

An invitation

Since 1980, the American Foundation for National Museums Scotland has made a significant difference to Scotland's heritage and culture.

Through the generous support of many individuals, the Foundation's donations to National Museums Scotland have helped transform our museums and ensure the internationally important objects in Scotland's National Collections are cared for and their stories made accessible to people from around the world. These objects, and the stories they hold, create links that span the globe and connect people and places in a multitude of fascinating and meaningful ways.

Today, National Museums Scotland is one of the leading museum groups in the world, and our world-class museums are visited by millions of people every year. Support from the Patrons of the American Foundation for National Museums Scotland helps reveal the remarkable stories behind Scotland's exceptional collections, sharing them beyond our walls and inviting international audiences to experience the heritage and culture of Scotland.

Thank you for considering becoming a Patron, supporting and enjoying these remarkable collections. With your support we can continue to inspire people, connecting Scotland to the world and the world to Scotland.



Dr Christopher Breward
Director of National Museums Scotland



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An opportunity for support

“Through my career, I have had the opportunity to travel the world, but as a Patron I have also been able to explore ancient Egypt, discover treasures from the Viking Age and encounter Bonnie Prince Charlie anew. It is a real pleasure to help National Museums Scotland bring Scotland’s stories to life for millions of people every year, and to know that I can play my part in preserving Scotland’s heritage and culture.”

Lynda Logan, New York
Chair of the American Foundation
for National Museums Scotland



The American Foundation for National Museums Scotland helps connect Scotland to the world and the world to Scotland. We are a US 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization. We help reveal the stories behind the remarkable artefacts in Scotland’s national collections, making them accessible to millions of people from around the world.

National Museums Scotland’s collections have deep roots, spanning thousands of years. They bring together the cultures of Scotland and the world, the arts and sciences and the full spectrum of human creativity and invention alongside the wonders of the natural world.

The collections represent astonishing diversity. From an ancient Egyptian burial (c.1500 BC) to the first commercial British Airways Concorde, they reflect a long-standing thirst for exploration which has taken Scots around the world – and beyond.

As a Patron of the American Foundation for National Museums Scotland, your donation will ensure that these outstanding treasures and their stories can continue to be explored and celebrated – now, and well into the future.

- 1 The Fettercairn Jewel
- 2 Selection of items from the Galloway Hoard
- 3 Dolly the sheep
- 4 Mary, Queen of Scots Casket
- 5 The Ilay-Glynne Dial
- 6 Concorde G-BOAA

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To become a Patron (as an individual or couple) of the American Foundation for National Museums Scotland, you are invited to make an annual donation of \$1,500 or more (benefits value \$250).

To become a George Wilson Circle Patron you are invited to make an annual donation of \$5,000 or more (benefits value \$300).

A special relationship

As a Patron you will enjoy a host of special privileges, including:

- An invitation to our annual event in the USA
- Invitations to our annual programme of Patron events in Scotland
- Explorer, our supporter magazine, delivered to you three times a year
- Free entry to all National Museums Scotland museums and special exhibitions
- An exclusive look behind the scenes at one of our museums when you are visiting Scotland

As a George Wilson Circle Patron, you can also enjoy a private tour of one of our museums, tailored to your interests, with up to 6 guests.

To find out more about becoming a Patron please contact Emily Grand on (212) 812-4362 or email egrand@ghspm.com

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