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HAGLEY HALL  
ME LONDON  
NEWBURY RACECOURSE  
THE MUNICIPAL LIVERPOOL**

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**Kent**

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**SANDRA HEYWORTH**  
Sales Manager

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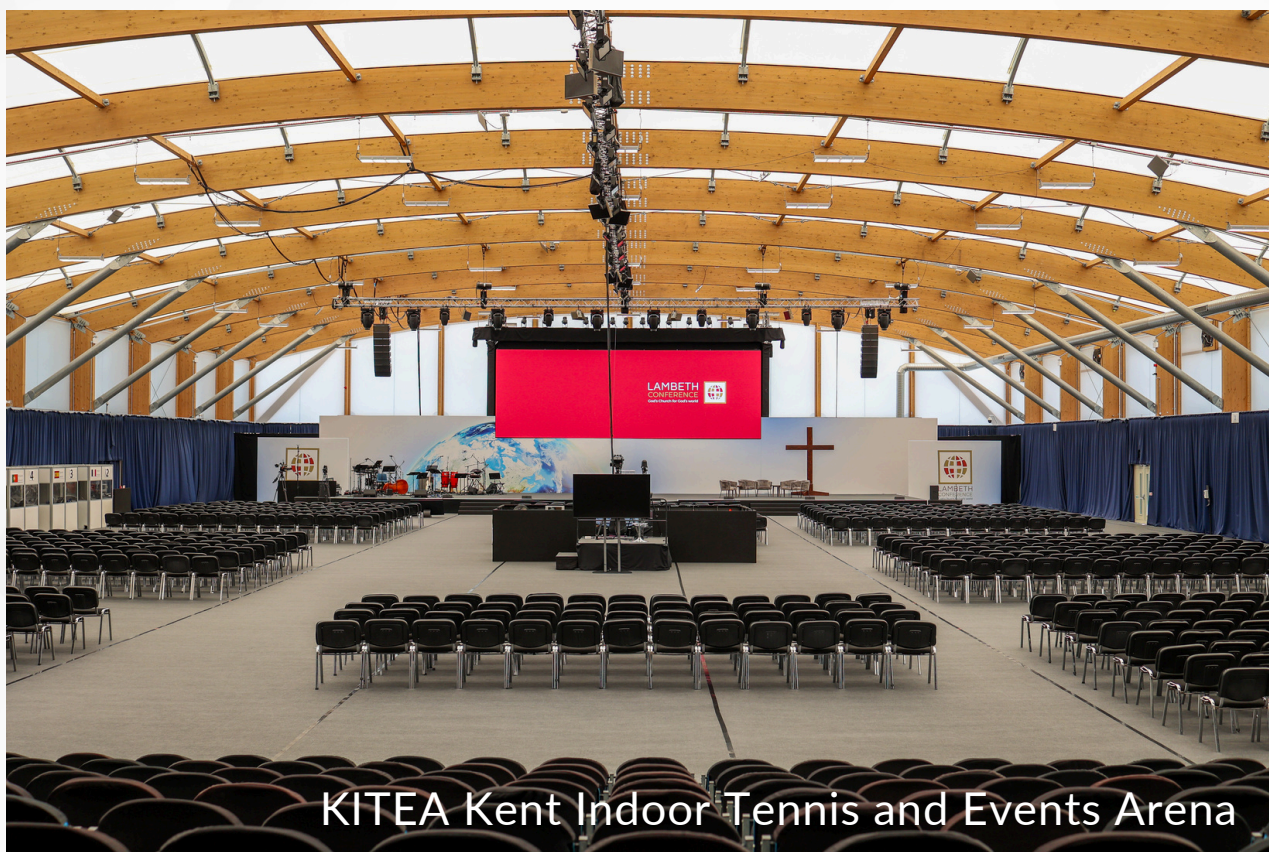




**Hi Sandra, give us a quick overview of your fabulous venue**

Set in over 300-acres of beautiful parkland overlooking the historic city of Canterbury, the University of Kent is the ideal setting for indoor or outdoor events.

With over 150 flexible conference and events spaces, and on-site catering and accommodation, we can accommodate a wide range of events accommodating up to 4,000 delegates in KITEA (Kent Indoor Tennis and Events Arena) - read more [HERE](#)



KITEA Kent Indoor Tennis and Events Arena

**Tell us a bit about your role.**

My role as Sales Manager involves working with our experienced conference and events team to promote the wonderful vast conference and event facilities on our beautiful campus to local and national clients.





## Why are you such a good option for event planners to consider?

Our Conference and Events team has over 30 years experience delivering exceptional events to our clients. We offer event management services that allow us to support our clients with every aspect of their event, from the initial stages to on-the-day.



**150+ EVENT SPACES  
AVAILABLE TO HIRE**

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**Kent** | Conferences  
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Our range of event spaces, vast accommodation and catering options allow us to meet our client's needs. Over the years, we have worked with small to large conferences, groups and language schools who return year after year.

## What's new with you guys?

We are now offering comfortable, 4-star Visit England campus-graded B&B accommodation on our Canterbury campus. We have double en-suite rooms available from £70 per night. Guests can enjoy complimentary Wi-Fi, parking and a delicious Full English Breakfast.







We love to share our beautiful campus with guests and welcome hundreds of holidaymakers and business travellers every year. Whether you're a solo traveller or part of a group, we have a range of rooms available to suit your needs.

Contact Sandra & find out more about hosting an event at the University of Kent here...





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**HAGLEY  
HALL**

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**ALISON PLANT**

Head of Commercial Operations

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## Hi Alison, give us a quick overview of your fabulous venue

Built with entertaining in mind, Hagley Hall is home to the Lyttelton family and is a stunning, 18th century Palladian mansion. We offer events services to corporate and private clients, in which we combine a picturesque setting, steeped in history with five-star hospitality and sustainably sourced, outstanding cuisine.

## Tell us a bit about your role.

I'm now in my tenth year working for Lyttelton Enterprises and I've been promoted from General Manager to Head of Commercial Operations.



I'm responsible for developing and expanding current services to the Hagley group of hospitality enterprises, including Hagley Hall, Hagley Golf Club and Hagley Park and Visitor Centre - with overall responsibility for hospitality operations, delivery, sales and marketing.





## **Why are you such a good option for event planners to consider?**

Hosting your event at Hagley Hall, guarantees undivided attention and service from all our team. Between us, we have over 40 years of experience in organising and managing events, so you can relax in the knowledge, that you will always have a safe pair of hands to guide you throughout the planning process and on the day itself.

We offer a dedicated Head Chef and in-house catering team that understand the importance of using local, highest quality, seasonal produce and some of our ingredients are home grown and sourced from our estate.

Whether you wish to create an intimate atmosphere or simply add a few final touches to our exquisite State Rooms, we have ideas for every kind of occasion, whether it be a product launch, conference, activity day, awards ceremony or celebration.

For larger occasions, we can assist with two marquee sites for up to 1000 guests, plenty of on-site parking and the Hall as your perfect backdrop.

## **What's new with you guys?**

One of the Midlands' best kept secrets is nestled in the heart of the Hagley Hall Estate, with 350 acres of tranquil Worcestershire countryside, owned by the 12th Viscount Cobham and is known as Hagley Park.



After years of caring restoration, and having reopened to the public in Summer 2023, our Grade 1 listed parkland has something for everyone to enjoy, we offer Woodland Wellbeing Walks or activity days for our corporate clients.



Whether you are interested in history, wildlife or health and wellness for your delegates, our scenic guided walks are the perfect antidote to a busy team meeting, conference or away day.

Contact Alison & find out more about Hagley Hall here...





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**ME**  
LONDON

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My team and I take a hands-on, creative approach—listening, collaborating, and delivering with precision. From first enquiry to final applause, we ensure every event is seamless, personal, and unforgettable.

**MARIA DOMINGUEZ**  
Director of Sales

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**Hi Maria, give us a quick overview of your fabulous venue**

ME London offers 500sqm of sleek event space with a soaring 4m ceiling, hosting up to 260 guests. Perfect for product launches, corporate events, and brand activations—we've even fit a small aircraft inside!

**Tell us a bit about your role.**

As Director of Sales at ME London, I'm passionate about building real connections and bringing clients' visions to life. My team and I take a hands-on, creative approach—listening, collaborating, and delivering with precision. From first enquiry to final applause, we ensure every event is seamless, personal, and unforgettable.



**Why are you such a good option for event planners to consider?**

ME London is the ideal choice for event planners seeking unique, high-impact venues. Our flexible spaces, including the iconic RADIO Rooftop, are perfect for everything from brand activations to exclusive events. With exceptional service and bespoke group stays, we craft experiences that captivate and inspire.





The penthouse offers an exclusive setting for intimate gatherings, featuring the building's original dome with 360-degree views of London's skyline.

As part of Meliá Hotels, we bring Spanish warmth and global expertise, ensuring flawless execution and a lasting impression. It's why top brands and creatives return—because at ME London, events go beyond expectations.

### **What's new with you guys?**

ME London offers an immersive sensory experience, with striking architecture designed by Norman Foster and a rich history.



The Marconi Lounge pays tribute to Marconi House, where the BBC's first broadcast took place, adding a unique touch to events. Our 500sqm of flexible event space, prime Covent Garden location, and close transport links provide the perfect setting for memorable gatherings.

The experience extends across our three in-house restaurants and is enhanced by our partnership with Somerset House. With breathtaking views from RADIO Rooftop and tailored service, we create unforgettable events that engage the senses and leave a lasting impact.

Contact Maria & find out more about ME London here...





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**PHOEBE COPPELL**

Conference and Events Sales Executive

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## Hi Phoebe, give us a quick overview of your fabulous venue

Our unique, multi-purpose event spaces and function rooms are the ideal setting for a vast range of events, conferences, exhibitions and celebrations. Set within the idyllic location of Newbury Racecourse, these spectacular spaces offer a memorable setting for a wide variety of events.

## Tell us a bit about your role.

As a Conference & Events Executive, I manage new event enquiries, coordinate show rounds and build relationships with event agencies and clients. The team and I excel in providing tailored proposals that strive to meet each client's needs. We prioritise communication, ensuring we offer exceptional support from start to finish.



## Why are you such a good option for event planners to consider?

Our venue is situated in the heart of Berkshire. We are just a short walk from Newbury Racecourse train station, with direct trains to Reading & London Paddington. Plus, we are only a 15-minute drive to the M4 corridor.





With panoramic views of the racecourse from every event space, it offers a stunning backdrop for conferences, team building days and private events. Our versatile, blank canvas spaces can be tailored to any event style. Plus, by partnering with Levy Catering, we provide exceptional conference and event menus that enhance every experience.

Whether it's a corporate gathering or a social celebration, we ensure your event is memorable and seamlessly executed

### **What's new with you guys?**

Newbury Racecourse offers a unique and versatile setting for conferences and events, combining expansive outdoor spaces with modern meeting facilities.



Flexible event spaces and premium catering options ensure seamless hosting for any occasion, from corporate summer parties to large-scale conferences.

The venue now accommodates meetings for a minimum of 40 people, offering a more intimate setting compared to its previous minimum numbers of 100. This makes it an ideal space for focused discussions, networking, and team-building.

With stunning views, easy accessibility, and ample parking, Newbury Racecourse provides an exceptional environment that blends elegance, energy, and functionality for any event.

Contact Phoebe & find out more about Newbury Racecourse here...





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## THE MUNICIPAL

HOTEL & SPA

MGALLERY LIVERPOOL

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**LEANNE HARRAD**

Commercial Director - Sales & Marketing

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## **Hi Leanne, give us a quick overview of your fabulous venue**

The Municipal Hotel & Spa – MGallery Liverpool is a luxurious 5-star hotel in the heart of the city, ideal for residential conferences of 40-60 people. We provide personalised, attentive service, ensuring your event is the sole focus. This exclusive setting guarantees a refined, tailored experience for every guest.

## **Tell us a bit about your role.**

I began my role as Commercial Director of Sales and Marketing in January 2024, embarking on an exciting journey. It's been an incredible experience building a team and establishing our presence in the city's luxury events and travel market, marking a new chapter of growth and opportunity



## **Why are you such a good option for event planners to consider?**

We're a top choice for event planners because we offer a perfect blend of a stunning venue, dedicated team, and exceptional service. Our team's expertise ensures smooth execution from start to finish, while our venue combines historic charm with modern luxury.





Clients keep coming back because of our personalised approach, exclusive spaces, and flexibility to accommodate any event, big or small.

We focus on delivering tailored experiences that exceed expectations, making each event unique and memorable. With attention to detail and a commitment to excellence, we guarantee a seamless and unforgettable experience every time.

### **What's new with you guys?**

We're thrilled to offer exclusive use of our Palm Court Bar, a high-end and memorable space for groups of up to 450 people.



Perfect for corporate gatherings, celebrations, or any occasion that calls for a grand atmosphere, the Palm Court Bar ensures an unforgettable experience.



Blending historic charm with modern luxury, The Municipal Hotel & Spa – MGallery Liverpool provides an unparalleled experience for those seeking a truly prestigious and memorable event.

Contact Leanne & find out more about The Municipal Hotel & Spa – MGallery Liverpool here...







## 2025 DW on the Road educational events: The Future of Events - **NEXT EVENT: Thurs 20 March 2025**

In conjunction with our Educational Partners, **Lime Venue Portfolio**, The Delegate Wranglers will be running a number of education events throughout the UK, talking about all the latest hot topics, relating to the future of events, including AI, sustainability, content creation, employment, latest trends, and tons of other subjects

[🔗](#) Register your interest **HERE** in attending this fantastic educational event in Birmingham

Who's it for? Event Managers, Travel Managers, Procurement, Event Co-ordinators, Sales Directors, HR or training in title, Exhibition organisers, Professional conference organisers, Freelance event managers

PLEASE NOTE: These events are for event managers / event buyers only. Apologies, there aren't any supplier places for this one.







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