

SALTWATER

BUSSELTON



SALTWATER CONVENTION AND PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE

OPENING MID-2025



Saltwater Busselton is nearing completion and the countdown has commenced to the highly anticipated opening of Australia's newest convention centre and performing arts venue in mid-2025!

This sophisticated, multi-purpose venue has been masterfully designed to host business events, entertainment and exhibitions over three levels of easily convertible, contemporary spaces.

Situated in the CBD, Saltwater is just a short stroll from the iconic Busselton Jetty and the Foreshore Precinct's premium accommodation, restaurants, bars and attractions.

DESTINATION BUSSELTON

Renowned as the Events Capital of Western Australia, Busselton is a flourishing coastal destination in the heart of the magnificent Margaret River Wine Region.

Located two and a half hours' drive south of Perth and accessible from the east coast via direct flights from Sydney and Melbourne, Busselton is perfectly positioned to attract large national conferences, trade shows and exhibitions.

Busselton is the natural destination for your next event... We can't wait to host you.

DESTINATION



BUSSELTON

Busselton is a beautiful seaside resort town with a wide range of accommodation, fine wine, quality produce, cultural experiences, fascinating history, inspired art, awe-inspiring attractions, towering tuart forests, flora and fauna just waiting to be discovered.

Naturally, there are plenty of opportunities for delegates to combine business and pleasure here in the world-renowned Margaret River Region.

TRANSPORT & TOURS

The regional tourism industry is well-established and award-winning tour and transport operators are ready and waiting to help delegates explore the region's breathtaking landscapes, stunning cellar doors and amazing attractions. Ask us for tailored recommendations for pre and post touring options, team building activities and incentive ideas.

LOCAL DINING

Situated between the Busselton CBD and the Foreshore Precinct, there's a variety of excellent restaurants, cafes and bars in close proximity to Saltwater serving delicious dishes showcasing regional flavours. Nearby fine dining restaurants offer excellent alternatives for off-site events.



AUDITORIUM

CONFERENCES – EXHIBITIONS – TRADE SHOWS – EXPOS – BANQUETS – SHOWS – CONCERTS

Saltwater's auditorium is the ultimate multi-function space. The black box design is transformable from a traditional 640-seat tiered theatre to a 1000-person standing capacity flat floor exhibition hall.

AUDITORIUM – THEATRE

393m²

640
SEATS

- Quality tiered seating (345 seats are retractable)
- Excellent sight lines for keynote speakers and plenary sessions
- State-of-the-art audio-visual technology
- Orchestra pit and sub-stage area

AUDITORIUM – EXHIBITION

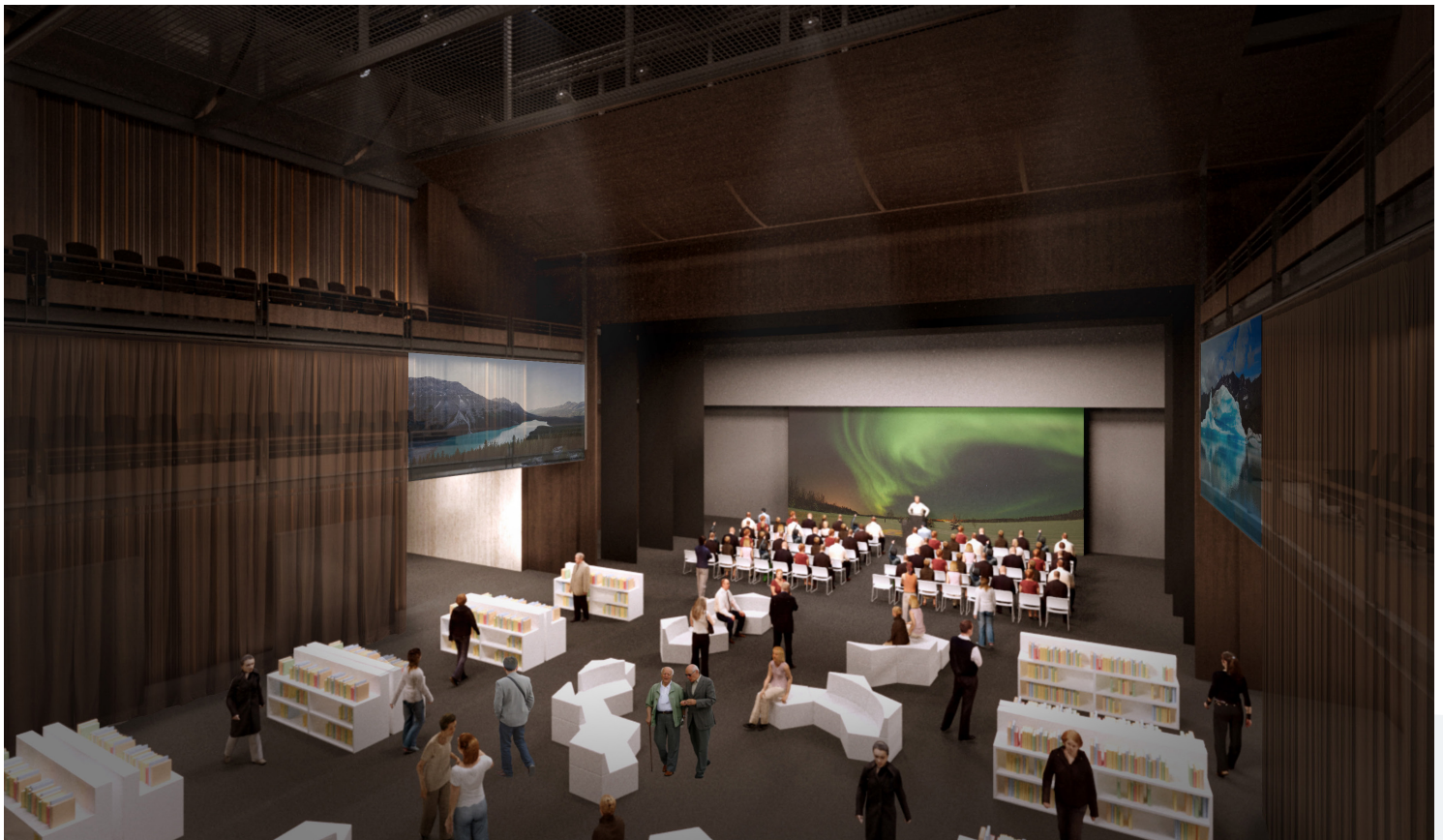
582m²

1000+
STANDING

AUDITORIUM – BANQUET

582m²

400
SEATED



CONFERENCE SUITE

BUSINESS EVENTS – WORKSHOPS – MEETINGS – BANQUETS – COCKTAIL PARTIES

Saltwater's conference suite is located on level 2 with entry via a foyer that is perfect for registration, catering breaks and pre or post event cocktail events. With operable walls, the three function rooms can be configured as one large room for conferences and events, or as smaller rooms for breakout sessions, workshops, board meetings, seminars and delegate lounges.

ENTIRE CONFERENCE SUITE ON LEVEL 2 - ALL 3 FUNCTION ROOMS

463m²

**400+
SEATED**

**800+
STANDING**

**BALCONY
101m²**

FUNCTION ROOM 2

126m²

**110
SEATED**

**190
STANDING**

FUNCTION ROOM 1

139m²

**120
SEATED**

**200
STANDING**

FUNCTION ROOM 3 - REHEARSAL ROOM

141m²

**150
SEATED**

**220
STANDING**



- Integrated audio-visual equipment
- Alfresco balcony with views of Geographe Bay
- Full-service kitchen, dry store and cool room
- Level 2 bar
- Dressing room for keynote speakers and principal performers
- Patron amenities

CATERING

We work with the South West's finest catering companies to ensure delegates dine in style and enjoy professional service.

Tailored to suit your event's requirements, our award-winning catering contractors offer corporate packages crafted by experienced chefs featuring renowned regional produce.

FOYER

LARGE EVENTS – EXHIBITIONS – TRADE SHOWS – CONVENTIONS

Saltwater's modern foyer is suitable for exhibitions, trade shows and conventions. To accommodate larger events, the foyer can be configured as an extension to the auditorium or art gallery spaces.

591m²

**1000+
STANDING**

- Expansive undercover portico for red carpet opportunities
- Pop-up bar area
- Full louvre windows overlooking Queen Street, bar and courtyard



SALTWATER GALLERY

ART EXHIBITIONS – EVENTS

Saltwater Gallery will showcase ever-changing exciting exhibitions by talented local, national and international artists. This A-Class gallery has been expertly designed as a secure, versatile and elegant setting to display an exceptional array of works and fragile artefacts. Fitted with high-tech lighting, temperature controls, security surveillance and a black box for audio-visual works, Saltwater Gallery is an adaptable white space with moveable walls that can open to the foyer to increase the size of an event space.

158m²

200+
STANDING



SALTWATER COURTYARD

OUTDOOR EXHIBITIONS – EVENT SPACE – ALFRESCO FUNCTIONS & DINING



Saltwater's courtyard is an inviting outdoor event space. Well suited for sculpture or larger works exhibitions, this space offers a fresh-air alternative for casual alfresco functions and events.

145m²

190+
STANDING



Image Credit: Elements Margaret River

Saltwater was named after the Wadandi (Saltwater People) who are the Traditional Owners of the Country (Undalup) on which this new convention centre and performing arts venue is located.

The City of Busselton acknowledges the Traditional Owners, the Wadandi People, their deep connection to the land and their artistic and cultural expressions. We pay our respects to our ancestors, for bringing us here together, and to our Elders and emerging leaders carrying the cultural flame.

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