



Firehall Bring Your Own Venue Application – 2013

The Firehall joins the ranks of the BYOV for the fourth consecutive Vancouver International Fringe Festival in September 2013. We will be selecting five shows for six to eight performances each in our wonderful intimate theatre space and two shows for our outdoor enclosed courtyard area, also, for six to eight performances. Each group will be charged a fee plus HST plus a \$.50 building endowment service charge on each ticket sold.

Courtyard or under 30 minutes Mainstage Firehall - \$500

30-60 Minutes Mainstage Firehall - \$1000

Over 60 minutes Mainstage Firehall - \$1500 (with a maximum time limit of 90 minutes)

We will provide the following:

Firehall Mainstage

1. Firehall will provide one technician and one front of house manager and will ensure that our lighting hang allows for conditions similar and/or somewhat enhanced from those provided at Fringe venues.
2. Each group will be given three hours of tech time, a consultation with our technical director and will, also, have the possibility of booking more tech and/or rehearsal time for an additional fee.
3. The Firehall will be set up to seat 155 as a BYOV.
4. Firehall's bar will be open and the Fringe will provide all box office service.

Courtyard Performances

1. We would need to discuss one-on-one projects that would have the potential to use the space, regarding seating, lighting and sound etc. It is anticipated that some assistance will be provided for technical set-up but it is doubtful that a technician to run the performance would be provided.

2. All courtyard shows will end by 10:30pm and it will be need to be determined whether performances go forward weather permitting or rain or shine.
3. Each group will be given tech and rehearsal time to be determined in consultation with our technical director and the needs of the piece.
4. Firehall will provide front of house manager and the Fringe will provide all box office service.

Other notes

All groups will be given a variety of show times with some weekend matinees but we will aim to provide accessible great performance times for everyone. The Firehall reserves the right to program the BYOV and selections will not be made on a first come first served basis. Successful applicants will be notified of their selection by January 12th, 2013. **Once we have made that selection you will need to register with the Fringe to be an official part of the Fringe BYOV. If you are not selected first round, we will let you know if a spot does come available.**

Here's what we need to know from you:

1. **Who are you?** Include your contact address plus email, phone number.
2. **What do you want to do?** Please provide a 250 word max description of what you want to do; who you are working with and what, if any, specific technical needs your production might require.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION : January 7, 2013 Notification of acceptance January 12, 2013.

Please send this information by email, fax or post to:

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Thanks for your interest in being a part of BYOV at the Firehall.