



Music has the incredible power to express dissent, challenge authority, promote freedom of expression, unite communities, spark agency and action, and define identities.

Popular music embodies our social and political ideas; it spans generations, bridges geographical divides, and crosses intercultural boundaries. Focusing on the dynamic relationship between artist and audience, this exhibition will invite visitors inside ground-breaking moments when music played a pivotal role in social transformation and political change.

Iconic artifacts, mixed-media installations, original films and interviews with musicians, immersive environments, physical and digital interactive elements, powerful photographs and, of course, plenty of music will be featured. This exhibition will showcase the power of music to embody our highest aspirations for freedom, justice and equality.

Space requirements

465 square metres (5,000 square feet)

Components

This exhibition is currently in development. The travelling version will include:

- All artifacts.
- All exhibitry and accessibility features;
- IT/AV components. Remote IT/AV support will be provided;
- All physical graphic/environmental components (venues will be required to produce single-use graphics).

Note: Assets used within the exhibition will be licensed for exhibition use. Licensing for promotional use may be the responsibility of the venue.

Venue requirements

- Dedicated exhibition space free of food and beverages, within controlled environmental envelope and without natural light.
- Experienced installation and conservation team on site for installation and deinstallation.

Accessibility

All CMHR exhibitions follow inclusive design standards that facilitate interaction by visitors of all abilities in English and French.

Duration

Twelve-week suggested minimum.

Optional services

Exhibition layout design services can be provided by the CMHR for an additional cost.

Rental fee

TBD

For more information about this exhibition, or to be added to the CMHR's travelling exhibition mailing list, please email travellingexhibitions@humanrights.ca.

The Canadian Museum for Human Rights (CMHR) uses innovative storytelling to promote thought and conversation about the importance of human rights for all. One of Canada's six national museums, it is located in Winnipeg, Manitoba.

