Venue Rental Agreement

Scope of Agreement

This Rental Agreement is between the Regents of the University of California, on behalf of the University of California, San Diego and Scripps Institution of Oceanography, herein referred to as “Regents”) and , hereinafter referred to as “Client.” The purpose of this Agreement is to define the obligations of both parties pertaining to the rental of the Regents’ special events venue(s) described in the enclosed Attachment.

The venue described in Attachment has been reserved for you for the date and time stipulated. Please note that the hours assigned to your event include all set up and all clean up, including the set up and clean up of all subcontractors that you may use. It is understood you will adhere to and follow the terms of this Agreement, and you will be responsible for any damage to the premises and site, including the behavior of your guests, invitees, agents or sub-contractors resulting from your use of venue.

You are responsible for providing a list of all vendors to the Regents’ Special Event Manager four (4) weeks prior to your event. In addition to the Certificate of Insurance you will be providing as the Client, you are also responsible for providing Regents with valid certificates of insurance with the proper amounts of coverage for all sub-contractors that you are using for your event. These sub-contractors include, but are not limited to, caterers, valets, performers, photographers, entertainment, equipment rentals (tables/chairs/tents, etc.), florists, decorators, sound and lighting technicians, etc. All sub-contractors not affiliated with UCSD must have a certificate of insurance, naming “The Regents of the University of California” as additional insured. In addition, each sub-contractor’s certificate of insurance must include a separate endorsement naming “The Regents of the University of California” as an additional insured.

Fees and Deposits

The rental fee and terms for your specific venue(s) are described on the enclosed Attachment(s). The total fee is due three (3) weeks prior to your event.

Upon receipt of this contract, a 25% deposit of the total rental fee is due to hold the venue for your event. Please send your signed Agreement and deposit to:

Scripps Venue Rentals
9500 Gilman Drive #0210
La Jolla, CA  92093-0210

Each deposit is non-refundable and non-transferable. If cancellation occurs within the last three weeks of the event, the full value of the event fees will be withheld.
Insurance

Proof of liability insurance is required and due four (4) weeks prior to your event. You may provide evidence of your own insurance company or you may use the Regents’ insurance company. If you purchase insurance through the Regents, the amount will be determined upon completion and approval of your application. Please speak to an Event Manager to receive insurance information.

You can mail the certificate of insurance and endorsement to the Special Events Department at the address above or FAX to (858)-822-2718 with “Attention: Special Events.”

Levels of Insurance Required

The Client is responsible for providing a Certificate of Insurance and endorsement for themselves (and separate certificates and endorsements for each sub-contractor being used) at the following minimum levels:

1) Commercial Liability Insurance for a minimum of $1,000,000 per occurrence and $2,000,000 aggregate;

2) Auto Liability Insurance of $1,000,000 combined single limit (for vendors); and

3) Workers compensation plus $1,000,000 minimum employer’s liability limit (for vendors).

4) Naming “The Regents of the University of California” as additional insured is also required.

Client assumes full responsibility and liability for any and all damages to the Regents’ venue and surrounding site.

Indemnity

In addition, Client agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Regents, its officers, staff and agents working on its behalf, from any and all claims, actions, suits, costs, damages, and liabilities resulting from the breach of this Agreement, the negligent actions, willful misconduct or omissions of Client, and Client’s guests, invitees, agents and sub-contractors.

Event Set-up Limitations

All property belonging to Client, Client’s invitees, guests, agents and sub-contractors, and all equipment shall be delivered, set up and removed on the day of the event. Should the client need earlier access for set-up purposes, this can be arranged for an additional fee. The Client is ultimately responsible for property belonging to the Client’s invitees, guests, agents and sub-contractors.
• All Regents venues are non-smoking facilities.
• No rice, rose petals, birdseed, confetti, glitter, floating sky lanterns, fire pits, tiki torches or sparklers are allowed on the premises.
• Lights or other decorations may not be attached to the palm trees or other landscaping.
• Cooking with oil (includes independent donut or churro vendors) may only be done in the driveway of the Scripps Seaside Forum and is not permitted inside the building or outside patios/lawn.
• All decorations must be approved by a Regents Special Events Manager.

Caterers

The Regents has a list of approved caterers to choose from. We require you to select a caterer(s) from this list. **No caterer can be used that is not on this list.** Each caterer on this list is familiar with the Regents’ venues, rules and regulations. Each caterer provides excellent food and exceptional service. Each one of these approved caterers carries the Regents’ required liability insurance and health permits. They offer a variety of menus and price ranges.

Cooking with oil (includes independent donut or churro vendors) may only be done in the driveway of the Scripps Seaside Forum and is not permitted inside the building or outside patios/lawn.

Meetings that take place Monday through Friday between the hours of 7 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. are required to use Giuseppe Fine Catering or UCSD Catering as the caterer.

Behind The Scenes Catering 858-638-1400 www.btsscenes.com
Buckboard Catering 858-748-1617 www.buckboardsd.com
Carriage Trade Catering 858-621-5151 www.premiercarriagetrade.com
Coast-Catering by Barry Layne 877-577-1718 www.coastcatering.com
Continental Catering 619-698-3500 www.continentalcateringsd.com
Crown Point Catering 619-223-1211 www.crownpointcatering.com
Culinary Concepts 858-530-1885 www.cateringspecialist.com
The French Gourmet 858-488-1725 www.thefrenchgourmet.com
Giuseppe Fine Catering* 858-581-2205 www.giuseppecatering.com
Pamplemousse Grille 858-792-9090 www.pgrille.com
Piatti Restaurant 858-454-1589 www.piatti.com/lajolla/
Terra Restaurant 619-993-1437 www.terracatering.com/Catering
UCSD Catering 858-534-3688 www.catering.ucsd.edu
Urban Kitchen 619-239-2222 www.urbankitchengroup.com
Waters Fine Catering 619-276-8803 www.waterscatering.com

*Caroline’s Seaside Café Operator
Alcohol Control

The managing and distribution of alcohol at your event is required to be performed by Giuseppe Fine Catering. Please contact Giuseppe Beverage Services at 858-581-2205 or ssfbar@giuseppecatering.com for more information.

Client’s guests that appear to be thirty (30) years of age or under shall be carded by the bartending service, therefore, they must have either a valid drivers license or valid picture ID.

Security

The Regents, at their sole discretion, may mandate that additional security personnel are assigned to your event, which may involve additional fees over and above your facility rental fee. One guard is included in your contract to enforce Scripps Seaside Forum policies.

Tobacco and Smoke-Free Venue

UCSD, along with all the UC campuses, became a tobacco and smoke-free campus in January 2014. This means that smoking, use of smokeless tobacco products, the use of unregulated nicotine products and the use of electronic smoking devices is strictly prohibited on all University controlled properties. This includes the Scripps Seaside Forum, our surrounding streets and parking lots. Under state law, public colleges and universities can determine if they want to fine violators and, if so, the amount of the fine; not to exceed $100.

https://wellness.ucsd.edu/studenthealth/resources/health-topics/Pages/smoke-free.aspx

Clean Up

Client shall be responsible for returning the venue to the state that it was provided to them. All property belonging to Client, Client’s invitees, guests, agents and sub-contractors, shall be removed by the end of the rental period. All property remaining on the premises beyond the end of the rental agreement will be charged $500 per hour. Should the client need special consideration for the removal of property beyond the rental period, this can be arranged prior to the beginning of the event for an additional fee. Regents are not responsible for any property left behind by Client, Client’s guests, invitees, agents and sub-contractors. Items left behind will not be stored.

The Client is responsible for any and all damages to Regents’ venues and surrounding site. Regents shall do a general clean up of the venue at the conclusion of the event, however it is the Client’s responsibility to remove all decorations.

Event Staff

Regents’ Special Events Manager will be accessible throughout your event. The manager will ensure that the venue and surrounding site are ready for your event, and will meet with you prior to the beginning of your event. The manager will be accessible to you at anytime during your
event, and a contact number will be given to you to reach the manager if they are away from the venue. The manager will meet with you again to coordinate the ending of your event.

**Force Majeure**

The ability to execute this Agreement by either party is subject to the Acts of God, including but not limited to hurricanes, flooding, earthquakes, fires, power outages, etc, as well as any government intervention, staff disputes and strikes, civil disorders, terrorism, or other emergencies. Should the event be canceled through a Force Majeure event, all fees paid by Client to Regents will be returned to Client within thirty (30) days.

**Publicity/Use of Name and Logo**

Client shall not use the name of the Regents, any trade name, service mark, trademarks, acronym or logo of Regent in any publicity releases, advertising or any other publication without Regents’ prior written consent.

**Authorization**

The person(s) signing the Agreement on behalf of the parties each warrant that they are authorized to make agreements and to bind their principals to this Agreement.

**Acceptance**

Upon signing of this Agreement, a fully executed agreement will be in force.

I/we have read the above and accept the terms therein:

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Client Signature  
Printed Name  
Date

Regents Signature  
Printed Name  
Date

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All checks should be made payable to:

**UC Regents**

Please return the entire signed rental agreement, all attachments and initial deposit to:

Scripps Venue Rentals
9500 Gilman Drive #0210
La Jolla, CA  92093-0210
Attachment A

Venue Rental Agreement

The Robert Paine Scripps Forum
for
Science, Society and the Environment

Name of Client: 

Type of Event:  Wedding

Date of Event: 

Time of Event:  2:00pm-11:00pm
(Includes set-up & tear down time; Event must end by 10:00pm)

You have selected the following venues for your event within the Scripps Forum:

$4,750.00  Samuel H. Scripps Auditorium – $4,750

$1,200.00  Edward W. “Ted” Scripps II Conference Room – $1,200

$950.00  Robert P. Scripps II Conference Room - $950

$850.00  Margaret Scripps Buzzelli & Nackey Scripps Loeb Conference Room - $850

$750.00  Charles E. Scripps Conference Room – $750

$4,750.00  Additional Hours, Special Arrangement/Use Fees

$4,750.00  Total Event Cost

$1,187.50  Deposit Due (25% of Total Event Cost)
Attachment B

Terms & Conditions

The Robert Paine Scripps Forum
for
Science, Society and the Environment

Parking Access

Your contract does not include parking. Included below is information for both weekday and weekend events. In order to provide parking for your guests, a parking plan is required 30 days prior to your event. An event manager will be able to assist with this plan. Event registration shall include directions for parking, as well as, describe shuttle operations and public transit service. Event attendees are requested not to park on nearby City streets and at Kellogg Park, which are intended for use by neighborhood residents and beach visitors.

Weekday Events (Excluding Holidays)
Parking at the Scripps Seaside Forum is extremely limited Monday through Friday, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. and only 10 permits will be provided at a rate of $8 per permit. After 4:30 p.m. parking can be arranged Monday through Friday in Parking Lots 002 and 003 subject to availability. There is a setup fee of $42.25 in order to reserve the parking lots after 4:30 p.m. and spaces are $4 per space used. A lot attendant must be present to hand out permits to your guests at a rate of $35 per hour.

Weekend and Holiday Parking
Parking can be arranged on weekends and holidays in Parking Lots 001, 002, 003, 007, 008 and 016 subject to availability. Event parking in Lots 002 and 003 is limited to 16 spaces and spaces are $4 per space used. Additional parking may be available at the Aquarium parking lot (Lot 017) and the UC San Diego main campus (Lots 102 and 103), with shuttle service contracted through UC San Diego Transportation Services for an additional fee. A lot attendant must be present to hand out permits to your guests at a rate of $48 per hour. Guests that arrive before the scheduled attendant must be notified to pick up a permit from your event manager or they will be ticketed.

Music

Due to the close proximity of the Scripps Seaside Forum to the local residential neighborhood, strict sound restrictions are in place. Although music (both live and recorded) is allowed, the music must be contained at an acceptable sound level so as not to disturb the local surrounding area. Music may be played outside of your venue, up to a decibel level of 75 until 8 p.m., but must be contained inside the building after 8 p.m. South doors to the main auditorium may not be propped open after 8 p.m. while music is being played. Your Special Events Manager will assist
you in setting the proper sound level and verifying with a decibel meter. Sound levels indoors may also be played up to 75 decibels. Bands may be set up inside the main auditorium or on the south side of the lobby only. Any complaints from neighbors or other parties shall require these levels to be reduced further.

**Public Access**

Unlike conventional hotels or private venues, the Scripps Seaside Forum is part of a public university. Although the Regents grant permission for access to campus property, the reality of the matter is that the general public has free access. The Scripps Forum is a unique venue as it sits on campus property along the border of a public beach. The Scripps campus and the beach are open to the public for access 24 hours a day/7 days a week. The Scripps Seaside Forum is considered an open venue as well. With that said, there are controls that can be put into place that will redirect the public around your event. This may require additional security and other means that may involve additional fees over and above your facility fee. Your Special Events Manager can discuss these options with you.

**Caroline’s Seaside Cafe**

Caroline’s Seaside Café sits upstairs, above the main auditorium. This café is open to the public and will be open Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Saturday through Sunday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. After the café is closed for the day your guests will have access to the upstairs terrace. There are controls that can be put into place that will redirect the public away from your event. This may require additional security and other means that may involve additional fees over and above your facility fee. Your Special Events Manager can discuss these options with you.

**Alcohol**

Your primary rental agreement details the provisions you must follow when serving alcohol. The following information pertains to the Scripps Seaside Forum:

No alcohol may leave the premises of the Scripps Seaside Forum. Alcohol may be consumed in outside areas of the Forum complex – which includes patios and grass areas. Alcohol may not be taken onto Kennel Way, which is the street that runs along the east-side of the Scripps Seaside Forum. Further, alcohol is banned anywhere on San Diego beaches by local authorities.
A one-day certificate of insurance naming The Regents of The University of California is **mandatory** to rent any Scripps venue. Please read the following requirements from the University of California San Diego (UCSD) Risk Management Office:

**Certificate Requirements**

A certificate of insurance with The Regents of The University of California as Certificate Holder.

General Liability Insurance-$1,000,000 per occurrence and $2,000,000 aggregate.

**FOR VENDORS ONLY:**

If Business Vehicle used on campus: Auto Liability Insurance-$1,000,000 per occurrence.

Workers’ Compensation Coverage for Vendors only.

Address: 9500 Gilman Dr. Dept. 0210 La Jolla, CA 92093-0210.

A SEPARATE endorsement naming The Regents of The University of California as additional insured (i.e. CG20 26 or CG 20 24 or comparable).

Should you choose to hire any outside vendors for your event, i.e., musicians, photographers, florists, entertainers, etc., a one-day certificate of insurance naming The Regents of the University of California as additionally insured is **mandatory** as well. Certificates of insurance are not needed for the catering companies as those certificates of insurance are on file with the university.

Any questions regarding the above, please call Scripps Venue Rentals at 858-534-5604.

I understand the above Certificate Requirements of The Regents of The University of California.

**Signature:** _______________________________  **Date:** __________________

**Event Name:** _______________________________  **Event Date:** ______________

This form must be signed and returned with your contract.