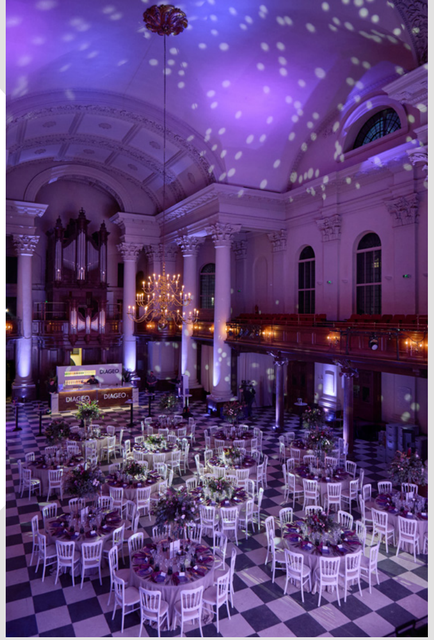

SINFONIA
SMITH SQ.
HIRE OUR
18TH CENTURY HOME

SMITH SQUARE HALL:
A BAROQUE MASTERPIECE

Located in a quiet square in the heart of Westminster, Smith Square Hall is a Grade I listed 18th century Baroque masterpiece offering venue hire in a unique and beautiful setting.

With features including a canopy ceiling, 12 columns, black and white checkered floor, magnificent brass chandelier, vaulted crypt, and portico steps, Smith Square Hall is one of London's most impressive venues.

From dinners and receptions to concerts, product launches, fashion shows, award ceremonies and wedding celebrations, our venue can accommodate up to 500 guests.











EVENT HIRE

From corporate parties to award ceremonies, Smith Square Hall offers a stunning venue for your event.

Centrally located in the heart of London, our Grade I listed venue, with its huge canopy ceiling and large brass chandelier, offers a flexible space ideal for **receptions, dinners, conferences, award ceremonies, product launches,** and **fashion shows.** An event with Sinfonia Smith Square is executed with versatility and innovation at its core. Whether you're hosting a conference, an intimate seminar, or large scale production, our venue offers a full suite of technical packages to support your vision. Our adaptable layouts and customisable equipment ensure the space can be tailored to suit events of all sizes and styles, giving you the freedom to create something truly unique.

Capactities
500 guests for a reception
324 theatre style
220 for a seated dinner with round tables
280 for a seated dinner with long tables
120 for cabaret layout

Spaces
The Hall
The Crypt - vaulted crypt with exposed brickwork. An intimate setting, the space includes a bar, use of a PA system, and can accommodate up to 180 guests.



Thank you so much for all of your help in the build up to last night. We are all so pleased with how it went! You have an amazing team so please do pass on our thanks to them as well. From conversations last night and messages I have received this morning everyone agreed that it made the perfect venue!

Big Give, 2025


Political Podcast Awards 2025


London Fashion Week


Elwood Atfield
Political Cartoon Awards




The Crypt


'Imaginary Club'


Harris Reed fashion show



"a HUGE thank you for everything in the lead up to our event and also last night – please also pass on our thanks to your colleagues who supported on the day. The event was a great success, and a huge part of this was down to the beautiful setting and everything you did to ensure it went smoothly. We really appreciated you answering all of our many questions and facilitating the site visits." LSE, 2025


Yamaha product launch




Harris Reed shoot

WEDDING CELEBRATIONS

Celebrate your magical day in an exquisite setting.

Our Grade I listed venue, quietly nestled amongst the Georgian houses and gardens of Smith Square, Westminster, is an 18th century Baroque masterpiece believed to be the finest in England. Featuring columns, magnificent brass chandelier, gardens, and portico steps, it's a beautiful and flexible space to celebrate your wedding with family and friends.

From your initial enquiry through to the day of your celebration, you will be looked after by our professional Events Team who, with their experience, can offer advice and inspiration.

Our dedicated on-site caterers, Leafi, can prepare anything from canapes to a show-stopping banquet, and special dietary needs are catered for. Known and respected throughout London, Leafi's food is locally sourced wherever possible and presented beautifully.

Capactities
324 guests for ceremony
280 for a seated wedding breakfast
500 for a standing reception



"Thank you for last weekend. The bride and groom were over the moon with everything, particularly how beautiful Smith Square Hall looked. Your team on the day were extremely helpful and so easy to work with."

Albion Parties

Images ©Dominique Bader photography











OUR PACKAGES

CLASSIC

- 12 hour venue hire
- 3 course wedding breakfast
- Half bottle of wine per guest
- Tea, coffee and petit fours
- Still and sparkling water
- Menu tasting for the wedding couple
- Table linen and napkins
- PA System and microphone
- Cloakroom and security



PRESTIGE

- 12 hour venue hire
- 3 course wedding breakfast
- Half bottle of wine per guest
- Tea, coffee and petit fours
- Still and sparkling water
- Menu tasting for the wedding couple
- Table linen and napkins
- PA system and microphone
- Cloakroom and security

- 1 hour prosecco drinks reception
- Pre-dinner canapes (4 per person)
- 5 hour bar (beer, wine and soft drinks)



CONCERTS

We have been welcoming musicians and music lovers to Smith Square Hall (formerly St John's Smith Square) since 1969. From orchestral concerts to choirs, chamber ensembles to opera, our venue, complete with two Steinway grand pianos and a Klais pipe organ, offers exceptional concert hall hire with a versatile performance space and an exceptional acoustic.

Facilities
Flexible staging and seating
On-the-day Front of House and Box Office support
2 Steinway Model 'D' Concert Grand Pianos
Klais Concert Organ with relay
Orchestral percussion
Up to 45 music stands and 80 chairs
Blackout blinds
Full soundproofing
In-house PA system
TV screens
Internet access
Fixed white stage lighting
Decorative uplighters
Overstage recording equipment
Dressing rooms

Capacities
Our standard seated capacity is 440 (324 on the floor, 116 in the gallery). All seating capacity options are reduced if stage extensions are required.



"London's most beautiful concert hall."

The Telegraph
2024



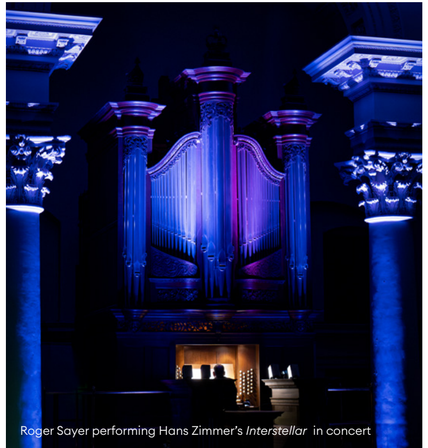
Anna Lapwood conducting the Choirs of Pembroke College



The Gesualdo Six perfoming in the round



An immersive concert experience



Roger Sayer performing Hans Zimmer's *Interstellar* in concert



Isata Kanneh-Mason in rehearsal



Mary Bevan perfoming with Early Opera Company

FILMING & COMMERCIAL PHOTOGRAPHY

For photographers, production agencies and film makers, our Hall offers the finest example of English Baroque architecture. Located in a quiet tree-lined square with original gas-lit street lanterns and surrounded by Georgian town houses, its beautiful interior and exterior spaces make it an ideal London location venue.

Features
12 columns
Large canopy ceiling
Black and white checkered floor
Wooden gallery
Large brass chandelier
Stage
Fully working pipe organ
Vaulted crypt with exposed brickwork
Dressing rooms
Small garden grounds and portico steps on both the north and south sides of the building

Access
Filming and photography can be arranged any day of the week. Our building is accessible between 8am – 12am.

A lift is available which provides access between the Crypt, street level and Smith Square Hall (maximum load 900kg).

Parking
Off-street parking is available on the south-east side of the building. The parking area can accommodate 4 – 5 standard vehicles. Parking suspension for bays around Smith Square is administered by Westminster City Council.

Film credits include *Napoleon, Mary Poppins Returns*, *An Education,* and *Atonement*.








©Testament Pictures UK Ltd





MEET OUR CATERING PARTNERS

Leafi

Leafi is an events company with a focus on excellence, creativity, personal approach and fabulous food. Leafi's company ethos is based on a genuine care for clients, staff, suppliers and the quality of its products and services.

Leafi run The Footstool Cafe in Smith Square Halls's crypt as well as providing the catering offer for our events. Leafi have a range of breakfast, canapes, bowl food, buffet, sit down, vegan/vegetarian and drinks offerings and are dedicated to working with clients to offer a personal, flexible, professional and quality driver hospitality service to suit the needs of your event.

Leafi can cater to specific dietary requirements and offer vegan and vegetarian options. Leafi welcome client connection and are happy to work with you on bespoke menu ideas.









HIRE MUSICIANS FROM SINFONIA SMITH SQUARE

From parties to corporate events, weddings to award ceremonies and concerts, hire musicians from Sinfonia Smith Square to make your event truly memorable.

Through our annual Fellowship programme, we have over 700 versatile musicians who can be hired as soloists or a variety of ensemble sizes, and perform music spanning a huge variety of genres. Recent projects have seen Sinfonia Smith Square tour the UK and perform at the International Children's Peace Prize, Vogue World, and BBC Proms.

To discuss your project in more detail, and to get a quote, contact Alison Brand, Programme Director, on **alison@sinfoniasmithsquare.org.uk**

"Our audience loved the energy and vitality of the players - a really special way to finish off our season."

Music at Oxford



GETTING TO SMITH SQUARE HALL

Smith Square Hall
Smith Square
London
SW1P 3HA

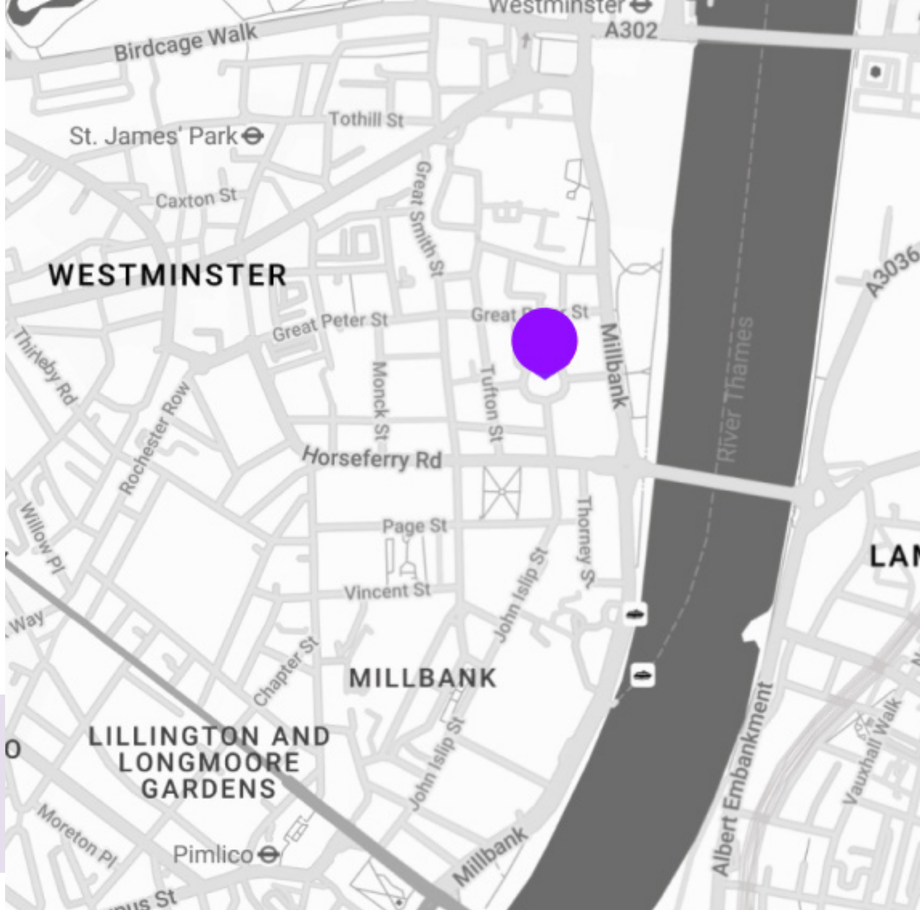
Our venue is a short walk from a number of tube stations, including Westminster and St James' Park. You can also reach us via bus, rail, boat, or bike.

For more detailed information on how to get to our venue click here.

To discuss hiring Smith Square Hall for your event, contact our Events Team:

events@sinfoniasmithsquare.org.uk

020 7222 1061



www.sinfoniasmithsq.org.uk

events@sinfoniasmithsquare.org.uk
020 7222 1061

Smith Square Hall
Smith Square
London
SW1P 3HA