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MUSEUMS

Ranked by 2014 Attendance

Rank	Name Address Phone/Website	2014 Attendance — Square Feet of Exhibit Space	FT Employees — Volunteers	Nature of Operations	Executive Director or Top Executive	Year Estab.
1.	Corning Museum of Glass One Museum Way Corning, NY 14830 (607) 937-5371/ http://cmog.org	440,000 — 200,000	140 — 200	glass museum	Karol Wight, President and Executive Director	1951
2.	National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum 25 Main St. Cooperstown, NY 13326 (607) 547-7200/ baseballhall.org	294,435 — 50,000	109 — 50	educational institution dedicated to preserving the history of baseball through exhibits, artifacts, library collections, world-renowned Hall of Fame Plaque Gallery, and more	Jeff Idelson, President	1939
3.	Boldt Castle and Boldt Yacht House P.O. Box 428, Collins Landing Alexandria Bay, NY 13607 (315) 482-9724/ boldtcastle.com	180,000 — 60,000	12 — 0	historic house	Shane K. Sanford, Director, Boldt Facilities	1904
4.	Onondaga Historical Association 321 Montgomery St. Syracuse, NY 13202 (315) 428-1864/ cnyhistory.org	172,660 — 15,000	12 — 85	to educate and encourage the exploration, appreciation, and utilization of the past in order to add value throughout the community and bring the great stories of Onondaga County's history to a worldwide audience	Gregg Tripoli, Executive Director	1863
5.	Milton J. Rubenstein Museum of Science & Technology (MOST) 500 S. Franklin St. Syracuse, NY 13202 (315) 425-9068/ most.org	150,000 — 35,000	25 — 100	hands-on interactive science and technology museum offering a wide range of educational opportunities for people of all ages that make learning science fun	Larry Leatherman, President	1981
6.	Sciencenter 601 1st St. Ithaca, NY 14850 (607) 272-0600/ sciencenter.org	100,000 — 11,000	25 — 200	hands-on museum offers visitors of all ages more than 250 exhibits, educational programs, gift shop, seasonal outdoor science playground and 18-hole miniature golf course	Charles Trautmann, Executive Director	1983
7.	Herbert F. Johnson Museum of Art Cornell University Ithaca, NY 14853 (607) 255-6464/ museum.cornell.edu	84,100 — 17,500	35 — 40	to bring art and people together through education, the presentation and care of the permanent collection, and making the Museum accessible to the widest variety of people possible	Stephanie Wiles, The Richard J. Schwartz Director	1973
8.	Everson Museum of Art 401 Harrison St. Syracuse, NY 13202 (315) 474-6064/ everson.org	76,000 — 52,600	18 — 452	to inspire, educate, and enrich, integrating art into people's lives through direct encounters with collections and exhibitions	Elizabeth Dunbar, President & CEO	1897
9.	The Farmers' Museum 5775 State Hwy 80 (Lake Road) Cooperstown, NY 13326 (607) 547-1450/ farmersmuseum.org	63,038 — 8,000	65 — 198	outdoor living history museum	Dr. Paul D'Ambrosio, President	1943
10.	Discovery Center of the Southern Tier, Inc. 60 Morgan Road Binghamton, NY 13903 (607) 773-8661/ thediscoverycenter.org	55,658 — 22,000	5 — 175	hands-on museum for children and their families to develop the intellectual, physical, and emotional well-being of the children of the Southern Tier through participatory exhibits and programs	Margaret S. Crocker, Executive Director	1984
11.	Fenimore Art Museum 5798 State Highway 80 (Lake Road) Cooperstown, NY 13326 (607) 547-1400/ fenimoreartmuseum.org	39,848 — 12,500	60 — 216	art museum	Dr. Paul D'Ambrosio, President	1943
12.	Roberson Museum and Science Center 30 Front St. Binghamton, NY 13905 (607) 772-0660/ roberson.org	35,904 — 27,850	9 — 40	Greater Binghamton's largest year-round tourist attraction, providing unique experiences through new and exciting exhibitions, important educational programs, and fun events	Terry McDonald, Executive Director	1954
13.	Antique Boat Museum 750 Mary St. Clayton, NY 13624 (315) 686-4104/ abm.org	31,000 — 49,000	16 — 200	North America's premier freshwater nautical museum that collects, preserves, and celebrates boats and related artifacts to advance public understanding of the importance of boats to the cultural history of North America	Frederick H. Hager, Executive Director	1967
14.	Museum of the Earth 1259 Trumansburg Road Ithaca, NY 14850 (607) 273-6623/ museumoftheearth.org	24,000 — 8,000	22 — 80	provides a mix of natural history displays, interactive science features, and art exhibitions	Warren Allmon, Director Linda Ivany, Board Chair	1932
15.	Glenn H. Curtiss Museum 8419 State Route 54 Hammondsport, NY 14840 (607) 569-2160/ glennhcurtissmuseum.org	23,000 — 32,000	3 — 75	a museum containing a priceless collection relating to early aviation and local history	Trafford Leigh-Mallory Doherty, Executive Director	1961
16.	Singer Castle on Dark Island Dark Island Chippewa Bay, NY 13623 (315) 486-3275/ singercastle.com	22,000 — 20,000	15 — 6	historic castle tours, weddings, special events, and overnight accommodations in a royal suite	Thomas Weldon, President	2003
17.	Erie Canal Museum 318 Erie Boulevard East Syracuse, NY 13202 (315) 471-0593/ eriecanalmuseum.org	21,000 — 50,000	7 — 25	collects and conserves canal material, champions an appreciation and understanding of Erie Canal history through educational programming, and promotes an awareness of the canal's transforming effects	Diana Goodsight, Executive Director	1962
18.	Arnot Art Museum 235 Lake St. Elmira, NY 14901 (607) 734-3697/ arnotartmuseum.org	16,900 — 3,200	6 — 45	display permanent collection of 17th to 19th century European paintings in original Victorian Picture Gallery, as well as 19th to 21st century American and a growing collection of contemporary realist art	Rick Pirozzolo, Executive Director	1913
19.	Seward House Museum 33 South St. Auburn, NY 13021 315-252-1283/ sewardhouse.org	15,000 — 2,000	6 — 40	interpret the accomplishments and the democratic and social values of William H. and Frances A. Seward and their immediate descendants and to engage a diverse public in connecting the past with the present	Billye Chabot, Executive Director	1951
20.	Northeast Classic Car Museum 24 Rexford St. Norwich, NY 13815 (607) 334-2886/ classiccarmuseum.org	13,000 — 80,000	3 — 100	more than 160 classic and vintage automobiles on display in five connected, climate-controlled buildings, beautiful examples of automotive history from 1899 through the early 1970s are on display	Robert Jeffrey, Executive Director	1997
21.	Frederic Remington Art Museum 303 Washington St. Ogdensburg, NY 13669 (315) 393-2425/ fredericremington.org	12,000 — 2,021	6 — 57	art museum	Laura A. Foster, Director/ Curator	1923
22.	Ruth and Elmer Wellin Museum of Art at Hamilton College 198 College Hill Road Clinton, NY 13323 (315) 859-4396/ hamilton.edu/wellin	11,000 — 10,000	6 — 0	joins traditional object-based learning with advances in interdisciplinary approaches. With its visible archive and open storage, the museum allows access to a collection of art and artifacts that span millennia and cultures	Tracy L. Adler, Director	2012
23.	Sci-Tech Center of Northern New York 154 Stone St. Watertown, NY 13601 (315) 788-1340 / scitechcenter.org	9,306 — 3,600	0 — 23	a hands-on museum of science and technology with programs for children and adults, including monthly astronomy observing sessions, pre-school workshops, and a traveling science outreach program	Steve Karon, Executive Director	1983
24.	Richard F. Brush Art Gallery St. Lawrence University, 23 Romođa Drive Canton, NY 13617 (315) 229-5174 / stlawu.edu/gallery	8,000 — 1,900	2 — 0	the stewardship of the university's permanent collection and a program of temporary exhibitions are the central components of the Gallery	Catherine Tedford, Director Carole Mathey, Assistant Director	1967
25.	Bundy Museum of History & Art 129 Main St. Binghamton, NY 13905 (607) 772-9179/ bundymuseum.org	3,000 — 15,000	2 — 5	featuring the fully restored Victorian home of Harlow E. Bundy, founder of Bundy Mfg. Co. and predecessor to IBM, the Bundy Museum offers guided house tours and rotating exhibits of contemporary art	Michael Weinstein, Founder & CEO	2004
26.	1890 House Museum 37 Tompkins St. Cortland, NY 13045 (607) 756-7551/ the1890house.org	2,574 — 15,000	0 — 10	seeks to collect, preserve, research, display, and interpret objects that promote local and national history of America's cultural heritage during the late 19th and early 20th centuries	Megan Eves, Museum Coordinator	1975
27.	Picker Art Gallery of Colgate College 13 Oak Drive Hamilton, NY 13346 (315) 228-7634/ pickerartgallery.org	2,167 — 3,000	8 — 0	fine-arts exhibitions drawn from a collection of 11,000 + objects held by the gallery, plus curated exhibitions and borrowed shows; an educational mission includes class visits and student research on objects held by the museum	Anja Chavez, Director of University Museums	1966