

The Keeper's House

Private Hire
at the Keeper's House

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Welcome to the Keeper's House

Situated in the heart of Mayfair, the Keeper's House at the Royal Academy of Arts promises to deliver a memorable experience for you and your guests.

From breakfasts to cocktail receptions to intimate dinners, our rooms in the Keeper's House provide a sophisticated setting for a variety of events. Both accommodating and flexible, the spaces are sure to meet all your entertaining needs.

With walls adorned with works by our Royal Academicians throughout, the Keeper's House is the perfect marriage of history, modernity and art in one extraordinary venue.

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The Belle Shenkman Room

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Relaxed and informal, the Belle Shenkman Room lends a warm atmosphere to drinks receptions and intimate dinners. With large windows overlooking our garden, and rich velvet sofas and armchairs, this space is superb for smaller gatherings.

Hire Fee	£875 + VAT
Availability	Evenings | Saturday through Thursday
Timings	6.30pm–midnight (7pm–midnight for dinners)
Capacity	40 Standing 25 Seated



The Sir Hugh Casson Room

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Our largest space in the Keeper's House, the Sir Hugh Casson Room offers a bright and airy backdrop for drinks receptions, seated talks or dinners. Equipped with modern audio-visual facilities, the room is readymade for speeches and presentations. Café by day and cocktails by night, it's our most adaptable space to suit any event.

Hire Fee	£1750 + VAT
Availability	Evenings | Saturday through Thursday
Timings	6.30pm–midnight (7.30pm–midnight for dinners)
Capacity	100 Standing 60 Seated

The Academicians' Room

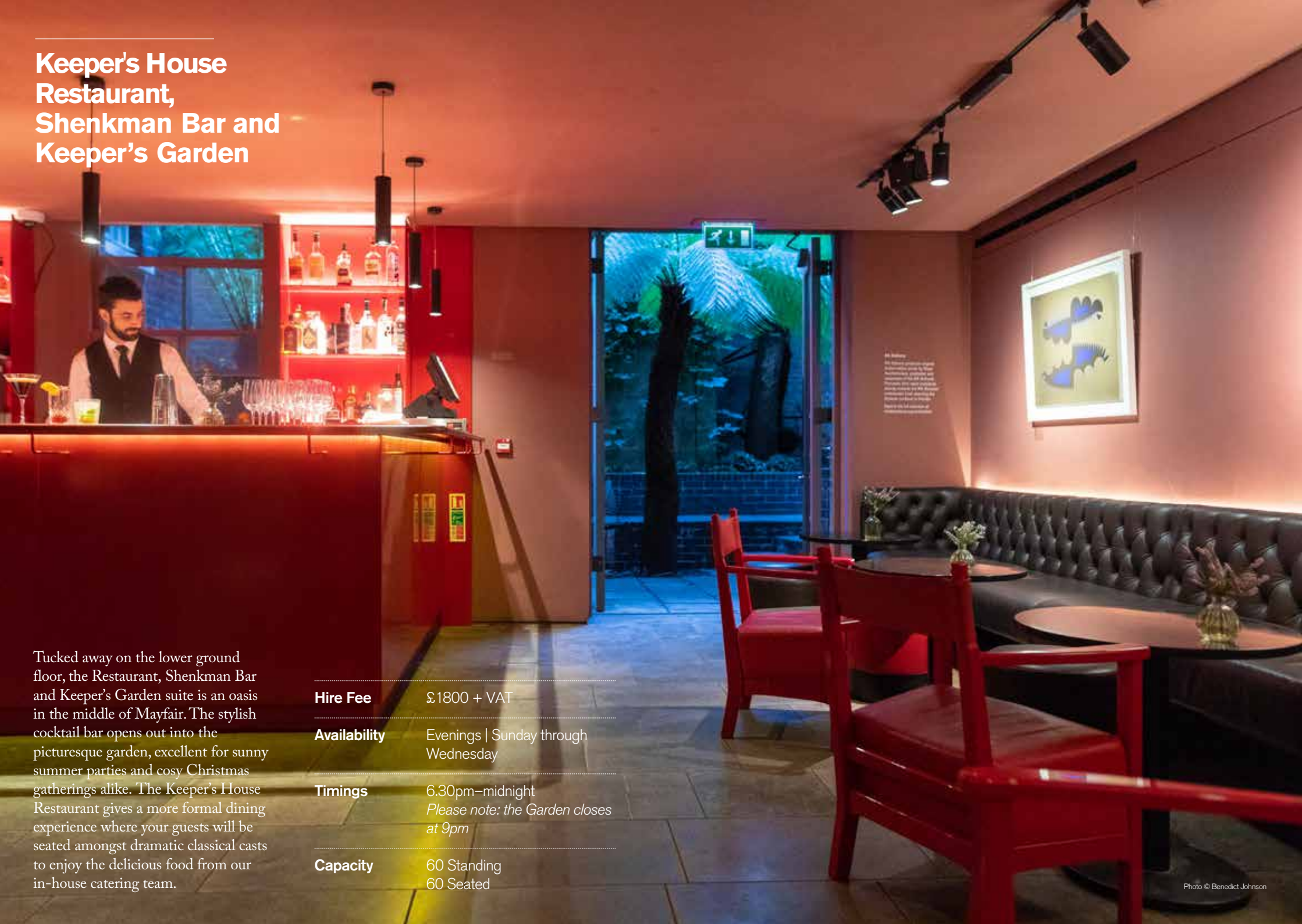
Our private members club, the Academicians' Room, is a beautiful space for both breakfast events and evening receptions. Thoughtfully designed and elegantly decorated, this former gallery space is sure to leave a lasting impression on your guests.

Hire Fee	£1000 + VAT (Breakfasts) £2500 + VAT (Evenings)
Availability	Breakfasts | Daily Evenings | Sunday and Monday only
Timings	8–10am (Breakfasts) 6.30pm–midnight (Evenings)
Capacity	60 Standing 40 Seated



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Keeper's House Restaurant, Shenkman Bar and Keeper's Garden



Tucked away on the lower ground floor, the Restaurant, Shenkman Bar and Keeper's Garden suite is an oasis in the middle of Mayfair. The stylish cocktail bar opens out into the picturesque garden, excellent for sunny summer parties and cosy Christmas gatherings alike. The Keeper's House Restaurant gives a more formal dining experience where your guests will be seated amongst dramatic classical casts to enjoy the delicious food from our in-house catering team.

Hire Fee	£1800 + VAT
Availability	Evenings | Sunday through Wednesday
Timings	6.30pm–midnight *Please note: the Garden closes at 9pm*
Capacity	60 Standing 60 Seated

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Full Hire of the Keeper's House

Hire Fee	£5000 + VAT
Availability	Sunday only
Timings	6.30pm–midnight
Capacity	350 Standing

On Sunday evenings, the entire Keeper's House is available for exclusive hire, suitable for events that require multiple spaces. Situated across three levels, our versatile spaces can be used for receptions, film screenings, sit down dinners, talks, book launches and everything in between.

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Private dining in the Keeper's House Restaurant

Hire Fee	Subject to a minimum spend. For further details, please enquire.
Availability and Timings	Flexible
Capacity	46 Seated

During opening hours, one half of the Keeper's House Restaurant can be booked out for private dining. This distinctive dining room is ideal for social occasions, like an afternoon tea or birthday celebration, as well as corporate lunches or dinners.



Catering by Peyton Events

The exclusive caterer for the Keeper's House, Peyton Events has a variety of food and drink selections that are sure to please. From lavish breakfasts to carefully crafted canapés, Peyton Events works with you to create a delicious menu for your event. Simply get in touch for a bespoke proposal.

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Restaurant, Shenkman Bar and Keeper's Garden

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Exclusive hire of the Keeper's House

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Capacity	350 Standing

Our in-house team can provide basic audio-visual equipment and support for your event, at no added cost.

For any extras such as flowers, entertainment and event design, we have a list of approved event suppliers who are all vetted to work at the Royal Academy of Arts.

To discuss your requirements and to view the current list of approved suppliers, please get in touch with your Event Manager.

Further details

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