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Big names, legendary shows and hits from around the world: only the best will do for C's brand new flagship venue, C scala

 $\rm C$ venues introduces a sensational line-up for their iconic new venue, with smash hits a-plenty and a dash of critically-acclaimed newcomers. Prepare to be blown away as the magnificent Saint Stephen's Stockbridge plays host to a scintillating programme and makes its mark as the must-see venue for 2016. Welcome to $\rm C$ scala

Front row seats for the best of the Fringe

Headlining acts include the critically-acclaimed **Ockham's Razor** piece **Tipping Point** presented by **Turtle Key Arts**. The UK's leading aerial company are back with a visual spectacular as action veers from catastrophe to mastery. With original music by Adem Ilhan and Quinta, whose previous production credits include Radiohead, Hot Chip and Bat For Lashes.

Following 2015 sell-out smash *The Addams Family*, **The Lincoln Company** deliver another musical not to be missed as they bring **Company** to the Edinburgh Fringe.

Edinburgh Fringe to global phenomenon

Huge voices, huge hearts and a huge show with South Africa's finest Gospel Singers. After performing the 2012 World Cup theme with R Kelly, **The Soweto Spiritual Singers** return with **The Africa Experience**.

Following sell-out shows in 2015, the must-see a cappella group of the fringe return with a stellar show packed with terrific tunes. Fresh from their world tour, **All the King's Men** have gained a devoted global following, and this summer is the chance to see these five-star, first-class all-vocal singers stir up a storm.

Legendary names, legendary performances

Smooth talking, sharp suits and swinging jazz from the coolest cats in town. Spend an evening with Frank, Dean, Sammy and the sharpest band at the Fringe. It's time to take a trip back to 1950s Vegas with the sensational **Rat Pack**.

See fringe favourites the **Blues Brothers** put the band back together. Fresh from a smash-hit run in the West End, Jake and Elwood Blues invite you to a night you'll never forget with a show that's guaranteed to get you up on your feet.

Take a trip to another world

During the day C **scala** is a hub for quality family entertainment with captivating children's theatre, playful puppetry and a trip to wonderland from C **theatre**. Take a journey to another world as **The Snow Queen** brings more than enough magic to keep everyone happy – the perfect afternoon for children who are getting a bit too old for pantomimes. **Çizgi Puppet Theatre** bring The Brothers Grimm tales to life in beautiful cartoon black light puppetry with **The Bremen Town Musicians**. Then see our family favourite, **Alice**, in a whimsical return to Wonderland as she journeys to magical world beyond the mirror.

Music and magic

Experience the best of the Festival's music with highlights including international guitar sensation **Matthew Fagan** in *Lord of the Strings*. Return to the 60s with **Dylan and Donovan: The Prophet, the Poet and the Sorcerer's Apprentice.** Spain meets Scotland in **Ricardo Garcia**'s *Flamenco Escocia*, and be seen at **The Glitter and Doom Salon** with the cream of cabaret and comedy.

Must-see venue for 2016

Smash-hit shows and live entertainment, along with food, drink and festivities in the fabulous Saint Stephen's Stockbridge make C **scala** the must-see venue for 2016.

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