



## A GUIDE TO WHARTON CENTER PERFORMANCES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH AUTISM

### Seating

Wharton Center hosts performances in two theaters, the Pasant Theater and the Cobb Great Hall. Seating in the Cobb Great Hall includes Orchestra seating and Grand Tier (balcony) seating. If heights bother you, or you are prone to dizziness, you may want to choose a seat within Orchestra. In addition, if you are claustrophobic, you may want to choose an aisle seat. For questions or concerns, please contact the ticket office.

### Quiet Areas

Wharton Center can be a busy and loud place before and after performances. If you need to take a break from the crowd, the Grand Tier Lobby Right is generally a quieter area, as is the Orchestra Right outdoor landing (weather permitting). Please see an usher if you need help being directed to a quiet area.



The Michigan State University Wharton Center for Performing Arts is a proud supporter of individuals with Autism. Along with our designated Sensory-Friendly performances, we warmly welcome individuals with Autism to attend our neurotypical performances.

Wharton Center provides information about the sensory experience of each performance on their website for your convenience. Information regarding the use of strobe lighting, sudden loud sounds or movement, use of fog machines, or crowd interaction can be found on the "more info" page for each performance:

[www.whartoncenter.com](http://www.whartoncenter.com)

In addition, accessibility information can be accessed here:

<https://www.whartoncenter.com/plan-your-visit/accessibility>

For more information, please contact the ticket office:

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