

Sir John Clancy Auditorium
University of New South Wales



The Sir John Clancy Auditorium is UNSW's 'Home of Ceremony' and Graduation and was designed in the 1970's as a building in the round with a strong sculptural form representative of its brutalist era. The project objective was to expand the capacity of the undersized foyer, maximizing its functionality as well as create a new "front door" for the upper campus. hn hn hn hn

The main Northern foyer wraps around the auditorium to link with smaller Eastern and Western foyers. The triangular form of the expanded main northern foyer is a simple response to the existing building's dramatic geometry, framing the front face of the building with a civic scaled hood skinned with golden copper shingles.

The reimagined foyer provides both a memorable back drop for graduations, ceremonies and the life of students in addition to being a centrepiece for the Upper Campus arrival experience.

Client: University of New South Wales
Project Value: \$14 Mil
Completion: 2019



