

## Riverside Museum in Glasgow



*Riverside Museum at Glasgow, Scotland*

The iconic landmark of the Riverside Museum, sited on the banks of the River Clyde in Glasgow has been built upon the location of the former Inglis Shipyard. The Scotland's Museum of Transport and Travel has been honored with the European Museum of the Year award in 2013. Exhibiting world-class transportation and technology, the museum is an expose of Glasgow's rich past, from the era of its maritime adventures till mid-20th century Glasgow. The exhibits in the form of Prams, skateboards, locomotives, automobiles, bicycles, velocipedes, voiturettes, vintage cars, trams, Stormtrooper, and ships, seem to bring the history of Glasgow to life.

The museum is not just a place to roam and see some of the permanent exhibits, rather it is a place that can be made a hub of entertainment, tailored to suit your needs. With a capacity to accommodate 10,000 people, the Events Square can be used to conduct private events like weddings, private dinners, cocktail receptions. Other events that can be scheduled here include corporate events such as meetings, seminars, workshops, corporate galas, music concerts, filming and photography, and trade shows.

The Main Street is a replica of a particular Glasgow Street during the years between 1895 and 1930. It has shopfronts, a subway station, and distinctive vehicles of the period. This space is often used to conduct standing receptions for about 120 guests.

From the Boardroom, the visitors can enjoy exceptional views of the Rivers Clyde and Kelvin. With the capacity to accommodate about 20 to 35 guests, the boardroom is an ideal place to conduct private meetings. There is another place in the museum where you can conduct meetings. Named as the Education Suite, this section offers a larger meeting room for up to 60 guests.

The Café, located on the ground floor of the museum offers panoramic views of the river. The guests can enjoy hot and cold breakfast, lunch, and even afternoon tea at the café. If you wish to take a short break while visiting the exhibits, you can choose to refresh yourself by drinking tea, coffees, or soft drinks, along with a wide selection of sandwiches, snacks, and cakes, served at the Coffee Stop, located on the first floor.

Moored on the River Clyde next to the museum, [The Tall Ship – Glenlee](#), is a must-visit tourist attraction. The ship can be visited for several purposes, including recreation, learning, and private and corporate meetings.

Do not miss to visit Hunterian Museum, [Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum](#), Scotland Street School Museum, and Glasgow Botanic Gardens, on your Glasgow tour.

## Riverside Museum in Glasgow location map



## Facts about Riverside Museum in Glasgow

Designed by Zaha Hadid, an architect born in Iraq, the museum houses more than 3,000 exhibits.

The main building of the museum covers an area of 11,300 m sq.

The site area is 22,400 m sq.

The museum has bagged several awards, including the 'Best Engineering Design' at Scottish Design Awards 2012, 'Scotland's Favorite Visitor Attraction' at Scottish Entertainment Guide Awards 2012, etc.

## Where is riverside museum in Glasgow ?

The Riverside Museum is located on the north shore of the River Clyde in Glasgow, Scotland. The museum is at a distance of around 6.9 miles from the Glasgow Airport. You may reach the museum via train, bus, or taxi. Partick Station, the closest train station, is about 10 minutes walk from the museum. If you visit the museum on your personal vehicle, there is no need to worry about the parking, as the museum has an ample of parking space.

**Address:** Riverside Museum, 100 Pointhouse Place, Glasgow G3 8RS

**Phone Number:** 0141 287 2720

## Best time to visit riverside museum in Glasgow

Plan your tour of the Riverside Museum during March to August, as it is the best time to visit Glasgow. The weather is mild and suitable for traveling.

### **Riverside Museum in Glasgow Hours**

The Riverside Museum opens at 10:00 a.m. on Mondays to Thursdays and on Saturdays, while it opens at 11:00 a.m. on Fridays and Sundays. It closes daily at 5:00 p.m. The museum is closed for Christmas Day, Boxing Day, and 1 & 2 January. On Hogmanay, December 31, the museum closes early at 1:00 p.m.

### **Riverside Museum in Glasgow tickets**

The Riverside Museum welcomes all the visitors without charging an entry fee.

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## More on Riverside Museum in Glasgow

**What are the coordinates of the Riverside Museum?**

55.8651° N, 4.3064° W

**What is the construction cost of the museum?**

About £74 million was spent for the construction of the museum.

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