m² of floor space, the venue offers flexibility in multi-functional spaces.

York Barbican offers the perfect space for events, conferences, exhibitions, product launches, workshops, dinners, trade shows, community events, filming or private parties.

From intimate meetings to large scale conferences of over 1400 delegates, York Barbican can accommodate all your needs and requirements.



The Auditorium

The Auditorium will be perfect for your event.

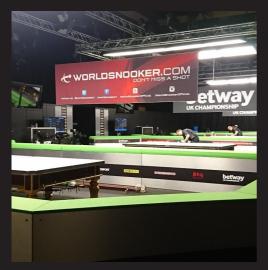
The retractable seating provides flexibility for seated and standing events, with capacities ranging from 350 to 1800 delegates.

The Auditorium is multi-functional and split into two levels, perfect for large conferences. There are no pillars within the Auditorium, and it is all open plan so there are no restricted views. It can easily be transformed for exhibitions and table seated events.

The Auditorium has its own stage, PA system and lighting rig. The Auditorium is air conditioned, has air handling for heating and is fully blacked out. It is fully accessible from all levels.



Exhibition Hall



Perfect for exhibitions, this space perfectly compliments the Auditorium and can be used for a variety of set-ups.

For larger events or conferences, the space can host up to 730 delegates and includes a ground level loading bay.

The area is 24.5m x 15.5m with a flat load in straight from our loading bay.

We can provide a food and beverage kiosk within the Exhibition Hall, selling drinks and light snacks.

Meeting Rooms

Our variety of meeting rooms are great for meetings, workshops, breakout sessions, product launches and more.

Each space comes with its own AV facilities and flexible seating.

Our Lendal Room can also be split into two rooms with a partition wall to offer maximum flexibility for your event.

Fishergate Room - 130 max theatre style. Lendal Room - 70 max theatre style - can be split into two rooms.



Hospitality & Premium Seating

We are able to offer exclusive seating and a private bar for our incredible line up of shows. Take your team or clients on a journey with us and provide them with entertainment like no other.

Clifford's Lounge is a 48-person capacity seated room with bar and kitchen facilities available. This room is the main location for our hospitality package available on show nights, offering queue jump, private lounge and bar, as well as a welcome drink.

We have our Fishergate Room which is a 60-person capacity cabaret-style seated room available for any larger hospitality or dining experience, also equipped with food preparation and serving facilities.

For more information on our packages available, contact our team at hospitality@yorkbarbican.co.uk

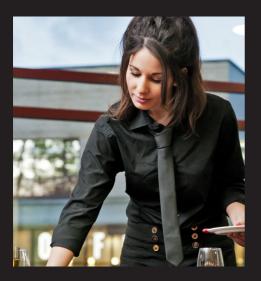








Event Operations



For each event, we provide a dedicated events team that includes:

- MANAGER
- STEWARDS
- F&B TEAM
- CLEANING STAFF

We also provide security for your event. The amount of security needed is dependent on the event details and will be confirmed by our events team in advance.

Security is chargeable, rate will be confirmed at proposal stage.

Ticketed Events

Hosting a ticketed event? Our team can handle the ticketing operation for your event. Using our ticketing partner Ticketmaster, we are able to assist you in setting up the online booking and operating the ticket sales function for your event.

Each ticket is subject to a service charge and facility fee. This order processing fee is per transaction.

If you're planning a free charity event, our team can make alternative arrangements for you to ensure a seamless customer experience.



Audio Visual



We have onsite technical staff that are available to support you during your event.

The Auditorium includes an onsite PA system and microphones that are available during your hire of the venue. Meeting rooms have projectors and screens built in; microphones are available if required.

We have extra technical support available on request, subject to extra charges. We have a range of suppliers available to hire further AV equipment, please let us know and we will be able to provide a preferential quote for your event.

Catering

Our venue provides a variety of delicious catering options for a wide range of events.

With menus to satisfy all taste buds, we can serve anything from light breakfasts, hot or cold buffets and stylish canapés.

With a tailored menu to compliment your events, we will deliver a seamless food service to enhance the experience for you and your guests.

We can also cater for any specific dietary requests that your event requires.



Partners & Recommendations

STAY CITY APARTHOTELS YORK

Located next to York Barbican and offering discounted stays to your delegates when you book your event with us.

MALMAISON - 4 STAR HOTEL

Located 5 minutes from York Train Station, a short walk to York Barbican and offering discounted stays to your delegates when you book your event with us.

THE GRAND HOTEL - 5 STAR HOTEL

Located 5 minutes from York Train Station, a short walk to York Barbican and offering discounted stays to your delegates when you book your event with us.

We have discount codes available with all of our partners when you book your events at our venue.







Contact Us

If you have any questions about booking an event at York Barbican, get in touch with the conference team today:

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