

S. MARK TAPER FOUNDATION AUDITORIUM

The crown jewel of Benaroya Hall is the 2,479-seat S. Mark Taper Foundation Auditorium. This gorgeous auditorium is an acoustically brilliant venue that can accommodate a wide variety of events ranging from acoustic or amplified musical performances to lectures, business meetings, awards ceremonies and graduations.



Scan QR code for a virtual tour of our event spaces and for more information!



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CAPACITIES

Orchestra Level: 1,525

Founders Tier: 282

Second Tier: 282

Third Tier: 390

Grand Total: 2,479

*Includes the use of the Samuel & Althea Stroum Grand Lobby connected to the auditorium

COST FACTORS

1. Facility Use Fee (rental fee) — from \$3,750. Increases depending on event.

2. Production Equipment — microphones, sound system, piano, lectern, etc.

3. Labor — both stage crew (technical staff) and front-of-house staff (ushers).

Total Venue Costs — Depending upon your event timeline as well as your event production requirements, your total venue costs will fluctuate. To receive an estimate of total costs, please provide a detailed timeline for your event day along with information on your event production requirements.

*The Taper Auditorium is equipped with a built-in motorized projection screen with dimensions of 16'-2" tall, 28'-10" wide. The throw distance from the control booth to the screen is 145'.

TICKETING

For ticketed events, exclusive ticketing services are provided through Benaroya Hall. Tickets may not be sold through any system other than Benaroya Hall's.

CATERING / CONCESSIONS

Provided exclusively through Tuxedos and Tennis Shoes Catering. No outside food or beverage is allowed. Tuxedos and Tennis Shoes Catering helps coordinate linens, napkins, china, glassware, etc.

DRESSING ROOMS

Four private dressing rooms with sink and lighted mirror, one musician's lounge that can accommodate up to 30 people, two unisex restrooms and two additional locker rooms with restrooms in backstage.

LOADING DOCK

Located on Union Street between Second and Third Avenues. Capacity to enclose total of two 53' trailers without cabs (cabs must detach from trailer and park on street).

FREIGHT ELEVATOR

10' wide by 12' deep and 10' high

DISABLED ACCESS

Benaroya Hall is barrier free and meets or exceeds all criteria established by the ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act).

OTHER

In some cases, Benaroya Hall may have all of the necessary production equipment required to successfully produce your event. If your event requires production equipment that is not owned by Benaroya Hall, then you are responsible for outsourcing that production equipment. Examples of production equipment NOT owned by Benaroya Hall include backline gear (drum kits, guitar amps, keyboards, instruments).

Parking is available in the Benaroya Hall parking garage. Prepaid parking vouchers may be arranged through your event service representative.

CONTACT

To discuss your event in more detail and learn about date availability, please use the following contact information: **Adam Moomey | Director of Venue Administration | BENAROYAHALL.ORG**
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