



# The Merchant Hotel

The Merchant Hotel is Belfast's only AA 5 red star rated hotel.



The grandeur of the original Grade-A listed building (purpose built as the Ulster Bank headquarters in 1860), is complemented by an elegant Art Deco inspired wing with a multitude of exciting amenities.

#### Hotel features include:

Prime location in Belfast city centre 62 guest rooms including 5 luxury suites Dedicated meetings and events space Complimentary WiFi Luxurious spa Rooftop gymnasium

### We offer an array of award winning bars and restaurants:

The Great Room Restaurant The Veuve Clicquot Champagne Lounge The Cloth Ear Public House The Cocktail Bar Berts Jazz Bar



# The Merchant means business

The Merchant Hotel offers an excellent selection of elegant and superbly equipped rooms to provide the perfect space for your meeting or event.

### The Meetings and Events space includes:

- Dedicated events reception
- 6 meeting rooms and 1 versatile events space with breakout area and bar
- Elegant Deco styling and original works of art from local artists

At The Merchant Hotel we offer hosts, delegates, clients and guests a unique array of features across all of our Meetings and Events rooms. As an event organiser you benefit from the optimum experience in terms of comfort and enjoyment for your guests or delegates, whether for business or pleasure.

#### Features and Benefits:

- Professional event coordinator and dedicated host
- Complimentary WiFi and Bluetooth technology
- Built-in audio visual equipment.
- Personal pager system for the event organiser ensuring a quick response from our operations team
- Advanced colour psychology
  lighting system
- Intelligent air purification system
- Natural daylight
- Fully adjustable air conditioning and heating
- Information display screens outside event rooms
- Fully stocked fridges and stationery boxes







# The Rita Duffy Room

This elegant and versatile events space features our iconic Art Deco styling and several original works of art by exceptional local artist Rita Duffy. The Rita Duffy Room is ideal for press launches, product launches, fashion shows, meetings, conferences, breakfast meetings, lunch and dinner parties, and evening receptions for up to 200 people.

The Rita Duffy Room can be separated into 3 individual rooms and is therefore able to cater for smaller events.

#### The Rita Duffy Room includes:

- 50" Plasma screen
- Drop-down screen and data projector
- Advanced colour
  psychology lighting system
- Intelligent air
  purification system
- Stationery items tool box
- Drinks fridges with soft drinks and mineral water
- Natural daylight
- Cloakroom

Rita Duffy Room	Suite	Style 1	Style 2	Style 3
Theatre Style:	200	90	40	50
Classroom:	90	30	20	26
Boardroom:	80	30	20	20
Cabaret:	96**	48	32	24
U-Shape:	88	26	20	20
Hollow Square:	94	34	24	28
Dinner Party:				
Rounds of 10	150	60	40	40
Rounds of 8	120	48	32	32
Room Size (m):	28 x 8.8	11.6 x 8.8	7.6 x 7.6	6.8 x 8.2

#### \*180 with back projection \*\* 80 with back projection



# The Jonathan Aiken Room

This elegantly Art Deco styled room is ideal for breakfast meetings, lunch and dinner parties, meetings, drinks receptions, or as a breakout room. This beautifully presented room features original artwork from talented local artist Jonathan Aiken.

### The Jonathan Aiken Room includes:

- 50" Plasma screen
- Advanced colour
  psychology lighting system
- Intelligent air purification system
- Stationery items tool box
- Drinks fridges with soft drinks and mineral water
- Natural daylight
- Cloakroom

The Jonathan Aiken Room styling and capacity:

Theatre Style	.30
Classroom	
Boardroom	
Cabaret	
U-Shape	
Hollow Square	
Dinner Party	
Round of 10	.30
Round of 8	24
Room Size (m)	7.1 x 5.8





# The Brian Ballard Room

The Brian Ballard Room also features our sleek and modernist Deco styling and is ideal for breakfast meetings, lunch and dinner parties, meetings, drinks receptions, or as a breakout room. This beautifully presented room features original artwork from talented local artist Brian Ballard.

### The Brian Ballard Room includes:

- 50" Plasma screen
- Advanced colour
  psychology lighting system
- Intelligent air
  purification system
- Stationery items tool box
- Drinks fridges with soft drinks and mineral water
- Natural daylight
- Cloakroom

The Brian Ballard Room styling and capacity:

Theatre Style	.30
Classroom	
Boardroom	
Cabaret	
U-Shape	
Hollow Square	
Dinner Party	
Round of 10	.30
Round of 8	
Room Size (m)	7.1 x5.8





# The Alan Quigley Room

The Alan Quigley Room is the only room in our Meetings and Events space to offer the Victorian styling of the original building.

This charming room is our fixed boardroom and makes for a stunning private dining room for up to 16 guests. This unique room features the artwork of talented local artist Alan Quigley and an imposing antique mahogany boardroom/dining room table.

### The Alan Quigley Room includes:

- 50" Plasma screen
- Stationery items tool box
- Mineral water
- Natural daylight

### The Alan Quigley Room styling and capacity:

Boardroom	
Dining	
Room Size (m)	6.7 x 4.5





# The Roof Garden

The Roof Garden is perfect for quirky private parties, corporate events and weddings with a difference.

In Spring the Roof Garden will be transformed into a Summer Garden Party; sit back and relax with tea, cakes, cocktails, and seasonal delights such as mini goats cheese tarts and crispy calamari.

In Winter the Roof Garden returns to the popular Alpine Ski Lodge theme where you can cosy up and enjoy mulled wine and warming Winter Pimms with mini steak and onion pies and croque monsieur fingers.

### The Absolut Roof Garden includes:

- iPod compatible sound system - bring along your own playlist
- Enclosed Roof Garden with retractable roof
- Fully serviced bar

## The Absolut Roof Garden capacity:

Reception

...70





# The Great Room Restaurant

The Great Room Restaurant is truly the jewel in the crown of the hotel. This sumptuous space evokes effortless and timeless grandeur.

For exceptional lunches, dinners and receptions, for business breakfasts, and the quintessential afternoon tea experience, the grandeur and elegance of The Great Room Restaurant is truly exceptional and utterly unique.

#### The Great Room Restaurant capacity:

Dinner party	
Drinks reception	200

### The Great Room Restaurant includes:

- Exceptional original Victorian architecture including Corinthian columns, floral friezes and numerous sculptural putti representing the arts and sciences
- Stunning original stained glass windows and central glass cupola that floods the room with natural light
- Softly ambient evening lighting
- Ireland's largest chandelier, which was commissioned by The Merchant Hotel from Tyrone Crystal
- Baby grand piano







# The Private Dining Room

This intimate room, situated just off The Great Room Restaurant, is an ideal location for hosting a private breakfast meeting, afternoon tea, lunch or dinner party.

The Private Dining Room styling and capacity:

Dinner party	.18
Boardroom	.18

### The Private Dining Room includes:

- Ambient lighting
- Stunning antique chandelier
- Access to our adjoining wine cellar providing a unique way to choose your wines for the evening
- The well-appointed adjacent annex is linked to our award winning cocktail bar and offers the perfect space for pre and post dinner drinks







# The Veuve Clicquot Champagne Lounge

La Grande Dame Veuve Clicquot's motto for the creation of her iconic Champagne was our inspiration for the design of this wonderful events space, which carries her name. The Veuve Clicquot Champagne Lounge is the ideal space for a launch party, drinks reception or special celebration.

#### The Veuve Clicquot Champagne Lounge capacity:

Drinks reception\_\_\_\_40

#### The Veuve Clicquot Champagne Lounge includes:

- Unique, decadent surroundings with plush velvet sofas, marble tables and silken drapes
- Ornate antique fireplace and mirrors
  and important original works of art
- Private bar
- Natural daylight
- iPod compatible sound system





## Berts Jazz Bar

Transport yourself back to the Art Deco glamour of 1930's New York and the Jazz Age in Belfast's only dedicated Jazz bar and restaurant: Berts Bar at The Merchant Hotel. Soak up the sophisticated atmosphere and let the cool jazz melodies wash over you. A handpicked list of cocktails completes the extensive drinks selection.

A French bistro style menu is complemented by an extensive wine list and, of course, exemplary service. Berts offers live jazz seven nights a week from 9pm as well as perfectly relaxed weekends complete with delicious brunch and all day dining menus.

#### Berts Jazz Bar capacity:

Dinner party	
Drinks reception	.80







### CAPACITIES AND FLOOR PLAN



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