







A Special Events Venue in the Lower Garden District

Located in the Lower Garden District on Magazine Street, IL Mercato sits adjacent to Sophie Wright Park, surrounded on three sides by local boutiques, coffee shops, and restaurants. IL Mercato offers five distinct vignettes. In our outdoor space, we have an open-air courtyard with gorgeous plants and flowering pots featuring a picturesque fireplace, as well as a covered arcade with original flagstone floors and painted wood ceiling. Indoors, our ballroom has herringbone wood floors, original plaster walls, and Italianate chandeliers, while the annex features French wall panels in a rich gray tone with aged gold leaf accents. The library has original wood beams and custom cabinetry filled with books and objets d'art, along with four velvet and leather upholstered banquettes and our custom bar.









8,500 SQ FT

with 3,500 SQ FT in our exterior courtyard

and 5,000 SQ FT of interior space.

We can comfortably accommodate the following number of guests:

Cocktail style reception: up to 450 guests

Seated dinner: 225 guests with limited entertainment, 200 guests with a 6-10 piece band, 185 with a large band or orchestra

Wedding ceremony: 250 seated with ample standing room in the courtyard.

Amenities

EVENT FURNITURE AND DECOR

Tables with upgraded linen and bistro chairs to accommodate up to 120 guests

French bistro tables for courtyard and library

Farm tables used for food service

A selection of iron and brass lanterns used both indoors in the courtyard

Brass bar carts and a 6-tier grand Etagere perfect for signature drinks, food presentations, and party favors

SERVICES

Customized floor plans and additional design coordination

Vendor recommendations

Security detail

Event timeline











