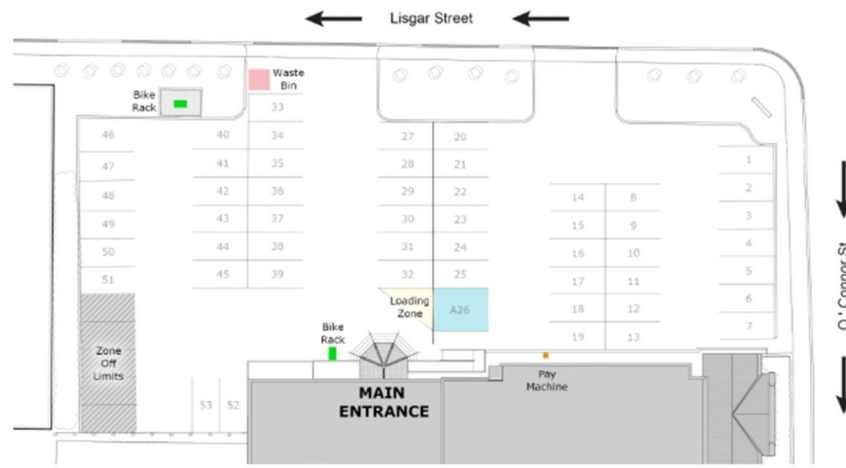




Parking Lot Information



There is an open-to-the-public paid parking lot on the North side of the building. Entrance and exit is via Lisgar St only. CDCC/Carleton does not manage the lot, and it is overseen by Indigo Park Canada Inc.

Indigo Park Canada Inc to be called directly at 613-232-4801 for any possible ticket inquiries or faulty machines.

Parking is sometimes limited in this lot (particularly during peak weekday daytime hours) and is available on a first-come, first-served basis. One accessible parking spot is located next to the building entrance ramp.

Parking rates are as follows (plus an applicable convenience fees):

Monday to Friday

6:00AM – 6:00PM, \$3.59 per 30 minutes,
\$21.87 Max
6:00PM – 6:00AM, \$5.63 Flat Fee

Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays

6:00AM – 6:00PM, \$5.63 flat fee
6:00PM – 6:00AM, \$5.63 flat fee

Three payment options include:

1. **Machine:** One meter accepting credit cards is available in the lot (next/east to the accessible ramp).
2. **QR Code:** QR codes are located on signs throughout the lot.
3. **Online:** You may also visit and pay online via <https://indigoneo.ca/> using location id #OT633.

OTHER DOWNTOWN PARKING OPTIONS



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Overflow parking (paid, street or otherwise) is available nearby along Cooper Street, Lisgar Street, and O'Connor Street. There are also a multitude of public parking lots in the downtown core, including Ottawa's City Hall underground public parking lot within a 9 minute walk which has electric car charging stations.



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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

What is the Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre (CDCC)?

Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre (CDCC) is Carleton University's Arts, Performance and Learning Centre. CDCC is the university's first downtown Ottawa building and is managed by the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS). The centre serves a variety of user groups from the community at large.

Is the building accessible?

The main accessible entrance and ramp is at 290 Lisgar Street on the north side of the building. A second emergency exit and accessible ramp is located at 355 Cooper Street on the south side of the building. There is elevator access to all four levels of the building. **Note:** The Sanctuary Main Hall theatre balcony is not accessible by elevator.

How do I enter the building?

Most events use the **main entrance at 290 Lisgar Street**. Event signage and Front of House staff or volunteers will be on site to welcome you and help guide you to the appropriate entrance, seating area, or service point. The building's legal address is 355 Cooper Street, but this is an Emergency Exit only.

Is food or drink allowed? Is food or drink available for purchase?

Please note that only water is permitted inside the Sanctuary Main Hall. Regular ongoing food and beverage services are not available at CDCC. We invite guests to visit nearby shops or restaurants for snacks or meals.

Are washrooms available?

Yes. Washrooms are located within the building and are clearly signed. Accessible washrooms are also available.

Is there a coat check?

Generally, coat check is not available for Sanctuary events. We invite patrons to bring their coats inside with them into the sanctuary.

Who do I contact for rental or event inquiries?



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For information about renting the space or hosting an event at CDCC, please visit the CDCC website <https://carleton.ca/cdcc/> or contact the administrative team directly at 613-520-4401 or by email CDCC@carleton.ca



Basement Floor – Level 1



Access

- Basement Floor is accessed from the Main Staircase or Elevator, adjacent to the Lisgar Street Entrance

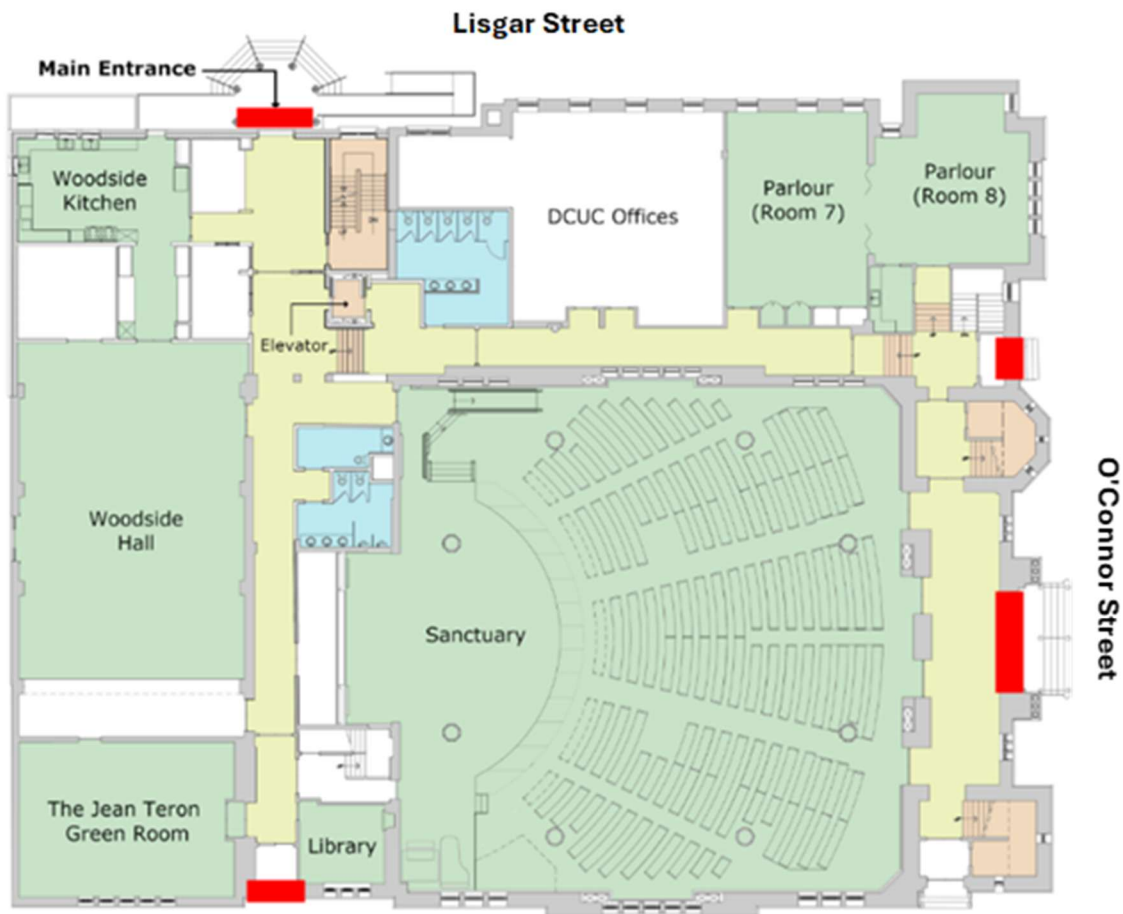
Bathrooms

- 1 Accessible Gender Neutral Bathroom Stall

Legend
Event Spaces
Staircase
Hallway
Bathroom
The Hive
Emergency Exit



Ground Floor – Level 2



Access

- 290 Lisgar Street is the Building's Main Entrance
- Some event organizers will opt to use the O'Connor Street Entrance.

Bathrooms/Water Fountain

- Women's Bathroom
 - 4 stalls + 1 accessible
- Men's bathroom
 - 2 stalls + 2 urinals
- Gender neutral bathroom
 - Includes baby changing table
- Water Fountain – Outside of DCC Offices



Upper Floor – Level 3



Access:

- For access to Rooms 14, 15/16, and Room 17 use the Main Staircase or Elevator, adjacent to the Lisgar Street Entrance
- For access to the Sanctuary Balcony seating, use either staircase adjacent to the Sanctuary, adjacent to the Narthex (O'Connor Street Entrance)

Bathrooms:

All bathrooms are only accessible using the Elevator or Main Staircase. There is no

- Gender Neutral Stalls x 2 + 1 Accessible
- Gender Neutral Stalls x 2



About the Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre

Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre (CDCC) is Carleton University’s Arts, Performance and Learning Centre. CDCC is dedicated to providing a welcoming, professional and safe environment to foster programming that is multigenerational, diverse, and inclusive. CDCC is the university’s first downtown Ottawa building and is managed by the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS). The centre will serve a variety of user groups from the community at large.

CDCC strives to ignite creative exploration and rich presentation opportunities, offering a unique event experience in a historical Ottawa heritage venue.

CDCC values community collaboration opportunities, fostering the creation of meaningful shared experiences.

Historic Milestones



Thousands Jam Downtown Vantage Points as Old Dominion Church Burns



1828	1862	1914	1961	1962	2018	2019
St. Andrew’s Presbyterian Church established.	Dominion Methodist Church Opened on Metcalfe and Queen Street.	Chalmers Presbyterian Church was inaugurated at O’Connor and Cooper Streets.	Dominion United Chalmers Fire.	The amalgamation of Dominion and Chalmers churches as “Dominion-Chalmers United Church”.	Carleton University Acquires Dominion Chalmer Church.	CDCC launches as an Arts, Performance and Learning Centre.



<https://carleton.ca/cdcc/history/>



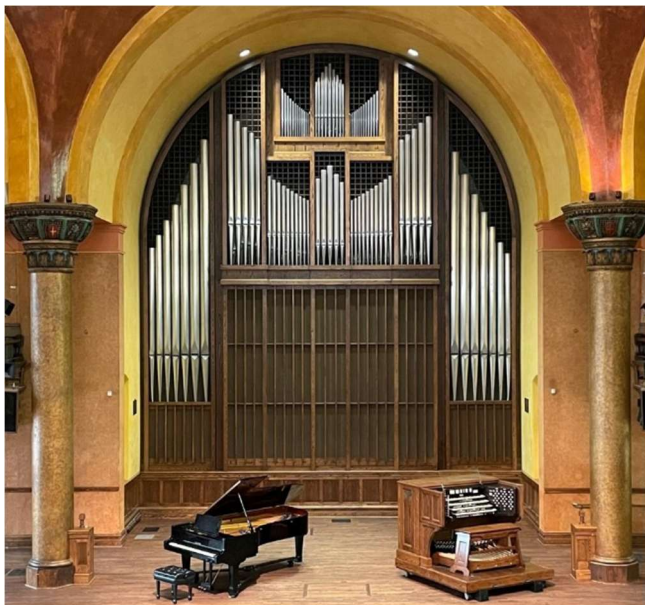
Casavant Organ

CDCC is home to one of the largest pipe organs in Ottawa!

The CDCC pipe organ was officially dedicated in April 1965 in loving memory of those who lost their lives while serving in the armed forces. The building of a pipe organ of this size is an architectural feat – taking the time, dedication and energy of many.

The pipe organ is a majestic instrument requiring ongoing and in-depth care. There are over 5,179 pipes spanning 7 storeys with many components to clean and maintain. We rely on the expertise and professionalism of Sylvain Brisson of Orgues Brisson to keep the instrument in working shape and tuned for performers. We are also thankful for our CDCC Organ Committee who meet annually to review care options (current committee members: Donald Russell, Ed Lam, Peter Buist). In the upcoming couple of years, there are lofty goals for repairs including the facade pipes, pedal reed and beyond. With its current age and stage, CDCC has also been advised that the organ engine blower is reaching end-of-life.

There is also a Friends of the Pipe Organ fund that exists for anyone who feels they could support more urgent projects and ongoing maintenance. Every donation really does make a difference!



<https://carleton.ca/cdcc/pipeorgan/>



<https://futurefunder.carleton.ca/giving-fund/the-friends-of-the-pipe-organ-fund/>



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Giving to CDCC

The Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre is reflective of the university's commitment to extend its footprint beyond our campus into the broader community. Through generous acts of philanthropy, the Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre opened its doors as a hub to support inclusivity, foster creative expression and to amplify local and international talent. Since its inception, Carleton University has had a mandate to serve the community through education, knowledge and opportunities. By supporting the Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre, you are a part of our collective mission to be the good that we want to see in the world.

You can be a part of this journey by supporting various fundraising initiatives that further enrich the programming at the Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre. As we expand, we encourage you to visit FutureFunder for more opportunities to do good, together.



<https://futurefunder.carleton.ca/giving-fund/dominion-chalmers-priorities-fund/>



CUAG Centretown

Carleton University Art Gallery produces free and innovative art-based programs at CDCC throughout the year. Launched in May 2015, CUAG Centretown features an annual mural commission by Ottawa-Gatineau artists. The gallery is located at the back of the Sanctuary Main Hall, in the foyer of the O'Connor Street entrance to CDCC. CUAG Centretown is open to guests to enjoy during events held in the Sanctuary Main Hall and dedicated visiting hours and special events will be announced throughout the year.

Yomi Orimoloye is the inaugural artist at CUAG Centretown!

In creating this site-responsive artwork, Orimoloye extends the threshold space outside the Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre Main Hall with a garden-like landscape. The Third Door offers a portal that, as the artist writes, we are invited to “step through mentally as we prepare ourselves to enter, for whatever reason has brought us here.”

Working both digitally and on canvas, Orimoloye creates layered collage-like compositions engaging themes of transformation, selfhood and storytelling. His art practice is influenced by his ongoing inquiry into identity, his Nigerian heritage, and the diagrams, schematics and precision of his profession as an electrical engineer. The Third Door highlights the vitality of gathering, and how spaces of community and the arts shape our sense of self. CUAG thanks Carleton Dominion-Chalmers Centre and the Carleton University Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.



Niche Gallery

Be sure to also check out highlighted artworks from CUAG's collection in the Niche, adjacent to the Lisgar Street entrance.