



**HMS
BELFAST**

EVENTS

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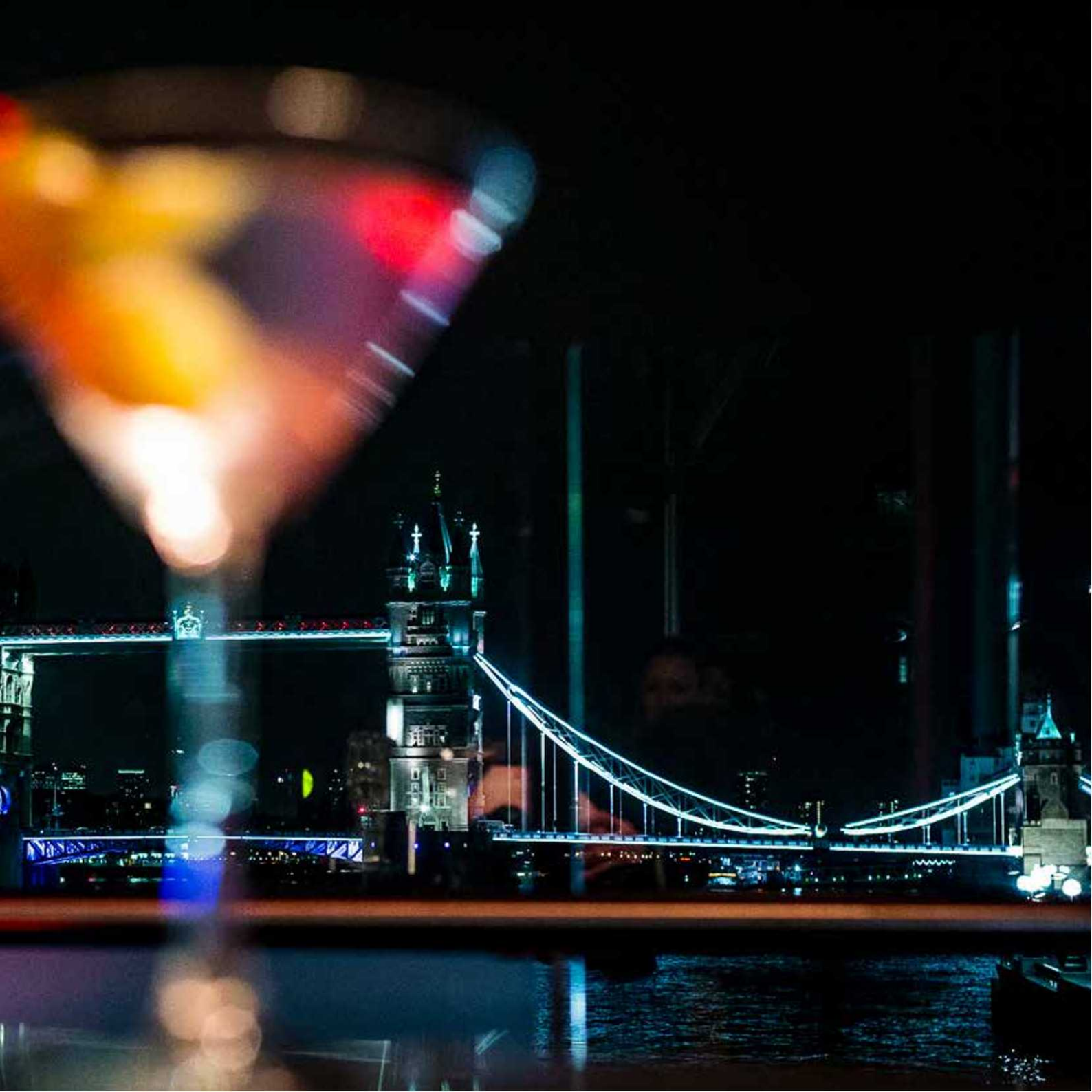
MAKE YOUR EVENT ICONIC

Steeped in history, HMS *Belfast* is an inspirational and memorable venue for private dining, meetings, product launches, wedding receptions, parties and more.

Permanently moored between London Bridge and Tower Bridge, it's the most significant surviving Second World War Royal Navy warship, offering spectacular panoramic views of London and authentically decorated rooms – each with its own individual character.

A welcoming atmosphere, first-class hospitality and dishes prepared on board by an expert team of chefs combine to make HMS *Belfast* a truly unforgettable experience for your guests.







**EVENTS TO
REMEMBER**

Private Dining

Whether you are looking to dine in the historic atmosphere of the Admiral's Quarters, the relaxed elegance of the Officers' Mess or the Ship's Company Dining Hall at the heart of the warship, the team at HMS *Belfast* is fully equipped to provide bespoke dining options and seamless service for between 15 and 144 covers.

Summer Parties and Product Launches

No space can rival the views, atmosphere and location of the majestic HMS *Belfast*. Perfect for summer events, the vessel features a host of decks with views over the Tower of London and the Gherkin, as well as drinks and food and drinks packages to suit a range of budgets.

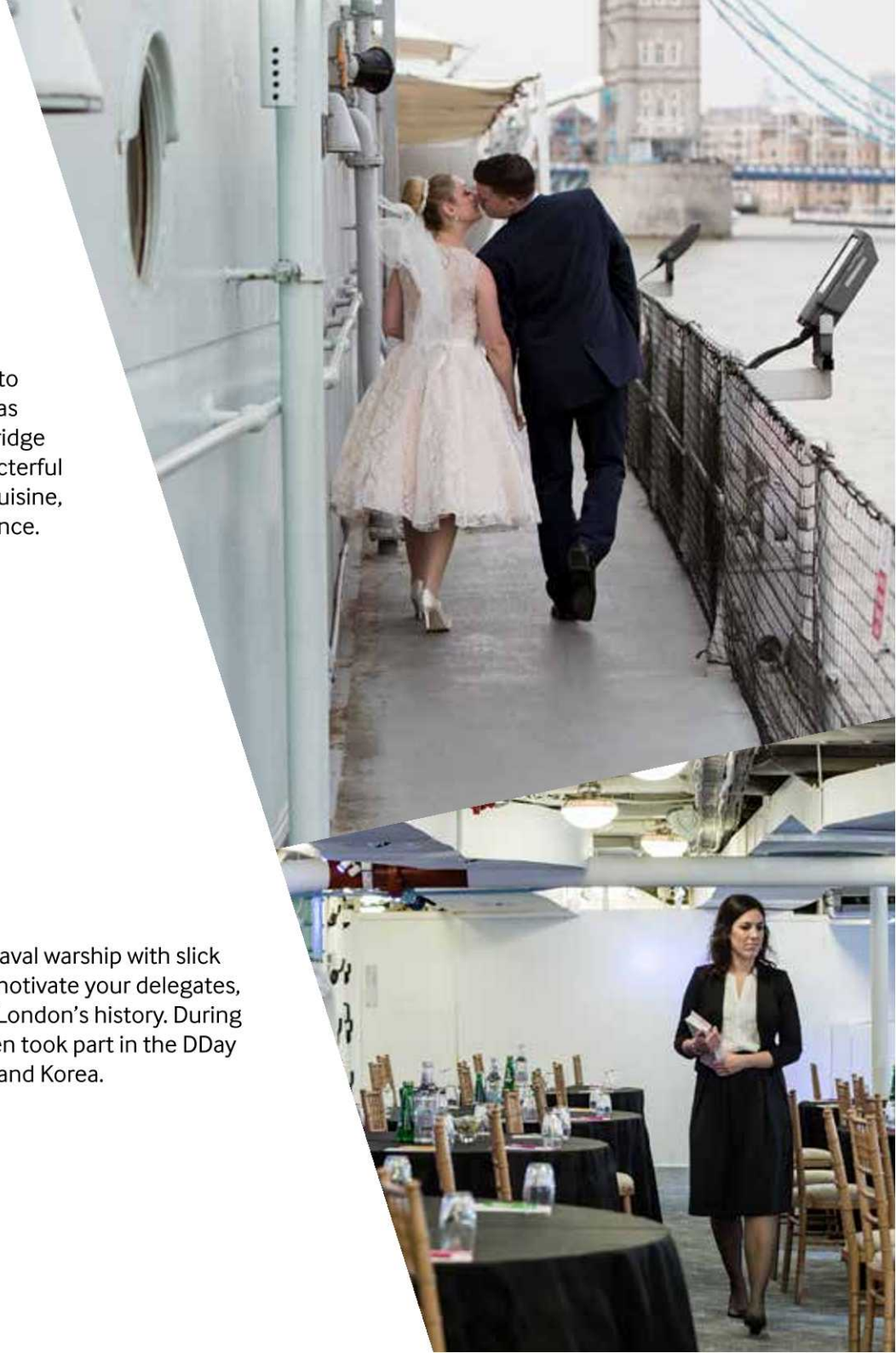


Weddings

HMS *Belfast* has two licenced rooms to choose from for ceremonies, as well as outdoor decks with views of Tower Bridge and the Shard. With an array of characterful indoor spaces and carefully crafted cuisine, this is a wedding venue with a difference.

Meetings and Conferences

Blending the historic character of a naval warship with slick service, HMS *Belfast* will inspire and motivate your delegates, placing them in the beating heart of London's history. During its 78 year history the ship and its men took part in the DDay Landings and served in the Cold War and Korea.





Location

With spectacular views of Tower Bridge, the City of London and the river Thames, HMS *Belfast* boasts excellent links to underground and over ground transport. It also benefits from its own landing stage, allowing you to transport your guests directly by river.

Private Tours

Treat your guests to a museum tour and bring the history of HMS *Belfast* to life. Discover how sailors survived in freezing conditions during the Arctic convoys as you're escorted through the ship by one of our expert guides.



The Jubilee Deck

The Jubilee Deck commemorates the Queen's Diamond Jubilee in 2012, boasting elevated views of the river Thames and its surrounding historic landmarks. It's a remarkable place to enjoy an evening BBQ or reception – particularly during the summer months.

The Boat Deck

Get the best of both worlds on the HMS *Belfast*'s Boat Deck. It is located outdoors, with a canopy and alternative indoor spaces to retreat to in poor weather. This unusual spot used to be the holding area for the small boats and where Walrus aircraft were catapulted into the air.



The Quarter Deck

There's no finer vista for an evening reception than that provided by the Quarter Deck, where guests can gaze out at Tower Bridge, the Tower of London and the Thames dockland scenes. The beautifully appointed wooden decking once played host to the officers of HMS *Belfast*, and now makes an ideal space for hosting parties and work events.

The Admiral's Quarters

Comprising the original dining room and lounge area of the Admiral's own living space, the Admiral's Quarters are the perfect spot for boardroom meetings and elegant dining. The rooms have been restored to reflect how the space would have looked during the 1950s.

The Ward & Ante Room

This stunning space, made up of two rooms, is HMS *Belfast*'s old officers' mess. The Ante room is a great choice for pre-dinner drinks and general relaxing, while the Ward Room makes for a very special dining experience.

The Morgan Giles Room

This wonderful room is named after the Admiral who served in HMS *Belfast* and who later was responsible for ensuring the vessel was saved from the scrap yard. The panelled walls echo the camaraderie that was such a vital part of life on board this great ship, making it a great place for workshops and team events today.

The Ship's Company Dining Hall

This fascinating area of the ship is where the crew would gather for their meals in days gone by. Surrounded by all the original features, including the exposed steel walls of the ship and pipework on the ceiling, the Dining Hall is an enthralling place to hold a meal for friends or colleagues.

Deck spaces include the hire of another room inside the ship, in case of wet weather.

Capacities



GREAT FOOD, MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES

IWM Events at HMS *Belfast* is managed by Levy Restaurants UK, bringing a wealth of culinary expertise and passion to this very special venue. Our talented chefs have created an extensive choice of innovative menus to suit different events on board, including private dining, receptions, weddings, conferences and parties – always making the best use of seasonal ingredients and the finest British produce.

TOM'S KITCHEN — HMS BELFAST —

Tom's Kitchen, the group of restaurants and delis founded by chef Tom Aikens, has launched a new deli and bar at the visitor center of HMS *Belfast*, delivering a new culinary destination to the bustling riverside scene. The new quayside venue includes a 60-cover rooftop bar. The space has a fresh and contemporary feel with spectacular views of the River Thames and the surrounding London landmarks. The bar, open until late, is available for social occasions, parties and networking events, serving up wines, cocktails, craft beers and a selection of nibbles. It is part covered and part open air, allowing the guests an al-fresco spot in a stunning location.



DISCOVER OUR VENUE PORTFOLIO

IWM North designed by world renowned architect Daniel Libeskind, this striking, modern venue is on Manchester's quayside opposite MediaCity UK.

Entertain with a difference at Churchill War Rooms. The actual site hidden beneath Westminster, where Winston Churchill and his War Cabinet led Britain and her allies to victory during the Second World War.

IWM Duxford offers a unique and remarkable range of conferencing and events facilities, including the AirSpace Conference Centre.



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BY RAIL

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Underground

0.3 miles

BY ROAD

Tooley Street

BY AIR

London City Airport
Heathrow Airport
Gatwick

7.5 miles
20 miles
30 miles



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