Melbourne Museum Experiences

Make your event at Melbourne Museum one to remember with a range of premium experiences.
Expert Talks
Enhance your museum experience with expert insight. Engage with a museum curator on core themes of the museum including but not limited to Triceratops and palaeontology, First Peoples, entomology, Phar Lap or scientific art and observation. The expert will deliver a 10–15-minute talk on the subject of choice followed by up to 10 minutes Q&A.

Behind the Scenes Tours
A unique and premium experience behind closed doors. The caretakers of Museums Victoria’s 17 million collection objects will guide you through various collection stores or conservation workrooms.

Exclusive Exhibition Viewings
Melbourne Museum’s exhibitions are a rich, surprising insight into natural environments, our culture and histories. Have the ultimate up-close experience and access one of the museum’s permanent exhibitions after dark, when all visitors have left.

Exclusive Touring Exhibition Viewings
Melbourne Museum’s Touring Hall hosts some of the world’s finest large-scale exhibitions. Ask us about exclusive after-hours viewings of our upcoming exhibitions.

Exclusive IMAX Viewings
Hollywood’s biggest movies on the world’s largest screen! Enjoy exclusive access to the IMAX Melbourne theatre for a feature film, documentary or to deliver a presentation.

Forest Gallery Tour
The Forest Gallery is the living heart of Melbourne Museum. Discover a piece of Victoria’s mountain landscape featuring cool-temperate rainforest and indigenous plants that change through the seasons, with insight from a knowledgeable expert or a self-led family activity searching for the forest’s most important residents.

Roaming Puppets
Intricate and lifelike puppets can roam your event for an extra special touch. Meet our Baby Triceratops, our fierce Velociraptor, the Australian Ankylosaurs Minmi and Baby Minmi, fluttering bees, a large-winged dragonfly and more.

Live Exhibits Experiences
Meet the museum’s liveliest residents. A knowledgeable Museum expert and animal handler will introduce you to a selection of live insects, lizards, snakes and animals from the museum’s Live Exhibits family.

Children’s Activities
Entertain your younger guests with a range of engaging children’s activities to suit all ages. Our Education & Public Programs teams have an array of exciting activities informed by key themes of the museum.

Welcome to Country
Open your event by acknowledging the traditional custodians of this land. The Welcome to Country will be delivered by a member of Victoria’s First Peoples community.

Traditional Smoking Ceremony
A traditional smoking ceremony can follow a Welcome to Country. For First Peoples, the land has a spiritual connection. This sacred healing and cleansing process invites the group to leave behind any troubles and start afresh.

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Prices provided on application. Experiences are subject to availability.