

# BELLAGIO THEATRE

LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, USA



## AWARD

Award of Technical Merit  
Eddy Entertainment Design Award

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Client	Mirage Resorts / Cirque du Soleil
Capacity	1800 seats
Area	155,300 square feet
Cost	US\$ 54 M
Inauguration	1998

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 Soleil's 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.