

# OMA

## Venue Rentals



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OCEANSIDE  
MUSEUM OF ART

# FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Welcome to Oceanside Museum of Art (OMA)!

Thank you for considering OMA for your upcoming event. OMA is a dynamic contemporary art space that offers a quintessential indoor-outdoor setting, with doors that open wide and exciting art that becomes part of the event experience. Surrounded by inspiring artwork, your guests will enjoy a truly unique and memorable event.

We believe art is for everyone, and your venue rental helps make that possible. Rental fees directly support OMA programming, including award-winning arts education for youth, family-friendly workshops, and OMA's spirited and original exhibitions. Every dollar spent on your rental helps bring meaningful art experiences to a wider audience.

We look forward to seeing you and your guests enjoying our special Museum, and hope you stay connected even after your event!

SINCERELY,

*Annika Amigalone*  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



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## WHERE ART AND LIFE UNITE

### MEET YOUR NEXT VENUE

In the heart of Oceanside's vibrant cultural district and just blocks from the coast, Oceanside Museum of Art (OMA) offers a truly unique oceanside venue—where art, architecture, and casual elegance come together. This award-winning destination provides an unforgettable backdrop for celebrations, corporate gatherings, and special occasions of every kind. Imagine your guests enjoying the artistic talent from the region or raising a celebratory glass on OMA's open-air Terrace.

Since 1995, OMA's mission has been to bring people together to explore the art and stories of Southern California artists.

Our thoughtfully designed spaces offer fresh and inspiring visual experiences that spark imagination and connection in a warm, welcoming environment. With the freedom to select your own caterers and vendors, every detail can be tailored to reflect your vision.

Enhance the experience with creative offerings such as hands-on art workshops or live artist painting, adding a memorable and meaningful touch. Supported by our dedicated events team, your gathering will be seamlessly executed and distinctly unforgettable.

# THE TERRACE

2,220 Square Feet | Capacity: 200 Standing, 130 Seated



*"We loved how flexible the space and the venue were. Plenty of room for our guests to mingle, dance, sit and eat. The band set up was great. Definitely recommend if you are looking for a great value and flexibility."*

-India M., Wedding Client

Step out onto The Terrace, an elevated outdoor space offering a breath of fresh air, stunning views of the Museum, and a look toward the coast.

The Terrace also features The Arcade, a charming walkway adorned with picturesque arches from Oceanside's historic City Hall built in 1934, ideal

for timeless photo opportunities or a grand entrance for your guests.

Whether you choose to keep the area open for mingling or arrange tables for a more structured setup, The Terrace adapts effortlessly to your needs to create the perfect atmosphere.

## PRICING

OMA EVENT SPACE	MON - TUES	WED - THURS	FRI-SUN
The Terrace*	\$2,650	\$2,950	\$3,500*

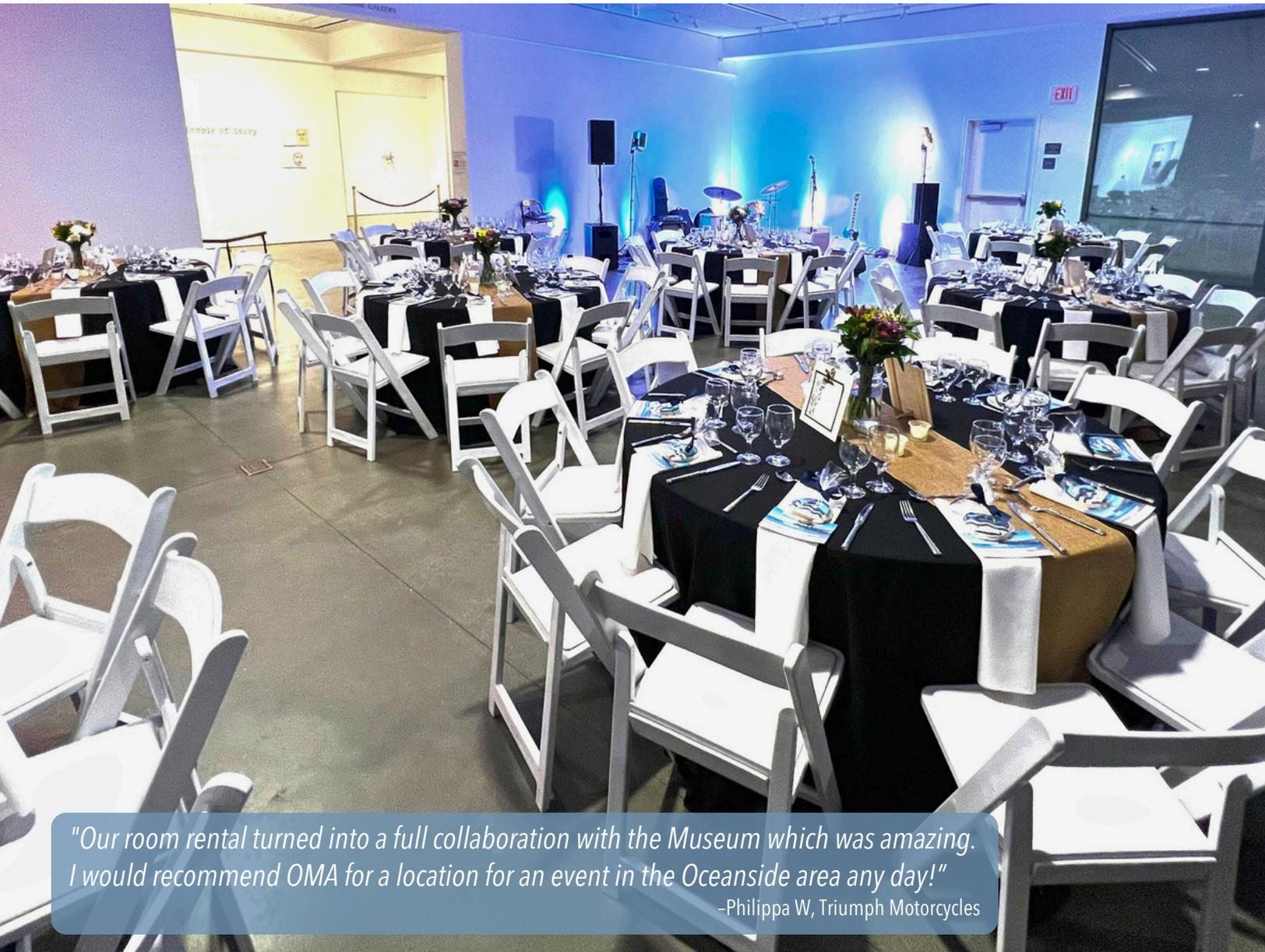
\*Inquire for gallery access pricing.

\*Unavailable on first Friday of each month.

# THE LOBBY

988 Square Feet | Capacity: 150 Standing, 80 Seated

The Lobby is a spacious and flexible area designed to adapt to your event needs. With endless possibilities for layouts and décor, this contemporary space can be transformed to feature a stage, dance floor, or bar. Multiple ceiling speakers allow for seamless integration with our rentable cordless mic or your own music playlist, ensuring your event sounds as great as it looks.



*"Our room rental turned into a full collaboration with the Museum which was amazing. I would recommend OMA for a location for an event in the Oceanside area any day!"*

*-Philippa W, Triumph Motorcycles*

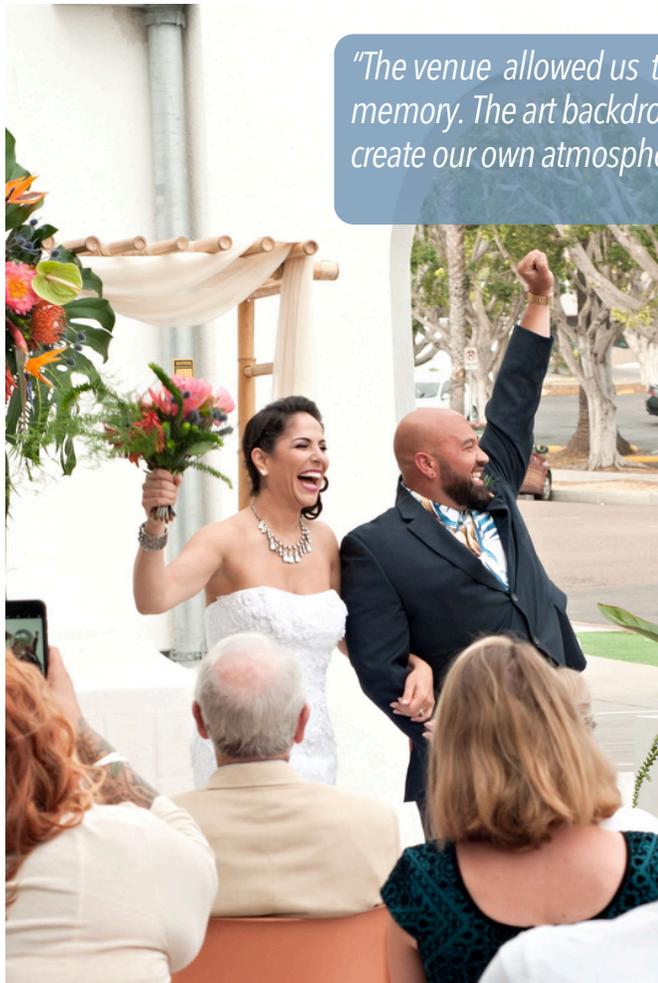
## PRICING

OMA EVENT SPACE	MON - TUES	WED - THURS	FRI-SUN
The Lobby	\$3,750	\$4,150	\$4,800*

*\*Unavailable on first Friday of each month.*

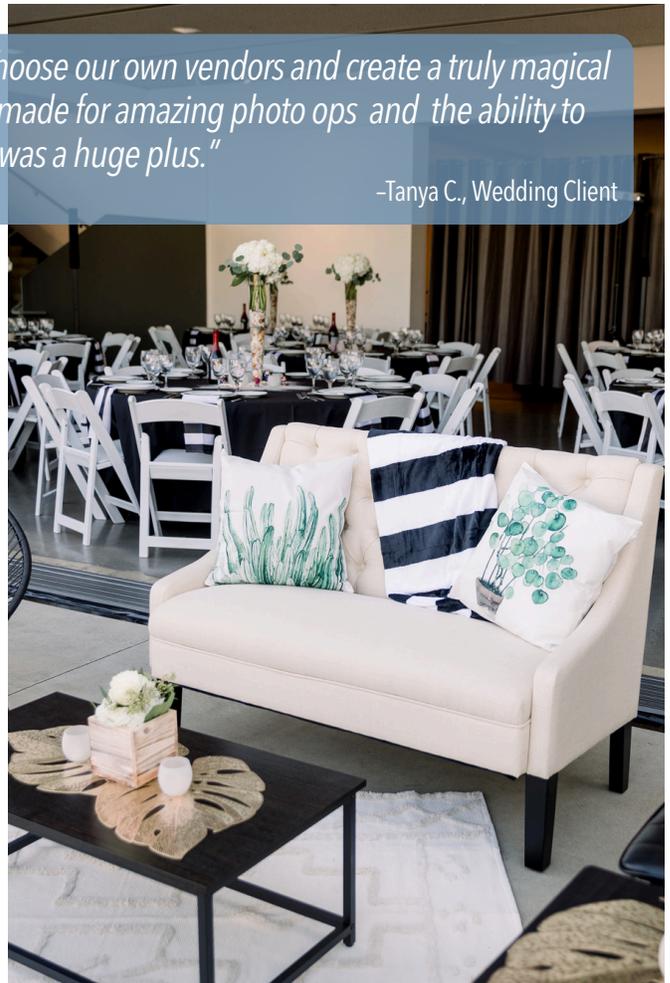
# THE TERRACE & THE LOBBY

3,188 Square Feet | Capacity: 350 Standing, 180 Seated



*"The venue allowed us to choose our own vendors and create a truly magical memory. The art backdrops made for amazing photo ops and the ability to create our own atmosphere was a huge plus."*

-Tanya C., Wedding Client



Experience a one-of-a-kind event at OMA with exclusive access to our stunning first-floor galleries. This elegant setting offers a sophisticated backdrop for any celebration. Retractable doors open directly into The Lobby, creating a seamless indoor-outdoor flow that's perfect for mingling and festivities. You'll also enjoy full use of OMA's catering kitchen for all your food preparation needs, along with access to the Millennium Club Board Room—ideal as a prep suite or quiet retreat. With convenient loading zone and dock access, your event will run smoothly from start to finish.

## PRICING

OMA EVENT SPACE	MON - TUES	WED - THURS	FRI-SUN
The Lobby & The Terrace	\$4,700	\$5,450	\$5,800*

*\*Unavailable on first Friday of each month.*

# GROVES GALLERY

1596 Square Feet | Capacity: 30-55 Classroom, 90 Theater



LOCATED ON THE SECOND FLOOR

*"Great venue...staff were helpful from the planning stages to the on-site set up and tech duties. Beautiful setting to have a formal or informal gathering..."*

- Ange H., Purdue University

Immerse yourself in the artistic ambiance of the Groves Gallery, where creativity and elegance come together. Surrounded by captivating art, this space exudes a one-of-a-kind charm perfect for wedding ceremonies, team meetings, or panel discussions. With seating for up to 90 people in a theater-style arrangement and a large projector screen, the gallery ensures both visual and intellectual engagement in an inspiring environment.

*Please note: This meeting space is ideal for ceremonies, meetings, or panel discussions. Due to the sensitive nature of exhibition spaces, food and drinks are not allowed.*

## PRICING

<b>OMA EVENT SPACE</b>	<b>MON - TUES</b>	<b>WED - THURS</b>	<b>FRI-SUN</b>
Groves Gallery	\$250/hour* \$1,800/day	\$350/hour (After 5:00pm)	\$500/hour** (After 5:00pm)

\*Up to 4 hours, general rental rates apply thereafter.

\*\*Unavailable on first Friday of each month.

# MILLENNIUM CLUB ROOM

432 Square Feet | Capacity: 14 Seated, 25 Standing



Discover the Millennium Club room, an intimate setting for up to 14, complete with projector, video conferencing, and private kitchen amenities (fridge, sink and microwave) for seamless lunch meetings. Ask us about our catering and beverage station options!

This space can double as a bridal suite or prep room with full-length mirrors and ample natural light. Additionally, this can function as a production and storage area during events, offering convenience and efficiency for event organizers.

## PRICING

<b>OMA MEETING SPACE</b>	<b>MON - TUES</b>	<b>WED - THURS</b>	<b>FRI - SUN</b>
Millennium Club	\$80/hour* \$620/day	\$90/hour* \$700/day	\$120/hour* \$950/day

*\*Up to 4 hours*

# ENTIRE MUSEUM

Approx. 5,000 Square Feet | Capacity: 500



*"This is the perfect reception venue...the art truly shines and the space is beautiful. Our guests raved about it and when not dancing or enjoying food were able to wander the galleries..."*

*-Olivia and Aaron D, Wedding Clients*

## INCLUDES:

- Private access after 5:00pm to the entire Museum.
- Guests have full access to enjoy all open galleries on both floors.
- 7 hours of total event time, including setup and breakdown.
- Full usage of Millennium Club Room.
- Full usage of OMA's catering kitchen for staging and prep.
- Loading zone access in front of OMA and loading dock access behind OMA for the entirety of the event.

## PRICING

OMA EVENT SPACE	MON - TUES	WED - THURS	FRI-SUN
Entire Museum*	\$5,300	\$5,600	\$6,100**

\*Ask about full buyout availability and pricing.

\*\*Unavailable on first Friday of each month.

# ILLUMINATE YOUR EVENT



Make your mark on the Museum! Provide us with your logo, a video, or artistic visuals, and our powerful projector will transform the building's façade into a show-stopping display. It's a creative touch that elevates the atmosphere and highlights your vision in an extraordinary way. Make your event bold, creative, and totally unforgettable!

## PRICING

OMA EVENT ADD-ON	MON - TUES	WED - THURS	FRI-SUN
Projector	\$500	\$500	\$500



# Venue Rental FAQ's

## **CAN I BEGIN MY EVENT BEFORE 5:00PM?**

Because the Museum is open to the public until 5:00pm Wednesday–Sunday, private events typically begin after 5:00pm. Setup may begin at 4:00pm, with the understanding that the Museum is still open and we ask that setup activities remain considerate of visitors enjoying the galleries.

If you'd like your event to begin earlier, please ask about our early closure fee. For daytime events, consider hosting on a Monday or Tuesday when OMA is closed to the public.

## **DOES OMA PROVIDE CATERING SERVICES?**

Our specialty is showcasing Southern California artists, so we leave the culinary art to the professionals. To help you get started, we offer a list of preferred caterers who are fully licensed and familiar with our Museum spaces and catering kitchen.

If you already have a caterer in mind, no problem! We simply require a walkthrough with your chosen vendor in advance, along with proof of their current food service license—and a liquor license if alcohol will be served. If you're interested in having a food truck for your event, please inquire in advance, as accommodations may vary depending on the event setup and schedule.

## **IS THERE PARKING AVAILABLE?**

There is free street parking around the Museum, including the Civic Center parking garage. Street parking may be impacted during Thursday markets and other local festivals. A great resource to check out is [visitoceanside.org/events/](http://visitoceanside.org/events/) for information on any happenings in the area that could impact parking availability.

## **DO YOU HAVE FURNITURE AVAILABLE?**

Yes! OMA offers tables, chairs, audio/visual equipment, and more for rent. Request our Equipment List for a complete inventory with details and pricing.

## **DO I NEED TO HAVE AN EVENT PLANNER?**

Yes. To ensure your event runs smoothly, OMA requires one dedicated planner or coordinator to serve as your main point of contact. This person oversees logistics and vendors on-site, allowing us to focus on providing an exceptional venue experience.

For weddings, a professional planner or day-of coordinator (not a member of the bridal party) is required. This ensures that every detail, from setup to the final send-off, is handled with care, giving you the freedom to fully enjoy your special day

# Venue Rental FAQ's

## **IS THERE WI-FI AVAILABLE?**

Yes, OMA has free Guest Wi-Fi from 7:00am–7:00pm each day. Dedicated high speed Wi-Fi with speeds of up to 40 Mbps is available for purchase and must be arranged a minimum of 15 days prior to your event.

## **HOW LATE CAN WE PLAY MUSIC?**

The City of Oceanside has a 10:00pm Sound Ordinance, therefore all outdoor music must be turned off at 10:00pm.

## **WILL MY GUESTS HAVE ACCESS TO THE GALLERIES DURING THE EVENT?**

When renting the entire Museum, your guests will have access to all exhibitions on view during your event. Because OMA frequently rotates exhibitions, we recommend checking with us to confirm which shows will be up at the time of your event, also some galleries may be closed for installation.

If you're renting a portion of the Museum, your guests will enjoy access to select exhibitions adjacent to your event space. To protect the artwork, food and drinks are not permitted inside the galleries. Tables will be provided at each gallery entrance where guests can set down their items before stepping inside to enjoy the art

## **WHAT DOES THE TERRACE RENTAL INCLUDE?**

The Terrace rental is an outdoor-only space that includes access to OMA's catering kitchen and restrooms for your guests. Gallery access is not included, but can be added for an additional fee if you'd like your guests to explore the exhibitions. Food and beverages must remain on the Terrace; OMA can provide a drink drop table with a numbered system so guests can leave their drinks, enjoy the galleries, and pick them up when they return.

## **ARE DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE FOR VENUE RENTALS?**

Yes. Discounts may be available for nonprofit organizations, educators, community partners, and select levels of Oceanside Museum of Art (OMA) membership.

## **CAN WE ADD ART EXPERIENCES OR ACTIVITIES TO OUR EVENT?**

Yes! We're happy to help you add a creative touch to your event. Options may include a docent on site for tours or guest engagement, a live artist present to paint the scene or the newlyweds.

Additional interactive experiences—such as scavenger hunts, art workshops or paint & sips, cocktail-making classes, and friendly competitions—may be available based on availability

# OCEANSIDE MUSEUM OF ART

Let's plan your next  
special event at OMA!



Pamela Hogan Photography

*Scan the QR code to get started  
by filling out our inquiry form.*



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