

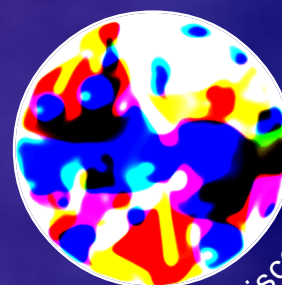
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## conference and corporate entertaining

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## Advantages!

Why settle for the usual when you can select the unusual for your company event? Discover a distinctly different venue that will fire the imagination and create a long and lasting impression for your function.

Catalyst, the only museum in Britain and Europe wholly devoted to the Chemical Industry offers a unique blend of facilities and award winning exhibitions ideal for a wide range of corporate events, conferences and other occasions.

We have hosted product launches, a preview screening for the BBC, numerous local and regional conferences, all with unique appeal.

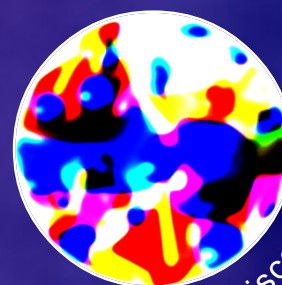
Catalyst is housed in a magnificently restored Grade II listed building steeped in industrial history. In contrast a dramatic extension provides a Reception and Foyer complete with fascinating exhibits and displays to provide an inspirational starting point for your guests.

So why choose Catalyst? We can give you several reasons . . .

- Easily accessible from Merseyside, Manchester, Lancashire and Cheshire
- Situated on the banks of the River Mersey, 10 minutes from both the M56 and M62
- A professional service to ensure every occasion is a complete success
- First class catering
- A memorable experience for your guests

Please contact our Conference Co-ordinator,  
Lynn Steadman to discuss your requirements  
on 0151 420 1121 or e-mail [cafe@catalyst.org.uk](mailto:cafe@catalyst.org.uk)





## **The Chemicals Northwest Room**

Offers a refreshing environment for Presentations, Meetings, Training and Receptions. Seats up to 50 people theatre style, 28 Boardroom style and 60 for a Reception

## **The Hutchinson Room**

An ideal, comfortable environment for small meetings and syndicate sessions. Seats up to 8 people Boardroom style.

## **The Deacon Room & The Friends Room**

Similar to, but slightly larger than the Hutchinson Room, with an outstanding view of the river. A great room for small meetings and breakout group sessions. Seats up to 8 people Boardroom style with more space than the Hutchinson Room.

## **The Education Suite**

This facility comprises three syndicate rooms two of which can be opened into one larger room which can accommodate up to 100 people. Rooms can be hired separately and the facility provides a flexible space for Exhibitions, Meetings and Seminars.

## **Exhibition Galleries**

Present your guests with an unforgettable experience! Catalyst's unique award-winning exhibitions provide an intriguing atmosphere for a first class event ideal for corporate hospitality functions. Receptions can also be held in The Elements Cafe which offers unrivalled views over the river landscape.

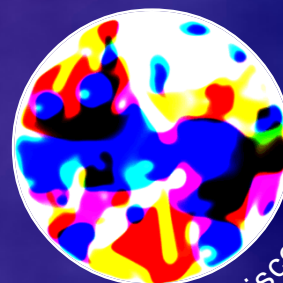
## **Catering**

A high quality catering service is available - with a specially prepared selection of tempting menus. Whether you require creative canapés or a sumptuous buffet we are pleased to assist in your choice of menus or develop ideas to suit your specific needs.

## **Audio Visual Equipment**

These include data projector, overhead projector, TV, VHS video, carousel projector, screen, flip chart, staging, lighting, 16mm sound projector, fax, photocopying and telephone.

# facilities



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## New Facilities

### The Alchemy Theatre

This brand new tiered theatre seats up to 50 people and can be hired for lectures and presentations.

The Theatre can also be hired for you to watch one of our 4 bespoke films, with stunning 3D and interactive voting, these films will make your event one to remember!

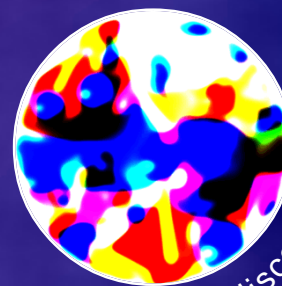


### The Catalytic Discovery Lab

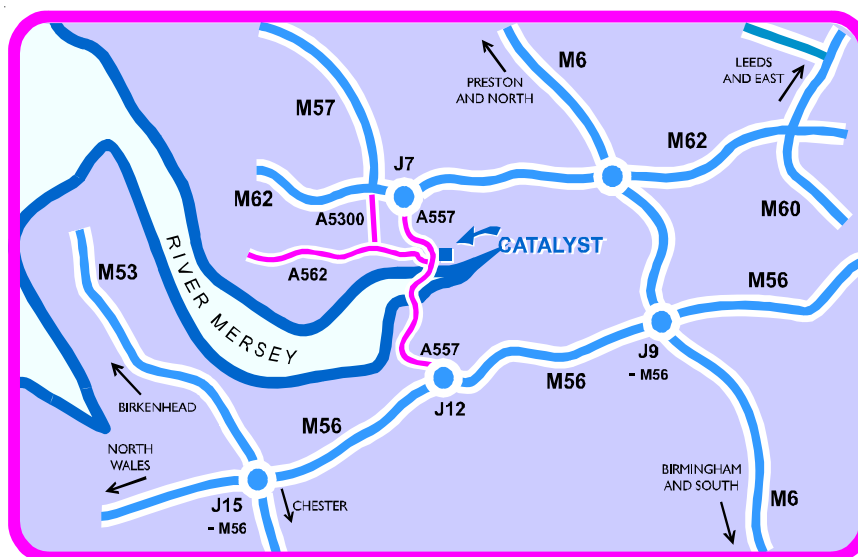
This state-of-the-art laboratory can be hired for workshop sessions or training events. The room hire rate includes a member of Catalyst staff to be on hand and help with demonstrations or lead workshop sessions. Please ring for more details.



# location



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Catalyst is located in Widnes, Cheshire just minutes from the Runcorn/Widnes bridge. It is easily accessible from junction 7 M62 or junction 12 M56. Follow signs to Widnes and then the brown and white tourism signs.

There is a large free car park.

Within easy reach are Liverpool and Manchester Airports and city centres and Runcorn railway station is a short taxi ride away.

See next page for more detailed map