

Cultural space for exhibitions, lectures and workshops where creativity and the humanities come together

Binnengasthuisstraat 9, 1012 ZA Amsterdam

BG3 - Ground Floor

Faculty of Humanities

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 9.30 a.m. - 6 p.m.

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Welcome to VOX-POP!

VOX-POP has its own programming (residencies, the CLOSE-UP series, ArtiShock) and also facilitates events for students, employees, alumni and external partners.

For an overview of our programme, visit our website (voxpop.uva.nl) and sign up for our newsletter to stay informed!



VOX-POP shares its space with:

Students, residents, teachers and other partners can use the VOX-POP space for free. If an event meets the following conditions, it is eligible for co-hosting:

- The programme is open to the public
- The programme is accessible free of charge
- The programme has a link with the humanities
- The programme is cultural: attention is dedicated to culture, art, heritage or creative expression
- The programme is polyphonic: there is room for various perspectives and it contributes to a nuanced and dynamic understanding of the central topics

NB:

- VOX-POP does not host meetings for political purposes and/or the purpose of convincing visitors of political views
- VOX-POP does not host drinks or meetings without creative or academic component

Co-hosting means that we pay for the opening costs, think with you about the content and execution program, are present to provide technical support and draw attention to the programme through our website and social media.

It is still possible to use the space for closed cultural programs, but then the costs for the opening and facility resources must be covered by the applicant. VOX-POP is only by exception available for non-cultural events for the departments in BG3.



Capacity

At VOX-POP there is room for a maximum of 100 people when the chairs are not in use. In this standing setup, the stage is still free.

There is room for up to 70 seated visitors. There are 42 permanent chairs in the room. If more chairs are needed, we can bring them from the basement and other rooms on the ground floor of BG3.

AV-options and other facilities

The room has a large screen and a projector, which can be connected with an HDMI cable. There are speakers (connected to the projector), that can be turned on via a laptop that is connected to the projector. You must bring your own laptop, as well as an adapter if the laptop does not have an HDMI connection. There is a clicker. The lights are managed by the doorman. Unfortunately, they are not dimmable.

When not in use by the VOX-POP team, the following facilities can be used in consultation:

- 3 headphones with cord
- Splitter for headphones
- 1 smaller screen
- 3 sandwich boards (A2) that can used to show posters

Other facilities:

- Chalkboard + markers
- Large coat rack
- 4 separate tables on wheels
- Portable bar without running water
- Fridge without freezer
- 7 pouffes
- 1 sofa (3 seats)
- 1 lectern
- There are two wireless microphones. The microphones use AA batteries, if they are empty they must be replaced. Please always take batteries with you.
- 2 extension cords
- Black window blinds behind the stage
- Signs referring to the bathrooms
- Signs asking passers-by to be quiet



Points of attention

- The shape of the room: there are hardly any straight walls in the space. This makes it an accessible and friendly environment, but it can be challenging if you want to exhibit something, for example.
- Lighting: the lamps cannot be operated manually.
 They are not dimmable or movable.
- The stage is not wheelchair accessible.
- The space is located between the offices of employees of the Faculty of Humanities. This means that there can sometimes be noise when the room is used during the day. The space is also not closed off from the rest of the building.
- Opening hours: if the programme starts after 6 p.m. or lasts after 7 p.m., an opening must be requested. If the event is not a cultural program with students as its target audience, the costs for this opening must be covered by the applicant. No events can take place during the weekends.





Food and drinks

We share the dishwasher with all employees of the offices in BG3 and there are no facilities for hand washing. That is why it is advisable to rent glasses or purchase cups when an event includes drinks.

When it comes to catering, there are two options: Own catering: In the case of delivery from, for example, Albert Heijn or an external caterer, please consult us carefully when delivery can take place.

Catering via the university: Please place your order with Cirfood yourself. Make sure to consult us carefully when delivery can take place. If ordering from Cirfood: take a photo of any unconsumed drinks after the event. This way you can check whether the quantities have been invoiced correctly.

Alcohol may be only be consumed after 5 p.m.





