

Is gatetheatre.ie legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 100/100

gatetheatre.ie

Verdict

100

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

gatetheatre.ie appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Safe for Login

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-07-31 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 65%.

What this site appears to be

Homepage for Dublin's Gate Theatre, offering performance discovery and ticket booking alongside visitor information, memberships, gift vouchers, organizational details, governance documents, policies, news, and support options.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN

- Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	26 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2004 1020 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by WR1	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2004.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is the official digital presence and ticketing portal of Dublin's Gate Theatre, presenting current productions, ticket booking, visitor and accessibility information, memberships, gift vouchers, venue hire, governance materials, news, and options for public support.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No identity contradictions, impersonation indicators, phishing behavior, malicious redirects, or deceptive financial propositions were observed. The site's long-standing theatre identity is consistent across its historical record and current content, while its commercial functions—principally ticket sales, memberships, gift vouchers, and venue hire—align with the stated cultural purpose. The external reputation record is clean, and the observed page contained neither hidden forms nor credential-capture behavior.

- The homepage identifies the service as "Gate Theatre Dublin" and provides theatre programming, ticket booking, visitor information, and a Dublin box-office telephone number.
- The domain was registered on 29 August 2000 and is approximately 25.93 years old; its registrar is WebHero LTD.
- The web archive contains 1,020 snapshots spanning 29 October 2004 to 4 February 2026, covering 23 tracked years without a detected change from its theatre/cultural-venue purpose.
- External reputation checks recorded 0 malicious detections, 0 suspicious detections, no malicious safe-browsing finding, no external threat-list hit, and 0 abuse reports; the domain is also ranked 604,314 within the global top million.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site represents an arts and cultural venue rather than a regulated financial or investment service, so no financial-services licence is expected from the described business model. Its homepage points visitors toward governance, equality, strategic-planning, careers, accessibility, and customer-policy materials, providing a comparatively mature organizational disclosure framework. No competing legal-entity names or misleading regulatory claims were identified.

- The homepage navigation expressly includes Governance, Equality Policy, Strategic Plan, Gate Company, Careers, History, and Accessibility pages.
- The homepage presents ordinary revenue and support channels through ticket sales, memberships, gift vouchers, venue hire, and donations or public support.

- The hosting infrastructure is served from AS2635 (Automattic, Inc., US) at the observed address 199.16.172.79.
- The site's transport encryption uses a DV TLS certificate issued by WR1, valid until 18 October 2026.

What to Verify Next

For unusually large purchases, venue-hire commitments, donations, or institutional engagements, the contracting entity, payment recipient, refund terms, and authorized representative should be confirmed against the site's governance and customer-policy materials. Official booking and account functions should be accessed through the established domain, with material arrangements independently confirmed through the published box office or another documented organizational channel.

- The homepage provides a dedicated box-office number and separate pathways for ticket booking, account access, and visitor information.
- The site publishes seating, accessibility, café and bar, location, and local-visitor information relevant to validating a planned attendance.
- Governance and strategic-plan links provide documentary sources for institutional due diligence.
- Gift vouchers, memberships, venue hire, and support options create distinct transaction types whose applicable terms should be matched to the intended engagement.

Summary Verdict

The website is a legitimate, established, and trustworthy theatre platform. Its identity, historical continuity, content maturity, technical safeguards, and clean reputation converge strongly, with no contradictory risk signals observed.

Infrastructure Integrity

The site operates on established Automattic-managed infrastructure and uses valid encrypted transport. These controls reduce routine hosting and connection-security exposure, although infrastructure protection is appropriately treated as supporting evidence rather than independent proof of identity.

Closing Assessment

Normal interaction, including account login, ticket purchases, memberships, and other standard site functions, is appropriate; higher-value institutional arrangements may proceed through ordinary contractual and payment-control procedures.

Written analysis generated 2026-07-31 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	UNVERIFIED
Identity score	30/100
Identity verification confidence	50%

- No on-site identity signals detected

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of gatetheatre.ie.

- The request stayed on gatetheatre.ie. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under WebHero LTD. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by openhostingservice.com, across 5 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2026-08-30. NOTED
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2004-10-29. CLEAR
- It is hosted on AUTOMATTIC, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	WebHero LTD
Hosting	AUTOMATTIC - Automattic, Inc, US
Country	US
Server IP	199.16.172.79
Name servers	ns1.openhostingservice.com, ns2.openhostingservice.com, ns3.openhostingservice.com, ns4.openhostingservice.com, ns5.openhostingservice.com
SSL issuer	WR1
SSL expiry	2026-10-18
Domain age	25.9 years
Domain expiry	2026-08-30
Archive first seen	2004-10-29
Archive snapshots	1020
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about gatetheatre.ie at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

