



PRIVATE EVENTS

at the Connecticut Science Center





Envision your next holiday party, corporate event, or milestone celebration with the Connecticut Science Center's unique galleries as its backdrop. Whether your guests are sipping cocktails in space or dancing the night away with a dinosaur, the Connecticut Science Center promises an extraordinarily memorable setting for your special occasion. Our versatile space can accommodate a range of events, from intimate gatherings to large-scale celebrations. The state-of-the-art building provides an immersive experience for your guests that will make your event stand out. Contact our team to see how we can help you plan your next distinctive gathering!

THE VENUES

Science Alley

See the unseen in Science Alley, our central atrium. This 10-story immersive environment is designed to connect visitors to the science themes and concepts in our galleries.

Price: \$4,000

Availability: 5-10PM daily and 8AM-10PM on select Mondays and Tuesdays.

Capacity: 130 for a seated meal, 500 for a cocktail reception

Galleries

The Science Center's galleries are unique gathering spaces where adult audiences can become kids again. Your guests get access to all the applicable hands-on elements.

Availability: 5-10PM daily and 8AM-10PM on select Mondays and Tuesdays.

Capacity: 30-80 for a seated meal, 250 for a cocktail reception

Options include:

LEVEL 4 NORTH

Sight & Sound, Forces in Motion, and the Engineering Lab

LEVEL 5 NORTH

Invention Dimension and Exploring Space

LEVEL 5 SOUTH

Sports Lab, Health Lab, and Genome in Me

LEVEL 6 SOUTH

River of Life, Our Changing Earth, and Energy City



Science Alley + Galleries Package

Give your guests full after-hours access to Science Alley and our galleries!

Price: \$10,000

Availability: 5-10PM daily and 8AM-10PM on select Mondays and Tuesdays.

Capacity: 330 for a seated meal, 1,500 for a cocktail reception

Nassau Science Plaza

The Nassau Science Plaza is available for your next celebration. The space boasts gorgeous views of downtown Hartford, our gardens, and the Phoenix Gateway.

Price: \$5,500

Availability: 5-10PM daily and 8AM-10PM on select Mondays and Tuesdays.

Capacity: 130 for a seated meal, 500 for a cocktail reception



Maximilian E. and Marion O. Hoffman Foundation Science Theater

Located just off Science Alley, our accessible theater has a stage, sound system, and movie screen.

Price: \$5,000 | Availability: 8AM-10PM daily | Capacity: 200



The Science Hall

Tucked away from the galleries and available for meetings, screenings, and receptions, the Science Hall is a modern function room with floor-to-ceiling windows and stunning views of The Nassau Science Plaza.

Price: \$3,000

Availability: 8AM-10PM daily

Capacity: 80 for a seated meal, 100 for a cocktail reception, and 90 for lectures

Classrooms

The Classroom Spaces in our Discovery Center are perfect for meetings, breakout rooms, and more! Classrooms 1 and 2 feature a traditional classroom setup, with access to a SmartBoard® and computer if needed. Classroom 3 is a unique, space-themed room for meetings or workshops. Finally, the Community Room is a vibrant multipurpose room.

Price: \$750 for Classrooms 1 or 2 or the Community Room; \$1,500 for Classroom 3; or \$3,500 for all

Availability: 8AM-10PM daily

Capacity: 30 for Classrooms 1-3, 80 for the Community Room

THE FOOD AND DRINK



David Alan Hospitality Group will help you customize an exquisite, flavorful menu and bar service that your guests will rave about for years. Their team's exceptional service starts from the moment you make you book your special day with the Science Center, and their uncompromising attention to detail ensures that they handle every aspect of your day, however small or large, with thoughtfulness and attentiveness. Let their team design a creative, beautiful spread for you and your guests to savor!



THE INVESTMENT



Base Rate

The price of each room includes full planning support and day-of coordination to ensure you and your guests don't need to lift a finger, and the Science Center oversees set-up and breakdown. We also include access to our stock of centerpieces, six-foot round tables, six-foot banquet tables, three-foot high-top tables, and chairs, as well as the use and staffing of your chosen space(s) during standard event hours. Events starting before 8AM or ending after 10PM may be subject to additional charges.



Food and Beverage

Our catering partners at David Alan Hospitality Group will prepare a package to suit your needs. Food packages available starting at \$25 per person. Bar services, house rentals, and hospitality fees are additional.

We offer a variety of additional add-ons:

- *Parking validation in books of 25: **\$275***
- *1 Hour of Full Building Access During a Cocktail Hour or Scavenger Hunt: **\$2,000***
- *Access to the Butterfly encounter: **\$400***
- *Access to Rooftop Garden (Level 6 South rentals only): **\$1,000***
- *Live Science Activity Station: **\$250***
- *One Photobooth (Unlimited Printing, Custom Design): **\$900***
- *Marquee Ticker Customization: **\$25***
- *Dance Floor: **\$1,250***
- *Chiavari Chair Upgrade for a Seated Meal: **\$1,750***
- *Black, stretchy linens for all tables: **\$250***
- *8x4 12" Tall Stage: **\$90***
- *Eight RGB LED Uplights: **\$150***
- *Wooden Lectern: **\$90***
- *Sound System (No microphone needed): **\$200***
- *Sound System (One microphone needed): **\$250***
- *Sound System (Two microphones needed): **\$275***
- *SmartBoard® with HDMI (Classrooms 1 & 2 Only): **\$50***
- *Rolling Monitor with HDMI: **\$50***
- *The Science Hall A/V Package (The Science Hall Only): **\$400***
Projector with audio, two microphones, and a wooden lectern
- *Theater A/V Package (Theater Only): **\$1,000***
Projector with audio, four microphones, spotlights, panelist chairs, and a wooden lectern

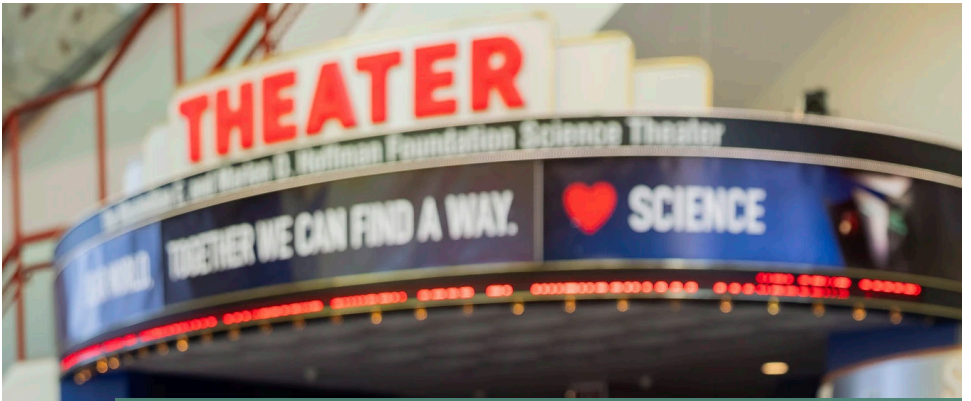


General Liability Insurance

We require all clients to purchase and maintain event insurance for the date of their event and an initial payment to secure your booking and catering services.

Corporate Rewards Benefits

Platinum Corporate Rewards Participants receive 20% off their event rentals for anything excluding parking, food, and beverage. Gold, Silver, Titanium, and Copper participants receive 10% off.



Ready to get started?

Contact the Events Team at (860) 520-2120
or EventRentals@CTScienceCenter.org to
start planning your gathering!

