



Welcome to The Shoe Museum at the Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine

The Shoe Museum is located in downtown Philadelphia within the School of Podiatric Medicine and the Foot and Ankle Institute of Temple University. Please be considerate of the students, faculty, staff and patients of this institution as you take the tour. Stay within the main lobby of the school and the display areas on the 6th floor only. Keep your museum visitor lanyard visible at all times. You will be asked to sign in and sign out of the building.

This is a self-guided tour that should take about an hour. Supplemental audio for each exhibit is provided by means of QR codes available through any smart phone (instructions on reverse side).

First Floor/Main Entrance:

Our Shoe Museum Spotlight this year features the shoes of the "Greatest Mascot in Sports"the one and only **Philadelphia Phanatic!**

A large boot from the 160th anniversary of the Moore College of Art and Design is also on display in the lobby.



6th Floor:

The majority of our displays are located within the hallways of the 6th Floor. These include:

-Anatomy and Physiology of Shoes: Historical artifacts and education related to the structure and function of shoes.

-Shoes That Serve: A variety of shoes from the military, civil services, service industry, and politics.

-Mummer Shoes: Celebrating the unique Philadelphia New Year's Day tradition.

-The Locker Room: A display of shoes from an assortment of sports and sporting legends.

-Shoe Curios: The most unique and unusual shoes from our collection.

-Shoes in the Arts: Shoes on display from celebrities, performers and the arts.

-A History of Podiatric Medical Education in Philadelphia: A history of TUSPM as told through our students, faculty and alumni.

-Toddler Shoes: Children's shoes from the United States and beyond.

-The Wedding March: A selection of bridal shoes spanning decades and dating back to the 1840s.

-A Shoe for Every Style: We've cleared our back inventory to display as many women's shoes as possible in a divergent, symmetrical pairing pattern.

-Shoes of the World: Over 250 shoes from over 30 countries on display arranged by geographic location.



QR Code Primer

The exhibits in this museum have supplemental audio accessed through QR codes. Many smart phones (including all iPhones) have a QR code reader built into the camera. Androids and other phones might require downloading a free “QR Code Reader” app.

It is recommended that you check your phone prior to visiting The Shoe Museum for QR code reading capabilities. You can test this by scanning the QR code to the right which should take you directly to our website.



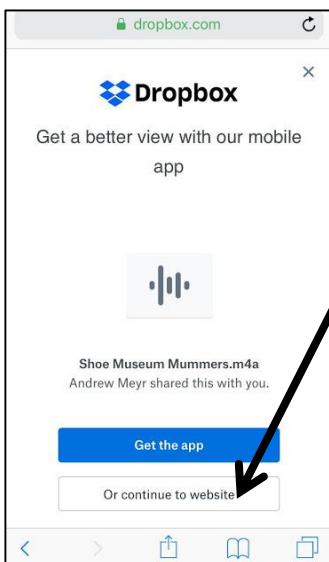
3 Easy Steps For Most Phones:

Step 1: Point the phone's camera at the QR code:

An automatic pop-up will direct you to the audio website. Click on this pop-up.



Step 2: Continue to the audio file website (Dropbox):



Click on the button to “Continue to Website”.

Step 3: Play the audio file:

Click on the “play” button to listen to the audio file accompanying the exhibit.

