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HARVARD MUSEUM
OF
NATURAL HISTORY



Exterior view of the Harvard Museum of Natural History

Home to the world-famous Blaschka Glass Flowers, beautiful gems and minerals, large mammals from around the world, and thousands of beetles, birds, fossils, shells, and more, the Harvard Museum of Natural History is one of the most-visited attractions at Harvard.

Established in 1998, the Harvard Museum of Natural History is the public face of three research museums: the Museum of Comparative Zoology, the Harvard University Herbaria, and the Mineralogical & Geological Museum. Today's museum reflects both the history of its affiliate museums and an evolution toward a twenty-first-century institution that presents cutting-edge research, addresses contemporary issues, and offers creative educational experience in a unique, intimate setting.

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