



# BELLAGIO THEATER

Las Vegas, Nevada, USA

**Client** Mirage Resorts  
Cirque du Soleil

**Capacity** 1,800 seats

**Area** 155,300 ft<sup>2</sup>

**Cost** US \$ 54M

**Inauguration** 1998

## Scéno Plus Mandate

Architectural Concept

Theatre Design

Design of Technical Infrastructures and  
Specialized Equipment Systems

Acoustics

Construction Follow-Up

## Award

Award of Technical Merit Eddy  
Entertainment Design Award

The Bellagio Theatre is part of the casino-hotel of the same name, the most romantic and luxurious in Las Vegas. The theatre, designed for Cirque du Soleils aquatic show O, is absolutely unique, from its baroque-inspired architecture, to its aquatic stage and dragonfly-wing cupola.

The stage is a deep pool equipped with 5 hydraulic elevators that allow it to be modified



from a conventional stage to a 1.4 million gallon pool. The immense metallic trellis of the cupola roof permits infinite lighting possibilities. A large opening in the centre of the cupola makes it possible to present acrobatics directly over the heads of the audience.

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