Building Cultural Excellence Together

a catalogue of artistic and cultural services

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THE PARIS OPERA



1) ABOUT US

The Paris Opera : 350 years of artistic excellence

The Paris Opera is a unique cultural institution, where **opera, ballet, education, craftsmanship and artistic innovation** come together under one roof.

Founded in the 17th century, it welcomes nearly 900,000 spectators each year and presents more than 400 performances across its venues, the Palais Garnier and Opéra Bastille. Guided by a commitment to artistic excellence and transmission, the Paris Opera preserves and celebrates its rich heritage while continually reinventing itself through a unique balance between classical repertoire and contemporary creation.

A unique artistic ecosystem

What makes the Paris Opera exceptional is its fully integrated model. More than 1,500 professionals, across over 180 disciplines, contribute to every stage of creation, from artistic conception and training to production and performance.

The institution encompasses :

- The **Paris Opera Ballet** and its internationally renowned French style
- The **Paris Opera Ballet School**, training future generations of dancers
- The **Paris Opera Academy**, supporting emerging artists and audience development
- Extensive in-house workshops and technical teams dedicated to the creation of costumes and sets, preserving rare artistic crafts and stage expertise.

KEY FIGURES



350+ years of history



1,500+ employees and collaborators



900,000+ spectators annually



1.2 million visitors to the Palais Garnier



180+ professions represented



1.75 million social media followers

2) OUR SERVICES

The Paris Opera develops **tailor-made cultural partnerships** designed to support artistic development, institutional growth and international outreach.

Training programs

Short and long-term programs led by Paris Opera experts for students, teachers and professionals in :

- Dance
- Music and vocal arts
- Artistic crafts
- Technical stage professions







Consulting & Advisory Services

The Paris Opera supports cultural institutions in areas such as :

- Artistic programming
- Training and transmission
- Diversification of ressources
- Facilities and infrastructure

Each project is adapted to the partner's objectives and local context.

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Marion Barbeau in Forsythe's Blake Works I

Exhibitions & Events

Drawing on its exceptional artistic heritage, archives, and craftsmanship, the Paris Opera develops exhibitions and live events in collaboration with international partners. These projects may include **costume exhibitions** featuring iconic pieces from its opera and ballet productions, **immersive experiences** that bring audiences behind the scenes of the institution, as well as **touring performances** and bespoke **gala programs** showcasing artists from the Paris Opera Academy and Ballet.

Accreditation or creation of dance schools

The Paris Opera develops tailored partnerships **to support the creation of new dance schools** or the artistic and pedagogical development of existing institutions. Drawing on the expertise of the Paris Opera Ballet School and the **French method of dance training**, these collaborations may include curriculum design, teacher training, pedagogical guidance, artistic exchanges, and quality assessment.

Depending on the project, partner institutions can also benefit from an **accreditation framework** that reinforces international recognition while fostering the development of local talent.

3) WORKING WITH US

A partnership built around your needs



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Every collaboration with the Paris Opera begins with **dialogue**.

Whether your goal is to strengthen artistic excellence, develop audiences, structure an educational program or increase international visibility, our teams work closely with each partner to design a bespoke project.

Our approach



Understand
We analyse your institution, ambitions and local environment.



Co-design
Together, we develop a tailored program aligned with your objectives.



Deliver
Projects are implemented by Paris Opera artists, educators and experts.



Build long-term impact
We prioritize sustainable partnerships, knowledge transfer and ongoing collaboration.

Partnerships in action



Teatro Municipal de Santiago (Chile)
Long-term ballet education partnership focused on transmitting the French style and developing future generations of dancers.



Villa Hegra (Saudi Arabia)
Artistic performance, costume exhibition and educational activities bringing together French and Saudi artists.



Teatro Colón (Argentina)
Professional exchanges and masterclasses fostering dialogue between two leading cultural institutions.

Why partner with the Paris Opera?

Through the transmission of unique know-how and heritage, partners benefit from **the experience of one of the world's leading performing arts institutions**. Whether supporting artistic development, institutional growth or audience engagement, our initiatives contribute to enhancing international visibility and fostering sustainable development within cultural organizations.



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