

# MOA VENUE RENTALS

## Corporate and Community Events

Host your clients, guests, conference delegates, or professional team at the Museum of Anthropology for an unforgettable evening at one of Canada's foremost cultural attractions.



**Museum of Anthropology at UBC**  
A place of world arts + cultures



# SPACES

MOA's spaces are available for rental from 5 to 11pm on any evening, except Thursdays when we are open late to the public. With your rental, we offer exclusive access to all the galleries of the Museum. Food and drink may be served in the Lobby, Courtyard Room and adjacent Outdoor Courtyard, in the Haida House, or on our stunning Museum Grounds with ocean view.



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## GREAT HALL

**Please note: this space is currently unavailable due to seismic upgrades.**

No food or drink are permitted in the Great Hall, but it offers excellent acoustics and a breathtaking setting for dance, drama and musical performances, or for keynote presentations or special words of welcome. The Great Hall can accommodate approximately 200 seated or 300 standing, audience-style.





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## LOBBY

MOA's Lobby at the main entrance, adjacent the MOA Shop, is a food service-permitted space. This is ideal for a welcoming station for guest arrival. The Lobby can accommodate approximately 100 reception-style.



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## COURTYARD ROOM

By day, the Courtyard Room serves as MOA's café; by night, these retail elements are designed to hide away. The Courtyard Room becomes a blank slate on which to plan your chosen design. The café counter may be used as a ready-made bar space and the café furnishings are available to evening rental events, as desired. The Courtyard Room can accommodate approximately 100 reception-style or 80 dinner-style.



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## OUTDOOR COURTYARD

The Outdoor Courtyard adjacent to the Courtyard Room is surrounded by soaring cedars and hemlocks. The space can be tented (40' x 40' or 40' x 60') or can be used open-air for receptions, parties or corporate gatherings. MOA's Outdoor Courtyard can accommodate approximately 120 dinner-style or 160 reception-style.





Photo courtesy of Claudette Carracedo



Photo by Cory Dawson

## HAIDA HOUSE

MOA's unique and beautiful Haida House was created by artists Bill Reid and Doug Cranmer, and can be used for intimate meetings or dinners, or as a quiet contemplative space in a larger evening's event. The Haida House's unique shape can accommodate approximately 40 dinner-style, 100 reception-style, or 80 to 120 audience-style.





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## MUSEUM GROUNDS + SHELL BEACH

**Please note: this space is currently unavailable due to seismic upgrades.**

Beside the Haida House, MOA's Shell Beach is a beautiful outdoor space that can accommodate food and drink service. White oyster shells are evocative of BC's northern beaches, and the beautiful Yosef Wosk Reflecting Pool provides a dynamic presence that animates the site and reflects the ever-changing sky. The Shell Beach can be canopied (20' x 50') and can accommodate approximately 100 reception-style or 80 dinner-style.



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## MUSEUM GROUNDS HILLTOP

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The largest food-permitted space at MOA, the outdoor tent-able Hilltop can be tented to over 10,000 square feet (tent 25 x 40 metres maximum). Due to its proximity to neighbouring homes, the Museum Grounds Hilltop is not suitable for events featuring amplified music, but is ideal for conference and corporate banquets which showcase MOA's unrivaled views of Howe Sound and the Northshore Mountains.

# SUPPLIERS



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## Caterers

You are welcome to use any caterer you like to supply food and beverage for your event. These companies have successfully supplied recent events at MOA:

Boy With a Knife: [www.boywithaknife.ca](http://www.boywithaknife.ca)

Cocktails and Canapes: [www.cocktailsandcanapes.ca](http://www.cocktailsandcanapes.ca)

Edge Catering: [www.edgecatering.ca](http://www.edgecatering.ca)

Emelle's Catering: [www.emelles.com](http://www.emelles.com)

Granville Island Catering: [www.granvilleislandcatering.com](http://www.granvilleislandcatering.com)

Hawksworth: [www.hawksworthcatering.com](http://www.hawksworthcatering.com)

Koerner's Catering: [www.koernerscatering.com](http://www.koernerscatering.com)

Lazy Gourmet: [www.lazygourmet.ca](http://www.lazygourmet.ca)

Nest Catering: [www.nestcatering.com](http://www.nestcatering.com)

Peake of Catering: [www.peakeofcatering.com](http://www.peakeofcatering.com)

Railtown Catering: [www.railtowncatering.ca](http://www.railtowncatering.ca)

Salishan Catering: [www.salishancatering.com](http://www.salishancatering.com)

Salmon and Bannock: [www.salmonandbannock.net](http://www.salmonandbannock.net)

Savoury City: [www.savourycity.com](http://www.savourycity.com)

Tayybeh Syrian Cuisine: [www.tayybeh.com](http://www.tayybeh.com)

## Tent suppliers

These companies have supplied events at MOA successfully in the past:

BC Party Tent Rentals: [www.bcpartytent.com](http://www.bcpartytent.com)

Pacific Coast Tents: [www.pacificcoasttents.ca](http://www.pacificcoasttents.ca)

Phoenix Tents: [www.phoenixtentrentals.com](http://www.phoenixtentrentals.com)

Wild Coast Productions: [www.wildcoastproductions.ca](http://www.wildcoastproductions.ca)



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## Party Suppliers

These companies have provided tables, chairs, linens, dishes, glassware, staging, portable washrooms, décor, and other party supplies for events at MOA in the past:

A&B Party Time Rentals: [www.abpartytime.com](http://www.abpartytime.com)

Full Moon Washroom Rentals: [www.fullmoonrentals.com](http://www.fullmoonrentals.com)

Hummingbird First Nations Décor: [www.hummingevents.com](http://www.hummingevents.com)

Lonsdale Events: [www.lonsdaleevents.com](http://www.lonsdaleevents.com)

Loungeworks: [www.loungeworks.com](http://www.loungeworks.com)

Pedersen's Rentals: [www.pedersens.com](http://www.pedersens.com)

Sunshine Washroom Rentals: [www.sunrisewashroomrentals.com](http://www.sunrisewashroomrentals.com)

Upright Décor: [www.uprightdecor.com](http://www.uprightdecor.com)



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## Audio/ Visual/ Electrical Suppliers

These companies have supplied events at MOA successfully in the past:

Clark's Audio Visual: [www.clarksav.com](http://www.clarksav.com)

Event Star: [www.eventstar.ca](http://www.eventstar.ca)

Event Power: [www.eventpower.ca](http://www.eventpower.ca)

Faux bonfire from Holly North Productions: [www.hollynorth.com](http://www.hollynorth.com)

ProShow AV: [www.proshow.com](http://www.proshow.com)

Stagevision Inc.: [www.stagevision.com](http://www.stagevision.com)

UBC Media Group: [www.ubcstudios.ubc.ca/professional-media](http://www.ubcstudios.ubc.ca/professional-media)



Photo by Chris Randle

## Performers + Entertainers

These performance groups have performed at events at MOA in the past:

Coastal Wolf Pack: [www.facebook.com/coastal.wolfpack.90](http://www.facebook.com/coastal.wolfpack.90)

Dancers of Damelahamid: [www.damelahamid.com](http://www.damelahamid.com)

Spakwus Slolem Eagle Song Dancers: [www.eaglesongdancers.org](http://www.eaglesongdancers.org)

UBC Musicians and Groups: [www.music.ubc.ca/student-ensembles](http://www.music.ubc.ca/student-ensembles)

Musqueam Council Protocol Office, for official welcome to territory:  
[www.musqueam.bc.ca/departments/finance-admin/protocol](http://www.musqueam.bc.ca/departments/finance-admin/protocol)

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## PRICING

Groups of 1–499 people: **\$4,000**

Groups of 500+ people: **\$5,000**

Maintenance fee for use of MOA's grounds with food service: **\$250**

Additional days required for large-scale event set-up or tear-down must be reserved at the time of the initial booking at a cost of \$2,000 per day.

## CONTACT

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